

August 12, 2018

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH PASTORAL TEAM

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WELCOME!

We're glad you've chosen to worship with us! Please stop by Guest Services for a gift and complimentary coffee/tea at the coffee bar.

GET CONNECTED

8am Traditional Service (Sanctuary)

For Kids

Early Childhood (infants through pre-kindergarten)

9:30am Contemporary Service (Multi-Purpose Room)

For Kids

Early Childhood (infants through pre-kindergarten)
Elementary (K-6th grade)

For Students

Middle and High School Special Needs

For Adults

Bring It To Life, room 108
Second Chances, North Fellowship Hall

11am Contemporary Service (Multi-Purpose Room)

For Kids

Early Childhood (infants through pre-kindergarten)
Elementary (K-6th grade)

For Adults

Second Chances, North Fellowship Hall

FOR THE CHURCH FAMILY

We are commemorating the Lord's Supper TODAY in all three services.

The Master Plan Team has scheduled two more listening sessions for the purpose of gaining input from the congregation and sharing information as it becomes more defined. The sessions are scheduled:

- TODAY, 9:30am
- August 26, 11am

Due to the office remodel, there are **pieces of furniture available to the congregation on a donation basis**. These include tables, desks, chairs, etc. Pictures of each item are posted on the office window wall. If you would like any of the items, please bring your donation to the office and let us know which item(s) you want. Please arrange pick-up of items with Steve Ertel.

During the month of August, we'll host the following trainings for some of our ministries:

- ♦ ***Current and prospective Student Ministries Leaders***, join us TODAY at 9:30am.
- ♦ There will be a ***Team Meeting for all Sunday morning Children's Ministry volunteers*** this Wednesday at 6:30pm.
- ♦ ***Current and prospective Awana workers*** join us next Sunday at 9:30am.

We look forward to seeing you!

GET INVOLVED

Remember to vote in the Partisan Primary this Tuesday. Go to <https://wifamilyaction.org/category/election-central/voter-guides/> for information on where various candidates stand on key issues.

Join Pastor Richard A. as he presents his **creation booth at the County Fair**. This is a great opportunity to share the gospel from a Biblical creationists point of view. He is looking for helpers to serve 4-8 hour shifts. Please contact him for more information. Please pray for this ministry; we will reach thousands of people during this five day fair.

If you are newer to the church or have a prayer request, please fill out a Connect Card at Guest Services. We'd love to hear from you!

THIS WEEK (August 12-18) AT eFree...

Sunday	7:00am	Weekly Prayer
	8:00am	Traditional Service, Sanctuary
	9:30am	Contemporary Service, MPR
		Christian Education (babies-High School)
		<i>Equip</i>
		Student Ministries Leader Training
		Master Plan Team Listening Session
	11:00am	Contemporary Service, MPR
		Christian Education (babies—Grade 6)
		<i>Equip</i>
Monday	1:00pm	Worship Committee
	6:55pm	Softball Game, Wildwood Ball Diamond, #1
Tuesday		Voting Partisan Primary
	9:00am	GriefShare
Wednesday	6:30am	Men's Prayer Meeting
	9:30am	Play Group/Bible Study, offsite
	6:30pm	Student Ministries Ultimate Frisbee, offsite
	6:30pm	Children's Ministries Staff Meeting
	8:00pm	Adult Summer Choir
Thursday	6:30pm	GriefShare

UPCOMING EVENTS

Middle and High School students, come this Wednesday from 6:30-8pm for a night of Ultimate Frisbee.

Families of students entering grades 6-12 are invited to a picnic offsite on Wednesday, August 29. The potluck supper begins at 6pm. Meat will be provided and a Signup Genius link will be emailed closer to the event. Yard games and the baseball diamond will be available, as well as a bouncy house for the younger children. Don't miss this opportunity to reconnect before the new program year and hear Pastor Aaron present what's new and upcoming for Student Ministries!



begINS September 5!

The 2018-19 program year is upon us, and it's time to register for Awana, our Wednesday evening programming for children ages 3-grade 6. From 6:30-8pm, Awana reaches students with the Good News of Jesus Christ and trains them to know, love, and serve Him. Club is divided into three segments:

- Age-appropriate games on the Awana game circle
- Small group interaction and completion of Bible-based lessons
- Bible teaching, worship, award presentations, and the Gospel message

Parents are encouraged to pre-pay the costs for the program prior to the first night. Dues are \$0.50 per week or \$16 per year or \$8 for one-half year; handbooks are \$10 each; uniforms are as follows:

- **Cubbies blue vest** (M, L, XL, XXL) \$14
- **Sparks red vest** (M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL) \$15
- **T&T Ultimate Adventure uniform** (Y12, 14 or Adult S, M) \$18
- **T&T Ultimate Challenge uniform** (YM, L or Adult S, M, L, XL) \$18

K-6 clubbers whose pre-registrations are received by 8/31/18 will receive an Awana share; clubbers whose payments are received by 8/31/18 will receive an extra 5 Awana shares.

There are 3 ways to register:

- Online: www.e-free-family.com (Those registering online will need to see the Awana Secretary to complete a medical release form.)
- Sunday mornings in the Welcome Center (**Aug. 19, 26, & Sept. 2**)
- Weekdays in the church office, 9am-5pm



Want to get involved? Contact Commander Mike V., Head Awana Secretary Marti W., or Awana Ministry Assistant, Yvonne M. at 452.6520.

LifeGroups

Life Groups are the first place of connection. They are committed groups of 8-12 people who come together twice per month to:

Share life in Christ by applying God's Word to our lives. Most Life Groups will discuss the sermon which was taught on the previous Sunday in order to understand it more fully, live it out more obediently, and surrender our lives more completely. **Share Christ.**

Care for each other by giving and receiving physical and spiritual nurture. Life Groups flourish when we provide advice, encouragement, presence, meals, muscle, and help to one another. In a Life Group you will do life together, and the "big church" will "feel smaller." **Care for friends.**

Pray together by learning to seek God's face, not just his hand. God changes things through prayer--our own admission that we are weak, and our learning how to ask God to do what only he can do. You will pray, and learn to seek God in a Life Group. **Pray to God.**

Groups are currently forming in preparation for the kick-off to a new year!

If you are interested in joining a Life Group, register in the Welcome Center, church office or online (www.e-free-family.com/life-groups/).

Summer Choir



Are you interested in joining the choir? You have an opportunity to give it a try this summer! Following a hiatus during the month of July, the first service choir has resumed rehearsals on Wednesdays at 8pm.

This will be "Summer Choir," with one rehearsal each Wednesday for the following Sunday. If you would like to give choir a try during this period, you are welcome to join us on Wednesday evenings!

If you have any questions, contact Lynne Z., Choir Director