

Welcome to Worship!

Pine City Evangelical Free Church— Lighthouse
Sunday, May 9, 2021 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 use the communication card located at the bottom right of your bulletin as an avenue to communicate with staff or elders. Just place in the offering box as you exit today.

Call to Worship— One Thing Remains & Welcome

Announcements

& Prayer— Pastor Joel

Child Dedication

Bringing their children before the Lord:

Andrew & Niki DeVall *with* Lydia
Jerome & Ashley Erickson *with* Theo
Kris & Megan Moulton *with* Elijah & Jacob
Jennifer Neel *with* Gabriel & Hunter
Caleb & Melissa Nelson *with* Otto

Songs- *Who You Say I Am*
Great is Thy Faithfulness

Prayer

Sermon — Pastor Joel Preston
He is Faithful (2 Timothy 2:8-13)

Closing Song— *You Never Let Go*

Benediction

Sunday Morning Ministry Team

Ushers— Today- Dan M/Lonnie J
Next Sunday- Dan M/Caleb H
Nursery (0-3 years old)
Today—Sue K/Brooklyn & Brittany S
Next Week— Julie & Ainsley V

This Week at Pine City EFC (sun) May 9

Worship 10:00 am

(mon) May 10

(tues) May 11

(wed) May 12

Women's Prayer 1:00 pm
Awana 6:00 pm
Frontline 7:00-8:30 pm

(thurs) May 13

Men's Bible Study & Prayer 8:30 am

(fri) May 14

Bulletin Announcement Deadline 9:00 am



Please come to a baby shower for
Lydia Eloise
newborn daughter of Andrew & Niki DeVall
Thursday, May 20 6:00 PM

Ladies, please join us in honoring Niki & celebrating her newborn daughter Lydia, at the home of Loreal Lindstrom
6489 State Hwy 70, Pine City

Please bring your favorite children's book, that you have enjoyed over the years, to give as a gift for the baby. It would be fun to hear why you have enjoyed it or if there is a memory or a story to go with it.

Grindstone Lake Bible Camp

In the foyer today we have a table set up specifically for Grindstone Lake Bible Camp. Along with information about camp, there are white envelopes for you to pick up with varying amounts on the envelope such as: \$5, \$10, \$25, \$30, \$40...etc. The envelopes are there for you to pick up and donate to the camp scholarships that the camp has available for kids who would like to attend. If you would like to give something to the camp just place it in the offering box. If you choose to write a check just write it out to PCEFC and designate it to GLBC.

Please Note

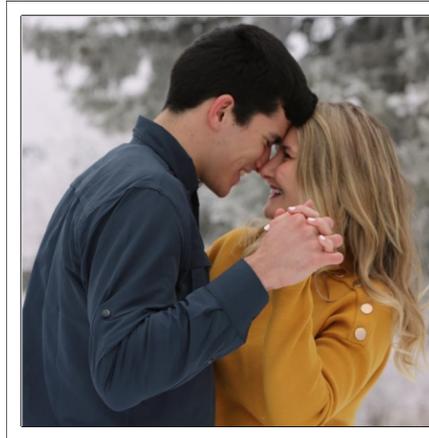
If you would like a 2020-21 Financial Report ahead of time for the business meeting, please pick up a copy today. They are on the Welcome Desk .

Miss a Sermon?

If you have missed a Sunday morning message you can go to our YouTube channel, Pine City Evangelical Free Church or on our Facebook page. Each of the messages are posted weekly.

News & Announcements

bridal SHOWER



LOGAN & CHLOE

Please join us in honoring
Chloe Johnson
at a bridal shower

Sunday, May 23 3:00 PM
North Campus, Lighthouse

Chloe is the daughter of Todd & Kari Johnson and will be marrying Logan, son of Jason & Julie Vinaja this summer in July.

For Logan & Chloe's registry go to:

www.myregistry.com
Go to "Find a Registry"
& type in Chloe's name

Their colors throughout their home will be: dusty rose, rusted orange, dark emerald green, grey, mustard yellow

Kitchen—mustard yellow, grey
Bathroom—sage, grey, cream

If you would like to serve Sunday morning coffee please see the sign up sheet on the counter in the kitchen. Thank you everyone for your help!

May Birthdays & Anniversaries

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| 1 Shaun & Jennifer Alleman
Vern Craven
Jaime Thompson | 9 Jayne Bloom
Jacob Vandenberg
10 Joe Gatzke | 24 Jenine Preston
25 Elijah Johnson
27 Helen Foster |
| 2 Mike & Cammie Hejny
Doug Peters | 11 Josh & Jennifer Erickson
15 Gary Hawkinson
Silas Nelson | 28 Elena Gregorio
Brandy Kalikow
Jan Nettleton |
| 3 Carson Engh
Thea Troolin | 20 Keith & Jayne Bloom
Matthew Mead | 30 Mike Anderson
31 Dave & Jody Karas
Brad Steele |
| 4 Ally Sutter | 21 Jasmine Johnson | |
| 8 Steve & Adrienne Roubinek | 23 Dan Millstead | |

Spring Business Meeting

Our Spring Business Meeting is next Sunday, May 16 immediately after the service.

