**Unless otherwise specified, meetings are held at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (LDS Church), 16036 Old 27 North, Marshall, MI. Meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month (except December, July, August.) All meetings are free and open to the public.**

**September 27-Township Records-An Untapped Source.** Local expert Shirley Hodges will show attendees how to use township records in your research.

**October 25-Vital Records of England and Wales.** Get in touch with your ‘across the pond’ ancestry. Speaker Jeff Mason will provide tips, tricks, and resources for finding your England and Wales ancestors.

**November 22-Polish Genealogy-**Explore your polish roots and learn sources that will help you.

**January 24-Researching Your New England Roots.** Board President Brenda Leyndyke will share tips for researching your roots in the six New England states, Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

**February 28-Meet at Battle Creek Books**, 51 Michigan Ave., Battle Creek, to learn how local history, ethnic, oral history books and more will enhance your family history research.

**March 28-Getting Around the Brick-wall.** Local genealogist, James Jackson, will provide tips and tricks for breaking down the brick-walls in your research.

**April 25-Society Showcase.** Area historical and genealogical societies will present ideas for local research. Learn what is available from their collections to further your research.

**May 23-Meet at The Gardner House Museum, 509 S. Superior St., Albion,** to tour this National Register of Historical Places museum and learn about the history of Albion.

**June 27-Yankees in Michigan.** WMU professor, Brian C. Wilson, will discuss the Yankee, meaning those migrating from New England areas, impact on Michigan, including migration patterns, early settlement, and more.