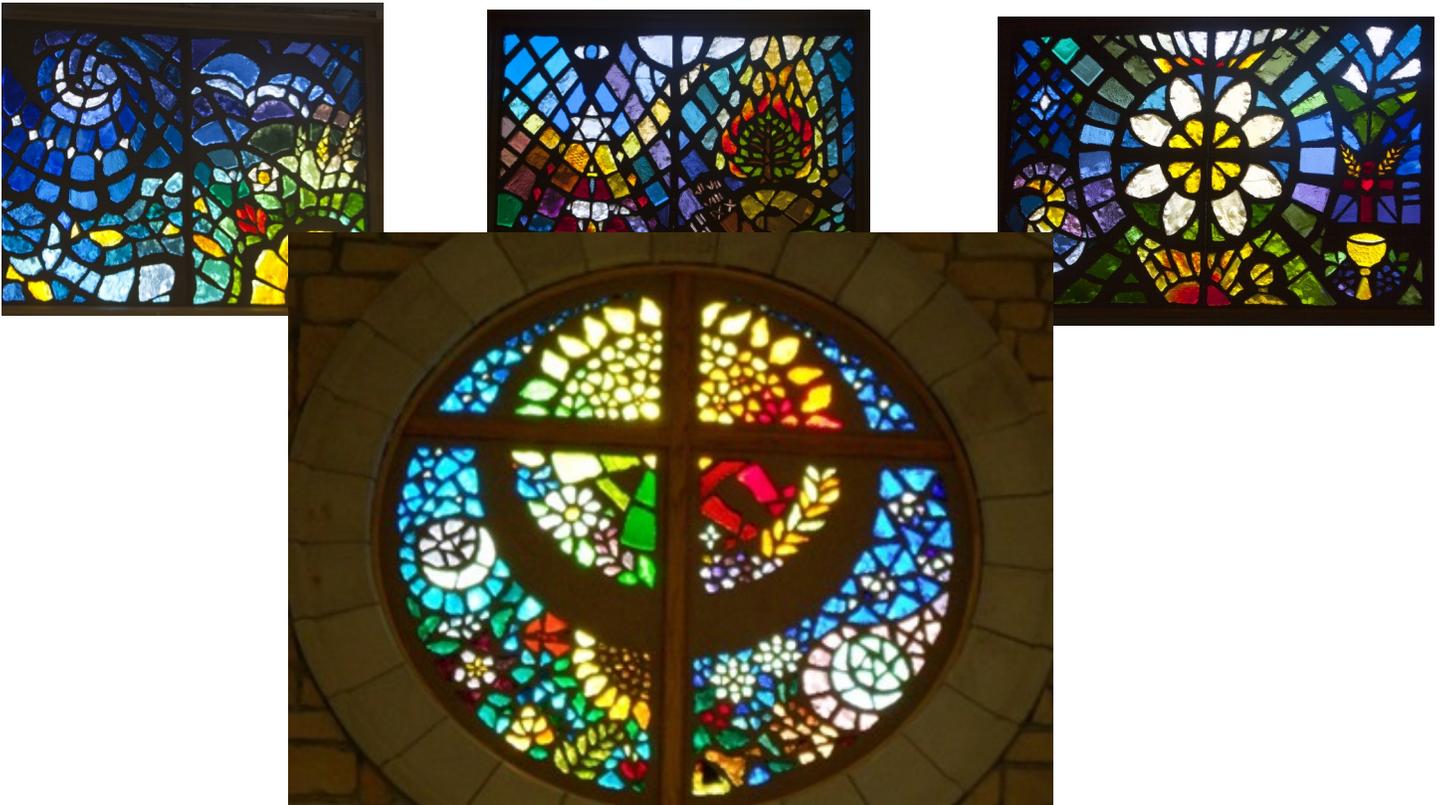


OUR PROPERTY

The Church of The Mediator is located on Red Arrow Highway in Harbert, Michigan, the road which is the main tourist route along the southeast shore of Lake Michigan. We are ideally situated for welcoming visitors. The area is semi-rural, wooded and residential. The church itself is new. The main entrance is off the parking lot and like the rest of the building is handicap-accessible. The church is attractive, bright and open. It is air conditioned. A rose window by a local artist is above the altar, dedicated to our long time rector The Rev. Charles Frandsen.



Dedicated to The Rev. Charles Frandsen

There are cathedral chairs in the nave which provide flexible space. There is a spacious and well-designed sacristy for the altar guild and vesting clergy and a separate vesting room for other service participants. Right outside the entrance to the nave is a formal area with a kitchenette where we have coffee hour and receptions. The attached former church now houses the chapel, offices, and Sunday school on the upper level and a parish hall with kitchen and nursery on the lower level. Both are accessible by stairs or elevator. In addition to giving the church a park-like setting, the generous grounds of the church are used for special occasions in good weather. At this time there are plans and some funds for building a labyrinth and columbarium to the west of the main church building. We are happy to share our wonderful building and grounds with the community as a public service, and as an evangelism tool. Occasionally we have destination weddings performed by other clergy. We host an area food bank in our parking lot several times a year. We welcome theater and music groups to hold performances. One summer weekend each year we host a French Market on the lawn for area vendors. We hope to expand the use of our building to groups like A.A. and Boy and Girl Scouts.

WEDDINGS



MUSIC



AND MORE MUSIC



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS





ANNUAL FRENCH MARKET



FLOWER GUILD



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OUR TOWN AND REGION

Our church community is located in beautiful Southwest Michigan, which is home to many miles of sandy beaches along Lake Michigan with seven beach-towns in the area. It is a resort region that is very active from early spring through late fall. Southwest Michigan also has many inland lakes, rivers and streams for water sports of all kinds. Ski resorts are located within traveling distance. There are several state parks that provide beautiful trails and camping along the shoreline and inland. The area is deemed one of the top places to vacation in the United States. We are about 75 miles east of Chicago, which can be reached by interstate highways and regular passenger rail service. We are about 35 miles from South Bend, Indiana, the home of Notre Dame University, and about 21 miles from Michigan City, Indiana. All of these cities are resources for cultural activities, health care facilities, restaurants and other amenities. About 25 miles north of us in St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, Michigan are the world headquarters of the Whirlpool Corporation, a Fortune 500 company which is the world's largest manufacturer and marketer of home appliances.

