

We're Glad You're Here!

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

- 1 **MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME** We invite you to stop by the Gathering Grounds coffee bar in the Welcome Center where we have a delicious cup of coffee/tea waiting for you. If you need a Bible, feel free to ask an Usher.
- 2 **FILL OUT A CONNECT CARD** If you're a guest with us today, please fill out the blue Connect Card included in your Welcome Bag.
- 3 **CHECK YOUR KIDS INTO CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES** Our nursery and kid's ministry (babies through 6th grade) are safe, fun, and centered on God's Word. e-free-family.com/connect/children
- 4 **WALK WITH US** There are Bible-centered options available for everyone on Sunday mornings. Our Teen Bible Fellowships (for Middle & High School students) meet at 9:30am and our adult *Equip* classes meet at 9:30am.

Our Pastoral Staff

Dr. Gary Hylander
Jon MacDonald
Aaron Brown
Robert Lee

Senior Pastor
Family Life/Discipleship Pastor
Worship/Technology Pastor
Student Ministries Pastor

Get Connected

Connect with a smaller group of believers learning from each other and sharing Christ together. e-free-family.com/connect/adults

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February 23, 2020

This Week At eFree

TODAY: Join us at 9:30am in the Sanctuary for a combined *Equip*. Hear a devotional from Pastor Jon, have a time of prayer, and learn more about our upcoming Missions Conference, February 28 through March 1.

TODAY: **Sign-ups and tickets for the Missions Conference (MC2020)** are in the Welcome Center following each service. TODAY is the last day to sign up for the Kick-Off Dinner.

TODAY: The **Kick-Off Rally** for 40 Days for Life is at 4pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 833 Center Avenue, Sheboygan. 40 Days for Life is a grass roots peaceful vigil praying for an end to abortion. We will be praying from 7am to 7pm at 909 S. Taylor Drive/New Jersey Avenue from Ash Wednesday to Palm Sunday. It's simple, but powerful. Contact Germaine Souik, campaign leader, 920.458.9120, ggsouik@gmail.com or www.40daysforlife.com/sheboygan.

FRIDAY: **Conference Kick-Off Dinner** at 5:45pm in the Multi-Purpose Room followed by the **Evening Service** at 7pm in the Sanctuary.

SATURDAY: The conference continues with the **Men's Potluck Breakfast**, 7:45am; **Women's Potluck Brunch**, 10:30am; **Workshops** at 1pm and 2pm; the **Brat Fry** Fundraiser from 4:30-5:30pm; and the **Evening Service** at 5:30pm.

Calendar

Monday	6:15pm	Missions Committee
Tuesday	9:30am	GriefShare
	6:30pm	Women's Bible Study, Nancy V.'s home
Wednesday	6:30am	Men's Prayer Meeting
	9:15am	Women's Bible Study
	9:30am	Men's and Women's Bible Studies
	4:30pm	Bible Quiz Practice
	6:30pm	Awana
	6:30pm	Middle & High School Youth Groups
	6:30pm	Men's Bible Study
	6:30pm	DivorceCare (1921 North Ave., Sheboygan)
	8:00pm	Adult Choir (7:30pm Sectional)
Thursday	6:30pm	GriefShare
Friday	5:45pm	Missions Conference (MC2020) Kick-Off Dinner
	7:00pm	MC2020 Evening Service
Saturday	7:45am	MC2020 Men's Potluck Breakfast
	10:30am	MC2020 Women's Potluck Brunch
	1:00pm	MC2020 Workshops
	2:00pm	MC2020 Workshops
	4:30pm	MC2020 Brat Fry Fundraiser
	5:30pm	MC2020 Evening Service

For additional details, visit e-free-family.com/events/upcoming-events/calendar

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Need to Know Where Your Kids Go Today?

8am

Early childhood (infants—pre-kindergarten)

9:30am

Early childhood (infants — pre-kindergarten)

Elementary (K-6th grade)

Middle School (7/8th grade), High School (9-12th grade), Special Needs

11am

Early childhood (infants — pre-kindergarten)

Elementary (K-6th grade)



Prayer Ministries

Please pray for the Forever Faithful Ministry Team: Tom & Denise F., Stew G., Nancy H., Brian & Barbara L., Rendy & Sue L., Paula M., Tim & Pat P., and Jim & Karen V. Pray for them as they serve Christ through potlucks, programs and music.

Student Ministries

Student Ministries will be hosting an Italian dinner and annual cake auction on Friday, March 13. Proceeds from this annual fundraiser will be used for "Serve Sheboygan", an at-home mission trip this summer that will focus on reaching our neighbors and community. Tickets for the dinner will be \$5 per person (4 and under are free). Dinner will begin at 6pm followed by the cake auction. Support our youth in their efforts to "gather and scatter".

eFree Family News

The 2020 Nominations Committee consists of Pastor Jon MacDonald, Paul B., and Dale V. We are prayerfully pursuing nominations of men who meet the criteria who would be willing to serve 3-year terms as Elders and Deacons. We invite you to participate by praying, and by nominating men for these crucial leadership positions. Keep in mind that Elders tend to shepherd people and teach the Word, while Deacons tend to steward resources and meet physical needs. By church policy, men must be at least 30 years of age and have been a church member for at least 2 years. Nomination forms are available in the Church Office and must be turned in by next Sunday, March 1. The new terms of service will begin July 1, 2020.

As was announced last week, our long-time head custodian, Sandy Gibson, will be retiring at the end of May. We thank her for her many years of service. An opportunity will be provided for the congregation to express their appreciation as a church family.

The Spring Directory Update will be available next Sunday, March 1. Contact the church office if you have any change in your contact information.

Take control of your financial future once and for all! The next 9-week session of Financial Peace University begins Tuesday, March 3 at 6:30pm. Child-care will be provided. Buy your FPU kit at www.financialpeace.com/groups/1114626.

Congratulations to Andrew and Caitlyn S. on the birth of their daughter.

As you prepare your heart for this year's Missions Conference, themed "No Fear", take a moment to stop by the church library to look at this month's featured titles and many more.

- Find out what God did through eight ordinary women and what He can do through you in *When Others Shuddered*, by Jamie Janosz.
- What happens when a nineteen-year-old boy leaves home and heads into the jungles to evangelize a murderous tribe of South American Indians? Bruce Olson's story, *Bruchko*, will amaze you and remind you that simple faith in Christ can make anything possible.
- *William Carey*, by YWAM Publishing, tells the story of William's single-minded determination to set his face like a flint to the task of bringing the gospel to those lost in darkness.
- *Foxe's Book of Martyrs* by John Foxe will stir you, challenge you, and inspire you to surrender everything to Christ. Martyrdom is not just a thing of the past.