



GUESTS

Please fill out the Connect Card included in your Welcome Bag and place it in the offering box at the back of the room. If you need a Bible, feel free to ask an usher. Please leave church Bibles on your seats so they may be cleaned following the service.

If you choose to keep your child with you during the service, Sermon Activity Bags are available to help keep your child engaged. Feel free to request one from an usher.

*Our hope and prayer is that you
feel seen, known, and loved as we
worship our great God together!*

Our Pastors

Dr. Gary Hylander
Senior Pastor

Jon MacDonald
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November 29, 2020

The best way to prepare our hearts for the Christmas season is to spend time daily with Jesus. This year, we are utilizing Focus on the Family's, *Preparing the Way for Jesus Advent* devotional guide. Daily readings begin November 29. The guide can be used for personal or family devotions and even includes activity and craft ideas. Regular videos of support, encouragement and inspiration will be provided along the way. Copies of the guide are available on the welcome counters or you may download a copy directly from Focus on the Family at: www.focusonthefamily.com/parenting/advent-calendar/

As the news around us continues to swirl, it's important we tether our souls to our steady, faithful, immovable Rock. Women's Ministries invites all ladies to gather with us at "Pause & Ponder" on Friday evening, December 4 at 7pm. It's a collective opportunity to quiet our hearts before the Lord to worship, soak in scripture, and pray. This physically distanced event will meet in the multi-purpose room. While there is no charge, please register by November 30. Visit the church website (<http://e-free-family.com/ministries/womens-ministries/>) or contact the church office.

Pick up your copy of *Glimpses* and *Focus on the Family Bulletin* in the Welcome Center brochure rack.

Please stop by the Lost & Found to retrieve missing Bibles, gloves, dishes and more.

Next Sunday (and every first Sunday of the month) is **Food Drive Sunday!** Our Love In Action ministry provides food to the church family and the community as needs arise. Any commercially canned or packaged food within their freshness dates, toiletries and paper products should be placed in the bin in the Welcome Center.

Our church will host the live simulcast of Show Hope's **Hope for the Journey Conference** on Friday, April 9. Make plans now to attend! Interested in receiving information about providing respite or foster care? Contact Kristy Pahl, Sheboygan County's Foster Care Coordinator, at 459.3236.

This Week

Tuesday	9:30am GriefShare 6:30pm Women's
Study	6:30pm Precept Study
Wednesday	6:30am Men's Prayer 9:30am Bible Studies 5:00pm Bible Quiz 6:30pm Awana 6:30pm Student Min 6:30pm DivorceCare 6:30pm Women's Study 6:45pm Men's Study 8:00pm Adult Choir
Thursday	6:30pm GriefShare 6:30pm Worship Team
Friday	7:00pm Pause & Ponder

For more information visit us at
www.e-free-family.com

Featured

Black Friday, Cyber Monday, Giving Tuesday? Join us to celebrate the best of this trio as we participate in a **global day of giving**. Would you consider making a special gift to the REACH Campaign and Master Plan project this Tuesday? You can give online at e-free-family.com/resources/master-plan/ or at the church office! Join us as we work together to reach Sheboygan and beyond!

Sheboygan eFree Church

November 29, 2020

Contemporary Service - 9:30am

Welcome and Call to Worship

Pastor Aaron Brown

Hark the Herald Angels Sing/King of Heaven

Hark the herald angels sing glory to the newborn King.
Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled.
Joyful all ye nations rise, join the triumph of the skies,
With angelic host proclaim, Christ is born in Bethlehem.
Hark the herald angels sing, glory to the newborn King.

Hail the heav'n born Prince of Peace, hail the Son of Righteousness.
Light and life to all He brings, risen with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die.
Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.
Hark the herald angels sing, glory to the newborn King.

*King of Heaven come down, King of Heaven, come now.
Let Your glory reign shining like the day, King of Heaven, come.
King of Heaven rise up, Who can stand against us?
You are strong to save in Your mighty name, King of Heaven, come.*

Christ by highest heaven adored, Christ the everlasting Lord.
Late in time behold Him come, Offspring of a virgin's womb.
Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die.
Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.
Hark the herald angels sing, glory to the newborn King.

