livestream, 9:30am

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Go to YouTube to join the livestream. To interact with others during the service, you will need to log into your Google account.

Online guests are invited to fill out a Connect Card.

We love you and your family, and we long to help each other raise our children for the glory of God. Our Children's Ministry Coordinator, Gwen MacDonald has several resources on our website to help you make the most of the service together.

Walk with us through these days! While our in-person meetings are currently suspended, we have many ways to deliver encouragement, teaching and information for the whole church family!

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You can mail your offering directly to the church at 1710 N. 15th Street, Sheboygan, WI 53081. Online Giving is available and is secure and constant. Entrance B is open if you prefer to drop off your offering in person. If you have any questions, please contact our church bookkeeper, Ann Tuneberg at ann.t@e-free-family.com.

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May 3, 2020

efree Family News

If you have a student who is graduating from high school and would like to be part of the Graduation Sunday celebration on the morning of June 7, please contact Kim Buhr at kim.b@e-free-family.com.

Faith Community Nursing Open Office Hours are temporarily suspended. Help is available by calling the church office, 920.452.6520, from 9am-5pm Monday through Friday or by calling Kristie Ahlborg, FCN Coordinator, at 920.946.8548.

DivorceCare is active and meeting virtually at 7pm on Wednesday evenings. Interested attendees need to register at www.divorcecare.org to receive a Zoom link to join in.

Pastor Robert is posting **Youth Group** sermons each Wednesday at noon on our YouTube channel. If you are or have a 7-12 grade student interested in participating in a small group discussion Wednesday evenings, please contact Kim Buhr at kim.b@e-free-family.com.

Thursday, May 7, is the **National Day of Prayer**, and we are asking you to join us in prayer for and with our country at 6:3pm on Zoom (.com). This year's theme is to *Pray God's Glory* over all the earth. The National Day of Prayer exists with the longing and intent for individuals, churches and spiritual leaders in America to humble ourselves and unify in prevailing prayer for God to work in the coming days. To prepare your heart, invest time in Habakkuk 2:14. Our service will last about one hour and will include music, a brief devotional form Pastor Gary and extended time in prayer for our governing authorities, our schools and families, help for our medical community and healing from coronavirus, an improvement in economics and the fruitfulness and effectiveness of the church in these days. You will have an opportunity to pray out loud during the meeting, if you desire. May God exalt Jesus Christ in our hearts and in response to our prayers! If you go to Zoom and "join a meeting" you can just type in "707 928 8267" (like a phone number) and you will join with us. We will also send out links to the whole church family via email and on Facebook by Tuesday (May 5) afternoon.

On May 13 from 6pm-7pm we will have an **Awana Grand Finale Drive-Up**. Families can pull into the church parking lot and pick up any awards their clubber earned that year along with a little bag of treats. Every clubber will get one! Further details are forthcoming, so parents, check your email inbox in the coming weeks. Hope to see you there!

Leadership is developing how and when to hold our **Spring Body Life Update**. We want to provide sufficient information while protecting the confidentiality of church information and the privacy of our members.

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May 3, 2020

Sheboygan Evangelical Free Church

Livestream Service - 9:30am

Welcome and Prayer

Pastor Aaron Brown

Great Things

Come let us worship our King, come let us bow at His feet, He has done great things. See what our Savior has done, See how His love overcomes, He has done great things, He has done great things.

O Hero of Heaven You conquered the grave, You free every captive and break every chain, O, God ,You have done great things. We dance in Your freedom awake and alive, O, Jesus, our Savior, Your name lifted high, O, God, You have done great things.

You've been faithful through every storm, You'll be faithful forevermore, You have done great things, and I know You will do it again, For Your promise is yes and amen, You will do great things, God, You do great things.

Hallelujah, God above it all, Hallelujah, God unshakable,

Hallelujah, You have done great things,

You have done great things, You have done great things, O, God, You do great things. CCLI Song # 7111321 Jonas Myrin | Phil Wickham © Capitol CMG Paragon (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Son of the Lion (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) Phil Wickham Music (Fair Trade Music Publishing [c/o Essential Music Publishing LLC]) Simply Global Songs (Fair Trade Music Publishing [c/o Essential Music Publishing LLC]) Sing My Songs (Fair Trade Music Publishing [c/o Essential Music Publishing LLC]) For use solely with the SongSelect® <u>Terms of Use</u>. All rights reserved. <u>www.ccli.com</u> CCLI License # 449536

Give Us Clean Hands

We bow our hearts, we bend our knees; Oh Spirit, come make us humble. We turn our eyes from evil things; Oh Lord, we cast down our idols.

So give us clean hands, give us pure hearts; Let us not lift our souls to another. So give us clean hands, give us pure hearts; Let us not lift our souls to another.

O God, let us be a generation that seeks, That seeks Your face, O God of Jacob. O God, let us be a generation that seeks, That seeks Your face, O God of Jacob. Words and Music Charlie Hall, c2000 worshiptogether.comsongs/Six Steps Music, CCLI#44953

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 every nation shout of Your fame. Jesus is coming soon.

Like a bride waiting for her groom we'll be a church ready for You. Every 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. Like a bride waiting for her groom, we'll be a church ready for You. Every heart longing for our King, we sing even so come.

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Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)

Amazing grace how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me, I once was lost but now I'm found, was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved, How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.

My chains are gone, I've been set free, my God, my Savior has ransomed me, And like a flood His mercy reigns, unending love, amazing grace.

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine, But God, Who called me here below, will be forever mine.

Will be forever mine, You'll be forever mine. Words & Music Chris Tomlin, Edwin Othello Excell, John Newton, John P. Rees, Louie Giglio ©2006 worshiptogether.comsongs, six steps music, CCLI#449536

Announcements and Offering Prayer

Pastor Jon MacDonald

Offertory

New Wine

In the crushing in the pressing You are making new wine. In the soil I now surrender, You are breaking new ground.

You are breaking new ground.

So I yield to You and to Your careful hand When I trust You I don't need to understand

Make me Your vessel, make me an offering, Make me whatever You want me to be. I came here with nothing, But all You have given me, Jesus bring new wine out of me.

Jesus bring new wine out of me, Jesus, bring new wine out of me.

'Cause where there is new wine, there is new power, there is new freedom, And the kingdom is here, I lay down my old flames to carry Your new fire today. CCLI Song # 7102397 Brooke Ligertwood © 2017 Hillsong Music Publishing Australia (Admin. by Capitol CMG Publishing) For use solely with the SongSelect® <u>Terms of Use</u>. All rights reserved. <u>www.ccli.com</u> CCLI License # 449536

Message The Final Say, Acts 12:1-25 Dr. Gary Hylander

Closing Prayer

Postlude

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

Dr. Gary Hylander Acts Series Selected Passages

THE FINAL SAY Acts 12:1-25

As the gospel was advancing beyond Jerusalem, persecution was intensifying within Jerusalem. As you begin reading Acts 12, notice the words "About that time Herod the King laid violent hands on some who belonged to the church" (Acts 12:1). This Herod, part of the Herodian dynasty, was Herod Agrippa I, the grandson of Herod the Great. Agrippa I ruled Palestine from A.D. 37-44, while serving under the Roman emperors Caligula and Claudius.

Throughout the gospels, the dynamic trio of Peter, James, and John stand at the forefront. Now, as persecution intensifies, James is killed and Peter is imprisoned. There will come a time when John is banished to the Island of Patmos. While the days might have seemed dark, and those opposed to God's work seemed to be getting their way, note how in the end, God has the final say.