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Contact: David Minard
(517) 756-8000

Bronson "B" Group **Thursday 6:30 p.m.**

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389 Bawden Road, Bronson
Contact: Jim Wickey
(517) 369-6229

Coldwater Group **Monday 7:00 p.m.**

Hosts: Scott and Jan Carpenter
587 Scott Drive, Coldwater
Contact: Scott Carpenter
(517) 278-3376
(Not meeting March 12)

Youth Study Group **Thursday 6:30 p.m.**

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Contact: Sharon McMeen
(517) 227-7540

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**[Mark 3:1-5](#)*

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