

## Usher Schedule

Early Service (8am)		Late Service (10am)
<b>August</b>		
29	Dick Severson	Ben Geisthardt
<b>September</b>		
5	Rich Bartz	Matt Burk
12	Stuart Linger	Dan Huitema
19	Don Korff	Gordie Kamphuis
26	Tim Dillie	Andrew Vis



### Save the Date!!!

#### Fall Outing Sept 26<sup>th</sup> 4pm

Come join us at the Turning Point for fellowship, food, and fun games (including paintball)! More info to follow. If you have any questions, contact the church office.

#### Celebration of Life for Molly Stegeman

#### Saturday Oct 16<sup>th</sup> 11:00am-5pm

Doug is having a celebration for Molly at his home. A light lunch and refreshments will be provided. If you are someone who knew Molly, Doug would love to have you attend. Please RSVP by text: 715-239-1932 or 920-398-3511.

### Today is Our Monthly Benevolence Offering.

The first Sunday of each month there is a benevolence offering. This offering is used to help meet a variety of special needs for people in the area. Please specify donations as benevolence and place in the offering box in the lobby. Thank you!

**Gluten-Free Crackers** will be used for the Lord's Supper today.

Senior Pastor, Gary Zacharias  
 Dir of Student Ministries, Ryan Jingst  
 Pastoral Intern, Mark Sina  
 Dir of Music Ministries, Nate Lehner

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# September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021



# Good Morning Dear Friend.

Thanks for coming to worship with us on this Labor Day Weekend, often considered the end of the summer season (Tho not officially the end of summer). We also come to the end of our look at Judges (Tho not officially the end of Judges). We'll hopefully pick it back up next summer. But this OT book has reminded us how deceptively sinful is the human heart, and how desperate is our need for God, and His deliverance. May that truth cause us to walk with Him daily, in humility and faithful dependence. Thanks again for being with us; have a great week!

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## ORDER OF SERVICE

### Welcome & Announcements

### Worship

### Congregational Prayer

*Ministry For Prayer: Schools and Students*

### Hymn

*(Children may leave for children's church during late service)*

### Message: When the Chickens Come Home to Roost

### The Lord's Supper

### Hymn

### Closing Prayer

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*"Accountability breeds response-ability."*

*-Stephen Covey*

*"When it comes to privacy and accountability, people always demand the former for themselves and the latter for everyone else."*

*-David Brin*

*"The longer I live, the more I am enabled to realize that I have but one life to live on Earth, and that this one life is but a brief life, for sowing, in comparison with eternity, for reaping."*

*-George Muller*

*"Oh, on that day, that wrathful day, When man to judgment wakes from clay, Be Thou, O Christ, the sinner's stay, Though heaven and earth shall pass away."*

*-Walter Scott*

42 The next day the people of Shechem went out to the fields, and this was reported to Abimelek. 43 So he took his men, divided them into three companies and set an ambush in the fields. When he saw the people coming out of the city, he rose to attack them. 44 Abimelek and the companies with him rushed forward to a position at the entrance of the city gate. Then two companies attacked those in the fields and struck them down. 45 All that day Abimelek pressed his attack against the city until he had captured it and killed its people. Then he destroyed the city and scattered salt over it. 46 On hearing this, the citizens in the tower of Shechem went into the stronghold of the temple of El-Berith. 47 When Abimelek heard that they had assembled there, 48 he and all his men went up Mount Zalmon. He took an ax and cut off some branches, which he lifted to his shoulders. He ordered the men with him, "Quick! Do what you have seen me do!" 49 So all the men cut branches and followed Abimelek. They piled them against the stronghold and set it on fire with the people still inside. So all the people in the tower of Shechem, about a thousand men and women, also died. 50 Next Abimelek went to Thebez and besieged it and captured it. 51 Inside the city, however, was a strong tower, to which all the men and women—all the people of the city—had fled. They had locked themselves in and climbed up on the tower roof. 52 Abimelek went to the tower and attacked it. But as he approached the entrance to the tower to set it on fire, 53 a woman dropped an upper millstone on his head and cracked his skull. 54 Hurriedly he called to his armor-bearer, "Draw your sword and kill me, so that they can't say, 'A woman killed him.'" So his servant ran him through, and he died. 55 When the Israelites saw that Abimelek was dead, they went home. 56 Thus God repaid the wickedness that Abimelek had done to his father by murdering his seventy brothers. 57 God also made the people of Shechem pay for all their wickedness. The curse of Jotham son of Jerub-Baal came on them.

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### The Youth Groups Kick Off Next Week

JH Youth Group (grades 6th thru 8th) meets on Wed evenings at 6:30pm at the Turning Point. Students who would like to hitch a ride with the church bus out to the Turning Point must meet at Markesan's Cenex Gas Station (544 N Margaret St) at 6:00pm.

The HS Youth Group meets Sunday nights at 6:30pm.

Feel free to talk with Ryan with any questions (920-229-4980 or email or Facebook him).

### JH Fall Retreat October 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> Lake Lundgren Bible Camp

The cost is \$50/student. **Deadline for registration is Sept 15<sup>th</sup>.** You can get a registration form from Pastor Ryan or on our website. Any questions? Contact Ryan at 920-229-4980.

# Welcome Visitors of Terrace Shores

Please feel free to take a visitor bag with you today!  
In it you'll find an informational brochure and other items we would like you to have for being our guest this morning!

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## Interested in Helping in Afghan Resettlement Efforts?

World Relief Fox Valley will be helping 100 Afghan parolees (government term) settle in the Fox Valley area. One way to serve is a Good Neighbor Team (GNT). This is the primary model of service which will be used in assisting resettlement. This is a group of 6-8 people to walk with a family for 6 months, in helping them to adjust to life in the U.S.. World Relief would train and help you. There will be an informational meeting, Sunday night September 12 at 7 pm, at River Shores Church in Berlin, to interact with World Relief representative Andrew Belcher. You are invited to come and learn different ways we may help meet this need, and share the love of Christ.

## Building Bridges with English

Building Bridges with English is a four-week, facilitated, online course with orientation during the preceding week. It is free and offered several times a year for ReachGlobal staff and members of EFCA churches. This course provides training and resources for individuals wanting to teach English in North America or overseas as a ministry. The course will run from September 29 - October 31. Space is limited. If interested contact the church office for the online class link. Thank you!

## Church Fall Motorcycle Ride Set For Sept 18th

More info to follow in next week's bulletin. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Rich and Terri Bartz at 920-346-2126.

### We want to include you!!

With the precautions we have been taking due to COVID (not passing out our fellowship pads), we may not have any contact info for you and your family. We would like to include you in our directory and email lists (if you're comfortable with that, of course) and you don't have to be a member to be included.

You can fill out the form on the back side of this announcement, tear it off, and drop it in the offering box, email your info to [admin@terraceshores.org](mailto:admin@terraceshores.org), or contact the church office. Thank you!

# "WHEN THE CHICKENS COME HOME TO ROOST"

JUDGES 9:42-57 PASTOR GARY ZACHARIAS

## INTRODUCTION

I. The Truth Catches Up With \_\_\_\_\_ (9:42-49)

II. The Truth Catches Up With \_\_\_\_\_ (9:50-57)

## CONCLUSION

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## Our Daily Bread Devotionals

The Sept-Nov edition is available in the lobby. They are free so help yourself! If you would like to share with someone feel free to take more!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Best #(s) to contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address(es): \_\_\_\_\_

Add to Email List? \_\_\_\_\_ Add to Email Prayer Chain? \_\_\_\_\_

Kids at Home (Names/Ages): \_\_\_\_\_