#### PRAYER 'N' PRAISE:

Please remember to pray for each other during the week. If you would like to update or add a prayer request please send the request to Diane at <a href="mailto:churchefree@gmail.com">churchefree@gmail.com</a> or call her at 507.249.2635. Also, requests will be removed after 4 weeks if updates are not received. Requests can be added again with just an email or call. THANKS!!

#### Health, Strength, & Comfort

\*Lorraine Sawvell

\*Gayle Stellmacher

\*Julie W. (back/kidneys/quit

smoking)

\*Roland/Margaret Jahnke \*Connie Lindeman

- \*Lueck family (loss of uncle)
- \*Monica Christensen (knees)

  \*Miller (sister, Bernie)
- \*Carol friend of GH (cancer)

#### Specific/Praise

\*Coronavirus: those infected, those not infected, high risk people, those combating it – the front lines.



#### **Our Leaders**

State Leaders: Governor \* Lt
Governor \*Secretary of State
 \*Attorney General \*Auditor
 \*Treasurer \*Superintendent of
Schools \*Insurance commissioner
 \*Controller \*Agriculture
Commissioner \*Natural Resources
Commissioner \*Natural Resources
 Commissioner \*Labor
Commissioner \*Public Service
 Commissioner

Be Joyful always;
pray continually;
give thanks in all circumstances,
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18a

#### Missions/Churches

\*Balaton Evangelical Free Church

\*United Methodist Church

\*Fellowship of Christian Athletes



# The Evangelical Free Church Of Redwood Falls

...for the Gospel to Reach and Restore us ALL

### **APRIL 26, 2020**

Welcome to The Evangelical Free Church of Redwood Falls!

Your presence is an encouragement to us and we pray that you leave strengthened for the week!

There are worship bags for little ones available in the back left of the worship doors; there are colored pencils with either paper or bulletins for older children.

Nursery available for infants to 5-years old.

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Pastor Dan Vesta: <u>dkvesta@sbcglobal.net</u>
Pastor Dan's Phone: 651.468.1045

"We live in response to Christ . . . Who died in response to us."

"The **wisdom** of God has ordained a way for the **love** of God to deliver us from the **wrath** of God without compromising the **justice** of God."

John Piper, "Desiring God."

"When you don't know what the future holds, remember Who holds the future"

David Jeremiah

#### **CELEBRATION SERVICE:**

Music by Wayne/Anne Junker
Announcements by Wayne Junker
Sunday's Message by Pastor Dan
"Christ Ascended"
Luke 24:50-53; Acts 1:9-11

Remember to wish people a happy birthday and happy anniversary!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Jace Berg (26<sup>th</sup>), Kathy Alexander (28<sup>th</sup>), Rachel Friese (28<sup>th</sup>), Anna Gerbrandt (28<sup>th</sup>), Denny Miller (29<sup>th</sup>), Michelle Cilek (29<sup>th</sup>), Tate Goodthunder (1<sup>st</sup>)

#### **4 DIFFERENT WAYS TO GIVE:**

- a) On the **website** at redwoodfallsefc.com go to the "donate" button and follow the directions.
- b) you can **mail** it to church....1370 E Bridge Street, Redwood Falls MN 56283 (no PO Box)
- c) There is a **drop box** left of the doors by the first window.
- d) drop off at **Bremer Bank** and tell them or write a note that it is to be deposited to Evangelical Free Church.

KEEP CHECKING EMAIL FOR
UPDATES AND NEW INFO
DURING THIS TIME OF
ADJUSTMENT. KEEP PRAYING!!
Those without email will be

getting info in the mail along with their bulletin.

#### **FAMILYNEWS**

Just to keep everyone informed:
Those without email should get
the bulletin in the mail on Fridays
(unless mail stops), everyone else
will receive it by email on Wed. If
you want a paper copy – print it or
let Diane know so she can send it
to you in the mail. It will also be
on the website at:

redwoodfallsefc.com under "content"

#### **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

need to be to Diane by **TUESDAY** to go in the next week's bulletin.

**END TIMES** is on hold as well as BIBLE BLAST AND DOCTRINE FOR DUMMIES. We are working or looking into a way to do it online communicatively.

#### **COMMUNICATION CARDS** we

still want to keep in touch. Diane is working on updating the Church Directory – if you need a number/email please contact her. Reach out to each other by phone or email or text. Contact Pastor Dan, he is available for you, if no answer leave a message and he will call you back.

#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**



April is stuffed animal month. If we collect monthly it isn't a big

expense all at once. You can still drop things off – we'll send off to kids in November.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY called The Armor of God by Priscilla Shirer IS ON HOLD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Women's Mini Retreat called "Relentless Love" – is on hold – we will let you know when it will be rescheduled

everyone know that the MLT has voted to recommend Pastor Dan to become our permanent pastor. When we are able to get back in the building, we will have a gathering to discuss any issues, questions, ideas on this matter. In the meantime the Elders are available to answer any questions or hear any ideas/concerns you may have:

Paul Alexander: 507.430.2175 Allexx78@hotmail.com

Matt Lundeen: 507.430.0335

 $\underline{mlundeen@redwoodareaschools.com}$ 

Tom Latterell: 507.430.6007 latterelltom@gmail.com If you need assistance... getting groceries, running errands, etc.... please let Diane know – there are some people willing to help. THANKS!

<u>Last week's message</u> is on the website at <u>redwoodfallsefc.com</u>

There is some tweaking that needs to be done – please be patient. There is also devotionals online as well.

## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

<u>VBS – SAVE THE DATE</u>: it will be Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup> here at the church. For questions see Betsy.

#### FROM EFCA NATIONAL:

Church members: We encourage you to continue to financially support the ministry of your local church. Your generosity matters, and your faithfulness to the local church is an encouragement to your pastors and the leaders from the EFCA national office.