



# THORNAPPLE

COVENANT CHURCH

June 24, 2018 | 10:00am

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### *Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)*

Praise is rising  
Eyes are turning to You  
We turn to You  
Hope is stirring  
Hearts are yearning for You  
We long for You

'Cause when we see You  
We find strength to face the day  
In Your presence  
All our fears are washed away  
Washed away

Hosanna, hosanna  
You are the God who saves us  
Worthy of all our praises  
Hosanna, hosanna  
Come have Your way among us  
We welcome You here Lord Jesus

Hear the sound of  
Hearts returning to You  
We turn to You  
In Your Kingdom  
Broken lives are made new  
You make us new

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### **Prelude**

*Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)*

### **Call to Worship**

Michael Weller

### **\*O Worship the King, All Glorious Above**

Hymn #23 (w. 1, 3-5)

### **\*Lord Most High**

### **\*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!**

### **Offering**

### **10 Years of Nepali Ministry Thanksgiving**

Patty Dekker

### **Prayer for God's World**

Tammy Friesen

### **\*Forever (We Sing Hallelujah)**

### **Message**

*Joy Fulfilled*

Rev. Mark Severson,

*John 17:13-21*

guest speaker

### **\*God, Creator of Your People**

### **Benediction**

### **Postlude**

*\*Congregational song*

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*The Prayer Team will be under the cross following both services if you would like to pray.*

*If you are our guest this morning, stop by the Welcome Center and pick up a gift we have for you.*

**Worship Resources** | To help you worship throughout the week, we've prepared  
Worship Resources available online ([thornapple.org/worshipresources](http://thornapple.org/worshipresources)) and at the Welcome Center.



# CALENDAR

## Sunday 6/24

10:00am • Worship/Nursery/Lil' K

## Monday 6/25

6:30am • Monday Mornings for Men  
9:30am • College & Career Moms in Prayer  
9:30am • MS Adventure Week  
7:00pm • Support Group for Caregivers of Aging Adults

## Tuesday 6/26

9:30am • MS Adventure Week

## Wednesday 6/27

9:30am • MS Adventure Week  
7:00pm • Prayer Gathering

## Thursday 6/28

9:30am • MS Adventure Week  
7:30pm • Worship Team Rehearsal

## Friday 6/29

## Saturday 6/30

## Sunday 7/1

10:00am • Worship/Nursery/Lil' K

**Summer Worship Schedule** | Now through Sunday, Sept. 2 (Labor Day Week-end) we will have a single worship service at 10:00am on Sunday mornings.

**Are you connected?** Would you like to receive our weekly email newsletter and future communications from our pastoral staff and ministries.

Sign up at: [thornapple.org/contact-us](http://thornapple.org/contact-us).

## EVENT INFORMATION

- **MS Adventure Week** | June 25-28, 9:30-3pm each day. Fall 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students join us for fun day trips and service projects (leaving from/returning to church); \$60/student. Registration opens to public May 21 but is now open for Thornapple families (only 20 spots left). Learn more and register at: [thornapple.org/adventureweekregistration](http://thornapple.org/adventureweekregistration).
- **Family Service Days** | Children's Ministries has three opportunities for you and your family to serve our community during the month of July: Tuesday, July 10, Wednesday, July 18 and Thursday, July 26 (9:30-11:00am for all three dates). Childcare will be available at church for children 4 and under. Learn more about the opportunities and sign your family up for one or more of the dates: [thornapple.org/familyservedays](http://thornapple.org/familyservedays).
- **Horizons' Games and Ice Cream Social** | Save the date for our next Horizons' get together on Thursday, July 19 at 7:00pm (rain date is Friday, July 20) at the home of David and Susan Harrell (8097 Cameron Ct., Caledonia). Join us for yard games (pickle ball, corn hole and bocce ball) and an ice cream social. Ice cream and beverages will be provided. Register: [thornapple.org/horizonsicecream](http://thornapple.org/horizonsicecream).
- **Great Lakes Conference Women's Retreat** | Sept. 21-23 at Portage Lake Bible Camp. The theme is Linger with speaker Sharon Garlough Brown who will lead us in an exploration of practices that help us slow down and savor the presence of God. All women are invited for this inspiring and relaxing weekend! Registration is open (early registration ends Aug. 1); learn more and sign up: [portagelake.org/glcwomen](http://portagelake.org/glcwomen).
- **Great Lakes Conference Men's Retreat** | Sept. 28-30 at Portage Lake Bible Camp. Registration info coming soon!
- **Sankofa Journey Fall 2018** | All are invited to the Covenant Church's intentional, cross-racial prayer journey that seeks to assist disciples of Christ on their move toward a righteous response to the social ills related to racism. This fall the journey is taking place Sept. 20-23 (space is limited, registration and deposit due by Aug. 20). Contact Pastor Andrew ([avanover@thornapple.org](mailto:avanover@thornapple.org)) or Pastor Karen ([kingebretson@thornapple.org](mailto:kingebretson@thornapple.org)) with questions - both have attended Sankofa in the past. Learn more: [thornapple.org/sankofa](http://thornapple.org/sankofa).

