

(HERE TO SERVE, cont'd from front page)

team here at camp meeting. The medical team consists of eight individuals: two doctors, four nurses, a paramedic and an EMT. The team operates a first aid clinic at the Cedar Lake Elementary school for non-emergency "redi-care," Sunday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

EMT Kurt Willis said that being on call 24/7 is not a problem. He and the team are happy to help others. They are thankful to serve and bless others with their skills here at camp meeting. 🙏



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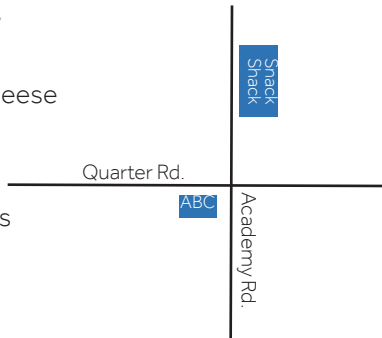
**All proceeds benefit GLAA!**

**Location:** Cedar Reader

**Serving Ice Cream and Slushies!**

**We also serve:**

- Chips n' Cheese
- Corn Dogs
- Hot Dogs
- Fries
- Mac n' Cheese
- Popcorn
- Chips
- Cake Pops
- Drinks



(Produced by Communication Dept.)

## Sacred Quotables

"The moment I realized that God loved me, and God was very real to me in this moment, was when I experienced how my youth pastor really cared about me. He stood there on the stage. He was talking about how he was trying his hardest to spend time in prayer. And he was spending time all night praying, and he was spending time reaching out to the youth. And then he pointed us out by name. And then he looked at me. Tears were rolling down his face. And he said how much he cared about us, and how he really wanted us to go to heaven. And I realized that, if a man, just a human being, can love that way, that God's love is so much more real. And it hit me that I was missing out."

—Jonathan Dugo, 21, Redding, CA



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## Safety & Medical: You're in Safe Hands

Lorrie Reitman, Communication

They pass us on their bikes, morning, noon and night. They stand at the cross walks ready to assist us across the roads. They ride by on golf carts. The Safety team here at camp meeting is ever-present. There are approximately 35 on the Safety crew who are responsible for the security of the entire campground, 24/7.

Teams of three patrol the campground on bikes from early in the morning to late at night. Four to five team members are up through the night for emergencies and maintaining the security of the grounds.

Pastor Victor Vaughn, a retired veteran police officer and assistant director of Safety, told me that the most common issue they deal with is separated children and parents. When this occurs, safety and transportation teams are alerted by radio to look out for the missing party.

**SPEAKING TONIGHT:**  
**Neil Nedley**  
President, Weimar Institute  
  
7:00 PM  
**KNOWING THE TIME**

Parents, be sure your children have their identifying wrist bands on at all times! Vaughn enjoys the contact with people that his job here at camp meeting affords. "It is a pleasure to meet and serve the church here at Michigan camp meeting," he says.

If you have an emergency or need to reach Safety, call 989-427-5202.

Medical personnel work closely with Safety. We are blessed to have such a capable and professional medical

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# Smoothing the Way

Brianna Martin, Communication

Pastor Dan Rachor, Accommodations Chair, understands that his crew is first to meet everyone who comes to camp meeting—and he and his team keep in mind that they don't know what the circumstances are for each individual. "We want this to be a place of peace for everyone who comes through," Pastor Rachor said. "Our mission here is to, within our resources, provide comfortable accommodations so each one can gain the spiritual blessing they came for."

The Accommodations team begins working long before campers arrive to find their cabin, cottage, camp site, or dorm room. They measure, mark out, and prepare each of the 486 camp sites. During camp meeting, Accommodations also helps connect people to the right maintenance teams when something goes wrong, coordinates sewage pumping services for RVs, and rescues those who've locked themselves out.

Pastor Jerryn Schmidt spoke about why he loves working in Accommodations. "I enjoy seeing the excitement on people's faces, especially children, when they arrive. It's a blessing just to be able to help people if they need something and help them find their place."

Once you've found your place at camp meeting, other questions may arise, and that's where the Information team comes in. Their mission is to make sure there is a safe place to ask the questions you need answered. Pastor Mike Szykowski, Information Chair, tells his team, "It's never ok to say, 'I don't know.' We say, 'We'll find out!'"

One of the major responsibilities of the Information team is Lost and Found. Volunteer Elsen Benson says, "I really like being able to help people. I love seeing the joy that lights up their face when we've found something they've lost. To be a part of that answered prayer is so cool!"

If you need to find out where or when something is happening, the information desk, located between the main auditorium and the cafeteria is the place to go. The Information team can also help you with booking a racquetball court or purchasing meal tickets.

In the book *Gospel Workers*, p. 41, Ellen White wrote of Christ, "Varied were the circumstances and needs of those who besought His aid, and none who came to Him went away unhelped." The Accommodations and Information ministry teams seek to follow Christ's example of meeting peoples' needs to smooth the way for the spiritual blessings that camp meeting promises. 📌



## DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

Knowing the time for prayer.

## TODAY'S CAFETERIA MENU

Lunch  
12:15 - 1:15 PM  
Rice, Curry, Black Beans, Vegetables, Salad

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**For Safety and Identification**, all children through age 10 will be given a wrist band by their respective department leaders. Please encourage your children to keep these bands on at all times.

**The Honey Wagon (RV Sewage Pump Services)** will be available starting at 8:00 AM on Friday. The cost is \$25 for pumping both tanks each day. Payment must be made the night before service.

**After each meeting**, the ushers will prepare for the next service. Anything left on the seats will be placed in lost and found. If you are looking for a lost item, please see one of the ushers or go to Information.

**Camp Meeting Photos**—You might have had your picture taken! Be sure to check out the camp meeting photos from our team of photographers. They are here to assist you with the memories you'll be making at this year's camp meeting.



Photos!



### Hours:

Sunday-Thursday: 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Sunday-Thursday evenings: 8:30 PM to 9:30 PM

### Daily Sales:

Thursday: 10% off Signs/GLOW Tracts

### CAFETERIA HOURS

Breakfast: 7:45 AM to 8:30 AM

Lunch: 12:15 PM to 1:15 PM

Dinner: 5:15 PM to 6:00 PM

### MOBILE KITCHEN SPECIALS

Thursday: Spaghetti & meatballs, Italian green

**Livestream Access:** All livestreamed services, plenaries and seminars in the main auditorium can be accessed at: [www.misda.org/livestream22](http://www.misda.org/livestream22).

**Audio | Video Archives:** All messages and seminars presented will be archived at the following links:

**Audio Archives:** ([www.misda.org/audio22](http://www.misda.org/audio22))

**Video Archives:** ([www.misda.org/video22](http://www.misda.org/video22))

**Scan this QR code** for quick and easy access to all camp meeting materials, such as: brochure, seminar/ordination booklets, speaker bios, schedule, kids programming, Sabbath bulletins, site map, livestream access, newsletter archives in color, and more!



Cooling off and having fun with the slip and slide.



The Kindergarten 1 division joined several other divisions for a petting zoo!