Please join us as we hear from the various ministry teams as to what the Lord is doing at PCEFC. We also will be voting to confirm individuals to serve. **Below are the following individuals who have been nominated to serve on our various ministry teams for the 2021-22 year:**

Elders— Andrew DeVall, Brady Helseth
Worship - Dave Blom
Christian Ed - Melissa Nelson
Missions - Miriam Paver
Local Ministries - Sue Kline
Property - Vern Craven
Head Usher - Dan Millstead
Financial Secretary - Lisa Johnson
Treasurer - Ashley Erickson

Also, we are voting on a change to the constitution which has been proposed by the Elder Team. Here is the proposed change to the constitution:

Article VII of the constitution currently reads:

"The officers of the church shall be a Board of Elders of not less than five (5) non-salaried men and the lead pastor. The Board shall choose its own chairman and secretary and these officers shall serve the church in that capacity."

The proposed change is:

"The officers of the church shall be a Board of Elders of not less than five (5) non-salaried men and the lead pastor. Other pastoral staff may be elected to the Board by a congregational vote. The Board shall choose its own chairman and secretary and these officers shall serve the church in that capacity."

PRAYER and PRAISE!

"But you *are* a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light." 1 Peter 2:9

Focus on the PCEFC Family: Tim & Miriam Paver, Hannah, Will

Jamie and Nancy Mollhoff are moving out of their house next Saturday, May 15 and will be moving to McGregor. They are needing people to help load the moving truck here in Pine City on that day. If you can help, be at their home at 10:00 a.m. Their address is: 7100 560th Street, Pine City. Thank you, everyone!

As a church family we were saddened to hear that Dan Rinden's brother, Pastor David Rinden, passed away Sunday, May 2. The visitation was in Pine City on Thursday evening and the funeral service was Friday at Barnum Community Church. We extend our love and sympathy to Dan and Mary at this time.

Shelly Engh's CA125 test came back 3 points down from last time. That is a praise. Thank you for praying.

From Steve and Adrienne Roubinek- "Hello friends. Jacob had his final tests at Mayo Clinic to evaluate for a kidney transplant this past week. The surgeon told him he is an excellent candidate for transplant with at least 99% success rate.

A donor would need to be willing to be in Rochester for one week. (We would cover all these costs) The surgery is similar to an appendix removal. It's an extremely minor and low risk surgery (laproscopic), which our insurance would pay for. I had my appendix removed in 2012 and was on my feet the next day, pretty much back to normal after one week minus heavy lifting (6 weeks). He can accept A+, A-, O+ - . There is a tissue matching process as well. Essentially they put Jacob's blood with donor blood and see how they react to one another.

His kidney disease is genetic (not autoimmune). This is good news because he is extremely unlikely to develop the kidney disease in a new kidney. **If anyone would consider donating, we have the info to get started. They estimate he will need a kidney in 6 months to a year. We really appreciate prayers as well. Please let us know if you are willing. Thank you. For Jacob."**

Ways to Give

Give Online- pcefc.com/give

Giving App— Download the Give Plus app on your phone.

Offering Box— wooden box is near the entrance for your convenience.

Offering

May 2	\$ 4,119.26
YTD AVG	\$ 4,962.90
Wkly AVG	\$ 4,948.21
20-21 Budget	\$ 257,307.00

Thank you for giving!

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

___ Share with Prayer Team
___ Share only with Pastor and Elders

Please sign me up for

___ Prayer Team (email)
___ Email Event Reminders

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Prayer Request/Comment _____

Name (optional) _____

He is Faithful

2 Timothy 2:8-13

In the first words of this passage (**vs. 8**) Paul commands Timothy to “remember Jesus Christ.” In the final words (**vs. 13**), Paul reminds him that that Jesus is the ultimate example of faithfulness. It is the quality of Christ's faithfulness that helps us in difficult times. His faithfulness is what should motivate us to be faithful in our lives!

How can we remember Jesus’ faithfulness?

I. Remember the Identity of Jesus - Vs. 8

- A. He is the unique _____ - _____ - “Jesus Christ” (John 1:1, 14)
- B. He is the ultimate _____ - _____ - “risen from the dead, the offspring of David” (Romans 1:3-4)

II. Remember the Power of the Gospel - Vs. 9-10

- A. It is _____ - vs. 9; Isaiah 55:11
- B. It is _____ - vs. 10; Acts 4:12; Romans 10:17

III. Remember the Faithfulness of God’s Promises - Vs. 11-13

2 purposes of God’s promises -

- A. They should _____ us - vs. 11-12a
- B. They should _____ us - vs. 12b-13

*If we are faithless to Jesus, He will remain faithful to His Word!

Application - “Remember Jesus Christ “- _____!”

Questions for Discussion - What helps you remember Jesus when you get distracted? What helps you endure doubt & other difficult circumstances? What do you appreciate most about Paul’s trustworthy saying? Why?

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 box as you exit today *Thank you!*

Date _____, 2021	Children Name _____ Birthday ___/___/___
___ First Time Guest ___ Returning Guest ___ Regular Attender	Name _____ Birthday ___/___/___
Name _____	Name _____ Birthday ___/___/___
Address _____	Name _____ Birthday ___/___/___
City _____ State _____ Zip _____	Name _____ Birthday ___/___/___
Phone _____/_____	Name _____ Birthday ___/___/___
Email _____	

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.”

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