# NEWS

- ◆ **Degage Ministries needs T-Shirts!** Sizes M-XXL. Plain white t-shirts or printed. Gently used or brand new. Underwear is also welcome, but especially t-shirts. Thornapple's Love Mercy Do Justice team is requesting donations of t-shirts by June 25. Place donations in the marked bin by the Lounge.
- ◆ **Always Making Room Update** | Construction is well underway in these areas: sanctuary roof repair, digging foundation for the multi purpose room addition, prepping the site for storm drainage and preparing the interior hallway to connect the new building to the old. Visit [thornapple.org/alwaysmakingroom](http://thornapple.org/alwaysmakingroom) for updates.
- ◆ **Lego Camp Volunteers** | July 30-Aug. 2 (Monday-Thursday; 9:30-11:30am and/or 1-3pm) Children's Ministry is looking for 9 adult/teen volunteers for EACH session who will help facilitate the camp. Please contact Lisa Udell ([ludell@thornapple.org](mailto:ludell@thornapple.org)) if you are able to help.
- ◆ **Looking for ways your family can serve together?** Thornapple's Love Mercy Do Justice Ministry Team has collected a list of family-friendly ideas and organizations here (under *Serving*): [thornapple.org/resources-parents](http://thornapple.org/resources-parents).
- ◆ **Children's Artwork in Worship** | If your child (any age) loves to create art and would like to be commissioned to make art for our slides this summer, please contact Jessica Mix ([jmix@thornapple.org](mailto:jmix@thornapple.org)).
- ◆ **Student Artists** | We are looking for clay artwork to display in the Lobby from our students (K-12) - original or completed as part of a class or project. If you are interested in sharing your talents with us, please contact Rachel Wong ([rachelcwong@aol.com](mailto:rachelcwong@aol.com)).
- ◆ **Media Help** | Worship Ministry is seeking tech-savvy volunteers to help run media and slides Sunday mornings; training provided. If you are interested in learning more about this volunteer opportunity, contact Michael Weller ([mweller@thornapple.org](mailto:mweller@thornapple.org)) or Jessica Mix ([jmix@thornapple.org](mailto:jmix@thornapple.org)).
- ◆ **Backyard Party Kit** | We have a way for you to BLESS your neighbors - throw a backyard party! And we'd love to help - to see items you can use/check out from church and a list of party planning tips visit [thornapple.org/bpk](http://thornapple.org/bpk)!

# MINISTRY INFORMATION

If you have questions or to learn more about these and other ministries, visit the links listed next to each ministry name or visit our website at [thornapple.org](http://thornapple.org).

## CHILDREN | [thornapple.org/children](http://thornapple.org/children)

- **Nursery** | Birth-3yrs, lower level
- **Fall 4s-1st** | Lil' K at 10:00am, June 3-Aug. 26
- **Lego Camp** | July 30-Aug. 2 (Fall 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade); [thornapple.org/legocamp](http://thornapple.org/legocamp)

## STUDENTS | [thornapple.org/students](http://thornapple.org/students)

- **MS Adventure Week** | June 25-28, Grand Rapids
- **CHIC** | July 14-22, University of Tennessee

## YOUNG ADULTS | [thornapple.org/youngadults](http://thornapple.org/youngadults)

- **Small Group** | 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday evenings, 7:30-9pm at 6578 Brookhills Ct. SE, Grand Rapids. Contact Shalini Bennett ([shalinibennett@gmail.com](mailto:shalinibennett@gmail.com)).
- **Summer Service/Social Activities** | Contact Shalini if you are interested.

## PRIME TIMERS (60+) | [thornapple.org/primetimers](http://thornapple.org/primetimers)

- **2018/2019 Schedule** TBA this summer

## WOMEN | [thornapple.org/women](http://thornapple.org/women)

- **WholyFit** | Exercise and worship; open to women of all ages (childcare provided). Classes meets Fridays, 9:30-10:30am: July 13, 20, 27 and Aug. 10, 17, 24.
- **Women's Retreat** | Sept. 21-23 at Portage Lake
- **MOPS 2018/2019** | The group meets 1<sup>st</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday mornings (Sept.-May). Email [thornapplemps@gmail.com](mailto:thornapplemps@gmail.com) to receive the registration link.
- **Moms on a Mission 2018/2019** | This group is open to any woman with at least one school-aged child. The group meets 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Thursday mornings (Sept.-May) and features brunch, socializing, speakers, mission projects and crafts. Learn more and sign up: [thornapple.org/momsonamission](http://thornapple.org/momsonamission).

## MEN | [thornapple.org/men](http://thornapple.org/men)

- **Men's Breakfast** | Saturday, Sept. 15 at 8:00am
- **Men's Retreat** | Sept. 28-30 at Portage Lake

## NEPALI-SPEAKING | [thornapple.org/nepali](http://thornapple.org/nepali)

- **Worship** | Sundays at 10:30am

