## Welcome to Worship!

Pine City Evangelical Free Church-Lighthouse Sunday, February 24, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

If you are visiting today, we welcome you! If there is any way that our staff or church family can be of assistance to you today or throughout the week, please call the office at 629.2584. We invite you to sign our guest register at the Welcome Desk or use the communication card located at the bottom right of your bulletin as an avenue to communicate with staff or elders.

### Call to Worship

**Welcome & Announcements** 

**Praise & Worship** 

Offering

Message- Pastor Joel Preston "Faith and Conflict" (James 4:1-12)

**Closing Song** & Benediction

# **Sunday Morning Ministry Team**

{Next Sunday, March 3} Greeters-Todd & Kari Johnson

Host/Hostess-Laura Kryzer Ushers- Lonnie J/Jim A/Ken K Nursery-Kelly A/Peyton/Carter

Morning Coffee- Chris J/Mary O Team

This Week

at Pine City EFC (sun) Feb 24

Sunday School 9:00 am 10:00 am Worship

### (mon) Feb 25

**Young Adults** 7:00 pm (Please note that at times the Young Adults meet at varying locations. Text 320.438.4209 for the location of meeting).

### (tues) Feb 26

Ally Sutter's Baby Shower 6:30 pm

(wed) Feb 27 Women's Prayer 1:00 pm Awana 6:00 pm Jr. High Frontline 6:00 pm Sr. High Frontline 7:00 pm

### (thurs) Feb 28

Men's Bible Study & Prayer 8:30 am

### (fri) Mar 1

**Bulletin Announcement Deadline** 9:00 am Join us for a

shower

# honoring hayden michael

newborn son of ally sutter excited grandparents eric & Kathy witke



6:30 PM

Lighthouse







Saturday, March 2, 2019 - 8:30 to 11:45 am CrossPoint Church – 9801 France Ave. – Bloomington, MN Help for church leaders in addressing the inevitable conflict experienced in life, ministry, and relationships.

Jan Nettleton a call at 763.222.9206

• New Horizon Thrift Store is looking for a few more

volunteers. If you'd like to help out at the store, give

Warroad Trip is coming up May 1-5. It is the perfect

opportunity to go on a short term missions trip and

share the love of Christ with others. If you are inter-

ested give Jim or Kim Aleckson a call at

Baby shower for Hayden Michael, newborn son of

**Announcements** 

320.469.7567.

**Upcoming Events** 

ONE BODY - MANY FRUSTRATIONS An MCMA Leadership Semin low to Wisely Deal with Conflict

Saturday, March 2, 2019 - CrossPoint Church - Bloomington, MN 3:30 am • Breakfast and Resources from MCMA 9:00 am • Session 1 – IT'S AN INSIDE JOB! The first and most important person to manage in a conflict is yourself! We will cover how to manage your emotions so you can sleep at night, the fact that someone doesn't seem to like you, how to maintain a healthy home life in the midst of conflict and other important topics to help you persevere and finish the 10:00 am + Break 10:15 am • Session 2 - LEADING THROUGH CONFLICT

1:45 am + Final Thoughts, Closing Prayer, and Dismissa Attend either as an individual or as a eadership team to develop a strategy on how to resolve conflict that is currently holding back your progress

# Bringing the **Church Library to You!**

We have a new display (thank you to Joanne Shuey) set up in the foyer which has a selection of wonderful books taken from our church library. Check out the beautiful children's books and videos.



Ally Sutter and excited grandparents Eric and Kathy Witke, this Tuesday, Feb 26 at 6:30 p.m., Lighthouse.

"Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love." Eph. 4:15-16

Elijah and Karen's colors are: kitchen (white/cream/tan), living room (brown/rust/ purple), bedroom (gray/ white), and bathroom (gray/white)

Elijah Johnson, son of Todd and Kari Johnson, is getting married to someone very special who he met at the University of Northwestern!

Karen Moe is that special someone and they plan to marry in April!

Please join us at a bridal shower in honor of Karen Moe Monday, March 18 at 7:00 p.m. North Campus, Lighthouse

Wear your favorite kitchen apron to the shower and bring your favorite kitchen tips!



# February/March Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 23 Nancy Mollhoff Wayne Smith
- 26 Carter Allen Grace Anderson
- 27 Chris Johnson Noelle Roubinek
- 1 Josh & Shannon Theisen
- 2 Tim Paver
- 3 Alex Johnson
- 4 Gwen Gordon losh Theisen

- 5 Mark LeBrun
- 8 Logan Vinaja
- 9 Eva Johnson
- 11 LaVona Brackenbury Mark & Traci LeBrun
- 13 Micah Hogberg Spencer Sieling
- 14 Ellen Lance Brenda Puliu
- 15 Aaleaha Thieman 16 Nathan Hogberg
- 17 | leff Titus

- 21 Lindsey Kline
- 23 Shervl Craven
- 26 Greig & Sara Roubinek
- 27 Isaiah Gonyea Glenn and Reneé Larsen **Jody Thieman** Ainsley Vinaja
- 28 Gene Carlson Anton Cruz
- 29 Reid Ovick
- 31 Randy Armstrong

# PRAYER and PRAISE!

"This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, He hears us." -1 John 5:14

Focus on the PCEFC Family: Dawn Ashcroft

Continued prayer for Sondra Arntsen Please pray for strength and healing for Sondra. Please pray for wisdom in knowing how to treat the cancer. Thank you, church family.