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Angels We Have Heard on High

Angels we have heard on high, sweetly singing o'er the plains,
And the mountains in reply echoing their joyous strains.

Gloria in excelsis Deo, Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Shepherds, why this jubilee? Why your joyous strains prolong?
What the gladsome tidings be, which inspire your heav'nly song?

Come to Bethlehem, and see Christ whose birth the angels sing;
Come, adore on bended knee Christ the Lord, the newborn King.

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Even So Come

All of creation, all of the earth, make straight a highway a path for the Lord.
Jesus is coming soon.

Call back the sinner, wake up the saint, let ev'ry nation shout of Your fame.
Jesus is coming soon.

*Like a bride waiting for her groom we'll be a Church ready for You.
Ev'ry heart longing for our King, we sing even so come Lord Jesus, come.
Even so, come Lord Jesus, come.*

There will be justice all will be new, Your name forever Faithful and True.
Jesus is coming soon.

So we wait, we wait for You, God, we wait. You're coming soon.

*Like a bride waiting for her groom, we'll be a Church ready for You.
Ev'ry heart longing for our King, we sing like a bride waiting for her groom.
We'll be a Church ready for You. Ev'ry heart longing for our King we sing,
Even so, come Lord Jesus, come. Even so, come Lord Jesus, come.*

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Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

Come Thou long expected Jesus, born to set Thy people free.
From our fears and sins release us, let us find our rest in Thee.
Israel's strength and consolation, hope of all the earth Thou art,
Dear desire of every nation, joy of every longing heart.

Born Thy people to deliver, born a child and yet a King.
Born to reign in us forever, now Thy gracious Kingdom bring.
By Thine own eternal Spirit rule in all our hearts alone,
By Thine all sufficient merit raise us to Thy glorious throne.
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Announcements and Offering Prayer

Pastor Jon MacDonald

I Am Set Free

You broke my chains of sin and shame and You covered me with grace.
You mend my life with Your holy fire, and You cover me with grace,
And You are the hand that reaches out to save.

And I am set free, oh, I am set free, oh. It is for freedom that I am set free.

And I am set free, oh, I am set free, oh. It is for freedom that I am set free.
And yes, Lord, we are grateful for Your grace and for Your love.

You are the hand that reaches out to save

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Message

Dr. Gary Hylander

Song of the Servant, Part 1, Isaiah 42:1-9

Closing Prayer

Postlude

Morning messages can be watched/listened to on our website at [www.e-free-family.com](#).

November 29, 2020
Morning Services

Dr. Gary Hylander
Advent Series

SONGS OF THE SERVANT, PART 1

Isaiah 42:1-9

As we enter into the Advent season, celebrating our Lord's birth, we will take time to consider the four great Songs of the Servant, as found in the book of Isaiah. The *Servant of the Lord* is the governing theme from Isaiah 40 through Chapter 53. At times, the servant pertains to the nation of Israel, and at other times the context points to the individual known as the Messiah.

There are two stanzas to be distinguished in 42:1-9. The first stanza (1-4) contains three *justice* statements, and pertain to the universal promise of *justice* to the nations (see verses 1, 3, and 4). Here, *justice* pertains to God's revealed truth (or religion), and the global missions implications. The second stanza (5-9) stresses *the LORD* (see verses 5, 6, and 8), referring to God's covenantal relationship to us. Let's explore these two stanzas, and learn how these promises point toward our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Sundays in December

Traditional Service 8am

(held in the Sanctuary)

Contemporary Service 9:30am

(held in the Multi-Purpose Room & Livestreamed)

December 6

Songs of the Servant, Part 2

Speaker: Dr. Gary Hylander
Isaiah 49:1-7

December 13

Songs of the Servant, Part 3

Speaker: Dr. Gary Hylander
Isaiah 50:4-11

December 20

Songs of the Servant, Part 4

Speaker: Dr. Gary Hylander
Isaiah 52:13—53:12

December 24

Christmas Eve Services

4pm & 6pm

The Christmas Journey

Speaker: Dr. Gary Hylander
Luke 2:1-21

December 27

Let Your Heart Be Comforted Only by Jesus

Speaker Pastor Jon MacDonald
Luke 2:22-40

