



## 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  
Family Life/Discipleship Pastor

Aaron Brown  
Worship/Technology Pastor

Robert Lee  
Student Ministries Pastor

## December 6, 2020

*Equip* will resume on Sunday, January 10 with, "The Attributes of God."

Beginning NEXT WEEK, 2021 Church Directories will be available for pick up at the Guest Services counter in the Welcome Center.

Also NEXT WEEK, 2021 Offering Envelopes will be available for pick-up at staffed tables in the Welcome Center. If you did not use envelopes last year but wish to this coming year, please notify Ann in the office this week.

We have a limited number of Sheboygan eFree t-shirts available for purchase at a cost of \$9 each. T-shirts are short sleeve gray with a full-color logo on the front. Pick up one for you or a loved one in the office today!

Healing from grief is not easy. It's a long, sometimes painful process. For those experiencing a loss, December can be an excruciatingly painful month. GriefShare offers support and tips for surviving the holidays. Join us on Tuesdays at 9:30am or Thursdays at 6:30pm, we have a place for you.

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.

**Winter Weather Plan:** If weather would cause an event delay or cancellation, announcements will be posted on our church website homepage, as well as WHBL 1330AM radio/website, WTMJ Channel 4, 620TMJ radio/website, and WITI Channel 6 (Fox 6).

Decisions on Sunday events will be made at 6am that day with announcements to the media shortly thereafter. Ministry leaders will be called by their overseeing program staff. Decisions on weekday evening events will be made by 3pm that day, with calls to media and ministries thereafter.

## This Week

Monday	6:00pm Elder Board
Tuesday	9:30am GriefShare 6:30pm Women's
Study	
Wednesday	6:30am Men's Prayer 9:30am Bible Studies 5:00pm Bible Quizzing 6:30pm Awana 6:30pm Student Min 6:30pm DivorceCare 6:45pm Men's Study 8:00pm Adult Choir
Thursday	6:30pm GriefShare 6:30pm Worship Team

For more information visit us at  
[www.e-free-family.com](http://www.e-free-family.com)

## Featured

Every year we look forward to gathering together on **Christmas Eve** to celebrate the birth of our Savior. This year, we'll be offering two service times, 4pm and 6pm, including a livestream option at 6pm. If you know in advance which service you plan to attend, would you help us by calling the office or responding via the link on the website calendar? We want to be prepared with sufficient programs, candles and volunteers for each service. Though not required, your information is appreciated. Come celebrate God's presence with us, beginning that singular night in Bethlehem so long ago!

# Sheboygan eFree Church

December 6, 2020

Contemporary Service - 9:30am

As you enter the room, please **turn your cell phone off** or use vibrate.

## Welcome and Call to Worship

Pastor Aaron Brown

### Joy To The World

Joy to the world the Lord is come, let earth receive her King.  
Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room, and heaven and nature sing,  
And heaven and nature sing.

*We will sing joy.*

Joy to the world the Savior reigns, let men their songs employ.  
While fields and floods, rocks hills and plains, repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat the sounding joy.

*We will sing joy, we will sing joy, we will sing joy, joy to the world.*

He rules the world with truth and grace, and makes the nations prove

The glories of His righteousness, and wonders of His love, and wonders of His love.

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### Go Tell It On The Mountain

While shepherds kept their watching over silent flocks by night,  
Behold, throughout the heavens there shone a holy light.

And the shepherds feared and trembled when, lo! above the earth  
Rang out the angel chorus that hailed our Savior's birth.

*Go tell it on the mountain; over the hills and every where;  
Go tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born.*

Down in a lowly manger the humble Christ was born  
And God sent us salvation that blessed Christmas morn.

He made me a watchman upon the city wall,  
And if I am a Christian, I am the least of all. I am the least of all.

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### O Come All Ye Faithful (Come & Adore)

O come all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant. O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem.  
Come and behold Him, born the King of angels.

*O come let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him,  
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.*

Sing choirs of angels, sing in exultation,  
Sing all ye citizens of heaven above, glory to God, glory in the highest.

We'll worship Christ the Lord, and we will come and adore.

Yea Lord we greet Thee, born this happy morning, Jesus to Thee be all glory giv'n.

Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing.

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### Behold The Lamb

See Him there, the great I Am, a crown of thorns upon His head.  
The Father's heart displayed for us, O God we thank You for the cross.

Lifted up on Calvary's hill, we cursed Your name and even still  
You bore our shame and paid the cost, O God we thank You for the cross.

*Behold the Lamb, the story of redemption, written on His hands.*

*Jesus, You will reign forevermore, the victory is Yours, we sing Your praise,  
Endless hallelujahs to Your holy name, Jesus, You will reign forevermore,  
The victory is Yours.*

All for love, this sacrifice, for every sin our Savior died.  
The Lord of Life can't be contained, our God has risen from the grave,  
Oh, our God has risen from the grave.

When the age of death is done we'll see Your face bright as the sun.  
We'll bow before the King of kings, O God forever we will sing.

You reign forevermore, the victory is Yours, King Jesus reigns forevermore,  
The victory is Yours.

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### Announcements and Offering Prayer

Pastor Jon MacDonald

### Prince Of Heaven

Earth and shadow restlessly hold labors waiting in silent hope,  
For the promise it longs to know what heaven holds.

Then the angels in holy haste lift their anthem,  
Your Savior lays in a manger, in humble form, Your King is born.

*Hail, the Prince of Heaven comes, angel choirs sound the call  
For this babe wrapped in a cloth is the incarnate Word of God.  
All the kingdom and its power resting now in this child, Prince of Heaven, Jesus hope of the world.*

This means mercy in fullest form, loving kindness forever more.  
Son of David and Son of God, He is Christ the Lord.

King of glory we gladly greet, born in wonder and majesty  
Forever worthy the earth will sing, Oh, Prince of Heaven, we worship Thee.

We can know Him, this Prince of Peace, in light of mercy confess our sin,  
Lay our burdens at Jesus' feet, and with gladness sing.

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### Advent Candle Lighting

Melissa Hobbs

### Message

Dr. Gary Hylander

Song of the Servant, Part 2, Isaiah 49:1-7

### Closing Prayer

### Postlude

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

December 6, 2020  
Morning Services

Dr. Gary Hylander  
Advent Series

## **SONGS OF THE SERVANT, PART 2**

*Isaiah 49:1-7*

God entrusted the people of Israel to bring the light of the gospel to the nations around the world. The first book of the Bible records these words to Abraham: “in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed” (Genesis 12:3). The last book of the Bible describes the people of God being ransomed “from every tribe and language and people and nation” (Revelation 5:9).

Isaiah stresses the importance of proclaiming the gospel globally. Through his Servant, the people of Israel and the Messiah were to be a light to the nations. What is interesting, as we noted last week, is that while the mission of being a light to the nations was entrusted to Israel (42:6), in today’s passage this same role is given to the Messiah (49:6). God’s command to be a light to the nations clearly included both the remnant of Israel and the promised Messiah.