Ina France is now at Northern Pines Please be in prayer for Ina as she adjusts to this change. For cards and visits the address is: Northern Pines, 1305 8th Street SW, Pine City, MN 55063

An update from Lona Bavier- "My Dad is doing well after having surgery because of bleeding on his brain this past week. We have seen significant improvement and are very thankful for the skilled care he has received in Fargo. Top notch hospital. We found out his neuro surgeon is from Pennsylvania. The hospital flies him in for 2 week stretches. He is so skilled and very kind and caring. Thanks for your prayers."

Happy Birthday to Wayne Smith! Wayne's birthday was yesterday, Saturday, February 23. We love you Wayne and appreciate all you have done and are doing for PCEFC as you have served and are serving in our church family! If you would like to send a card or call I am including his address and phone number. Northern Pines, 1305 8th Street SW, Apt #13, Pine City, MN 55063. Phone: 320.279.2024

### **FRONTLINE**

Those with missions trip funds, please bring them Wednesday since there was no youth group last Wednesday because of the snow storm. See everyone this Wednesday!



### **ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE**

Direct link: https://www.pcefc.com/giv Or go to: www.pcefc.com Click on: How Do I? Then, click on: Give Online

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e	Feb 3 Feb 10		\$	4,682.21
	Feb 10		\$	3,350.09
	Feb 17		\$	4,368.20
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### **Pine City EFC Prayer Requests & Comment Card**

Please use this card to communicate a prayer need or comment you have. Please place the card in the offering basket.

Prayer Request	Please sign me up for
Share with Prayer Team	Prayer Team (email)
Share only with Pastor and Elders	Email Event Reminders
Email Address	Phone
Prayer Request/Comment	
Name (optional)	

### Faith and Conflict

II.

James 4:1-12

If you have personal relationships, you will have conflict. Even the early church had conflict! Why? The early church was made up of people! Therefore, many first century churches wrestled with conflicts between its members. The believers James wrote to also had conflicts. He writes this passage to show them the role faith plays in our conflicts.

I. Three Kinds of Conflict We All Experience - Vs. 1-5, 11-12

Α.	conflict - vs. 1-3; Romans 7; Proverbs					
	13:10					
	*This is the for all other co	onflicts!				
В.	B conflict - <b>vs. 11-12, 2:1, 3:14</b> ; <b>Ephesia</b> r					
	4:32					
C.	conflict - <b>vs. 4-5</b>					
	1. Remember our 3 the w	orld ( <b>vs. 4</b> ),				
	the flesh (vs. 1, 5) and the devil (vs. 7).					
	2. By we are in confli	ct with God -				
	Vs. 4; Romans 5:10, 8:5-8; Colossians 1:21					
Нον	How our Faith Helps us Find Hope in Conflict - Vs. 6-10					
**	**Living and living the gospel brir	ngs hope!**				
Но	How can we find gospel-hope for our conflicts?					
A.	A. <b>H</b> ourselves before God - <b>vs. 6</b> -7	7a				
В.	B. <b>O</b> our enemy, the devil - <b>vs. 7b</b>					
C.	C. <b>P</b> our hearts through repentance	ce - <b>vs. 8, 9</b>				
D.	D. <b>E</b> our faith humbly - <b>vs. 10</b>					

Application - Are you applying gospel-hope to your conflicts?

# Welcome to Pine City Evangelical Free Church!

We are thrilled that you are with us today and hope you feel at home as we worship. Our desire is that you come to know more about Christ and grow in your walk with Him. Please fill out the information card below. If you have a prayer request or comments, please use the other side. Detach card and place in offering plate. *Thank you!* 

Date	, 2019 Visitor	Children
Name		Name — Birthday//
Address		Name
City	State/Zip /	Birthday//
		Name
Phone	/	Birthday//
Email		NameBirthday / /
Birthday/	Anniversary/	Name
Spouse	Birthday /	Birthday//

# WELCOME to our guests

We hope you enjoy being with us today. Our desire is that you come to know more about Christ at Pine City EFC. Whether you are just starting your search for God or want to grow in your relationship with Him, we are delighted you are here! If you are searching for a church home, we would like you to know that there is a special place for you here. We hope you find us warm and welcoming as well as providing you with Christ-centered teaching, God-exalting worship and fellowship.

We desire that you feel at home here and are able to discover, develop and use the gifts and abilities that God has given you. The best way to get to know others and enjoy fellowship, is to join us on Sunday mornings for worship and through other ministries and Christian Education opportunities that we provide on Sunday mornings and throughout the week.

# We invite you to the following get-acquainted opportunities

**The Welcome Desk** is provided for you to ask questions, get answer to those questions and provide you with information about our ministries and opportunities. If visiting, please sign the Guest Register!

**Communication Cards** are inside your bulletin. Please use this card to communicate with any ministry team leaders, staff persons or pastor. There is also a place on the back of the card for prayer requests and comments. Please place the card in the offering plate. Thank you!

**Introduce Yourself to Someone,** they might be new, too! Take a moment to stop and get to know that individual who sat next to you!

**Sunday Morning Christian Education Classes** for all ages at 9:00 a.m. (Fall through Spring) All classes are located at our South Campus Building.

### **PCEFC Mission Statement**

"Driven by the gospel and supported with prayer,
we exist to worship God authentically,
enjoy Christ's supremacy,
treasure Scripture mightily,
care for each other passionately,
and reach out to others tenderly
with the saving message of Jesus Christ."

### **Pine City EFC Elders**

Andrew DeVall • Jim France • Tim Geisler • Michael Joneson • Dan Pulju • Jim White

### **Pine City EFC Pastoral Ministry Staff**

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### **Pine City EFC Operational Ministry Staff**

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Ashley Erickson, Treasurer • Sue Millstead, Financial Secretary
Loreal Lindstrom, Facilities Coordinator • Reneé Vandeberg, Custodial

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