

Sermon Notes



GOD DOES SPEAK TO YOU!

“Be still, and know that I am God...” – Psalm 46:10
The reason that God speaks to you is so that you might know Him better. God desires to give you direction, protection, support, and encouragement.

YOU NEED TWO THINGS TO HEAR FROM GOD: His Word and His Spirit

1 Corinthians 3:16; John 14:15-18

In the New Testament, God spoke to His people through His Son from the book of Acts to the present. **God does speak today to you through His Word and through His Spirit.**

1 Corinthians 2:9-12, 14-16

Psalm 119: *“Your word is a lamp for my feet and a light for my path.”*

TO BE STILL, I MUST: Spend time daily with God

Psalm 143:8: *“Let me hear of your unfailing love to me in the morning, for I am trusting you. Show me where to walk, for I have come to you in prayer.”*

Mark 1:35: *“The next morning Jesus awoke long before daybreak and went out alone into the wilderness to pray.”*

John 10:27: *“My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me.”*

Leave the noise behind.

Mark 6:31-32: *Then Jesus said, “Let’s get away from the crowds for a while and rest.” There were so many people coming and going that Jesus and his apostles didn’t even have time to eat. They left by boat for a quieter spot.*

God, I believe you speak to your children. Speak to me today.

Meditate on this scripture, *“Be still, and know that I am God...”* – Psalm 46:10

Schedule 15-20 minutes of quiet time each day this week to listen to God. Bring your Bible with a pen and paper. Ask God one or more of the following questions and pause to “hear” His response:

- What do you think of me? What do you most want to say to me right now?
- What spiritual blessing are you especially eager to give to me?
- What do you want to see happen in my life today?
- Is there a special purpose you have for my life, Lord?



11.04.18

Welcome to West!

We would like to welcome all our guests. Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. Please fill out one of the “Connect Cards” cards and place it in the offering when passed. If you have a need or request you would like to share, the other side of the “Connect Card” is a “Prayer Card.”



All followers of Jesus Christ are welcome to join with us as we partake of Communion this morning. May these moments of reflection be meaningful to you and help renew your spirit for the week ahead. Please partake freely of the Lord’s Supper. One tray will be passed as the bread and juice are double-cupped. Take the cups and hold until you are ready to partake. Pass empty cups to the outside of row and servers will return to pick them up.

Visit our Home Pointe West center this morning for free valuable resources for all seasons of life.

For children’s programs and locations, please see Greeters or Host.

This Week at West

Today

"My Time" College & Youth Adult Ministry
Bible Study Class
9:40 a.m. in the Gym

Adult Bible Study Class
11:00 a.m. in Room 113
"What Jesus Taught About Prayer"
Led by Ron Fisher

Jr./Sr. High Bible Study Class
11:10 a.m. Upstairs

Tuesday

DIVAS at the WELL LIFE Group
Study: *Grace: A Study on Ephesians*
9:15 a.m. at West
Leader: Cindy Klepal
Childcare provided

Wednesday

LINK

Friendship – Fun – Food – Fellowship
For all 4th, 5th & 6th Graders
6:00 to 7:30 p.m. at West

Jr./Sr. High Youth Group
7:00 p.m. at West
Meet in the Gym

Thursday

Single Ladies LIFE Group
6:30 p.m. at 3119 West Jolly Road, Lansing
ALL Ages & Stages of Life
Leader: Ashley Saltsman

Saturday

Men's Breakfast
8:30 a.m. at West
Guest Speaker: Bill Luxmore
He will be sharing a personal testimony on the
power of prayer.

Serving Today

Greeters: Don & Karen Spohn
Host: James Bond
Head Ushers: Dana Perkins (1st); Ron Wise (2nd)
Security: Anil Ganga (1st); Tony Solitro (2nd)
Nursery: Linda Freed (1st)
TBA (2nd)

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The Bulletin and a link to the Church Directory are on our website.
Contact the church office for username/password to access the
Church Directory.

Plan Ahead

A BIG Thank You to everyone who helped out with Trunk or Treat! To those who decorated their cars or a table and passed out candy; the kitchen workers who served hot dogs, coffee & hot chocolate; and those who donated candy... THANK YOU for "Living Your Faith Through Love" to those who live in the neighborhoods around West.



My Time Activities
"Friendsgiving"
November 18 following
second service
Contact Joel
(joel@westlansingchurch.com) for more info
or to RSVP

Like to cook and want to support our young adult ministry? Contact Joel (joel@westlansingchurch.com) on how you can help provide for My Time's "Friendsgiving" celebration.



Christmas on Campus
"An Unlikely Christmas Shepherd"
Friday, December 14 at the Doty Center
Great Lakes Christian College
Tickets are \$10 per person and must be bought
ahead of time by calling 800.965.9324 or online at
iTickets.com.

To Contact Our Ministers:

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Needed monthly to cover basic needs & 15% to Missions: \$31,000
October 2018 Offerings: \$52,130
September 2018 Offerings: \$ 34,400
August 2018 Offerings: \$35,000