

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 churchefree@gmail.com 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
- *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
- *Diane's bro, Wally – brain cancer



Our Leaders

National Leaders: President: Donald Trump; Vice President: Mike Pence; Chief Justice: John Roberts; Speaker of the House: Nancy Pelosi; Senate Majority Leader: Mitch McConnell; Congress; Governors and Lieutenant Governors

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

Missions/Churches

- *Willmar Evangelical Free Church
- *St Catherine's Catholic Church
- *Tim/Sara Arfsten (World Outreach)



The Evangelical Free Church Of Redwood Falls

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

APRIL 5, 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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"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:

Message by Pastor Dan

CROSSROADS

“Christ Arrived”

Matthew 21, Mark 11, Luke 19, John 12

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Kelly Hagen

(7th), Chris Allen (8th), Brianna

“Nez” (9th), Margaret Jahnke (9th)

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to Rex/Ellie

Boots (7th)

With the church closed the deacons have turned down the heat to 50 in the building, except the office area - please keep the doors to the office closed during this time.

Even with doing that it will still cost to have this building. Please remember to give, there are a couple of different ways to do so:

- go to the website at redwoodfallsefc.com go to the "donate" button and follow the directions. There is a fee, but the church will cover it - just give like you normally would. There is a place to specify “General” or “Building” – may have to do 2 separate transactions.
- you can mail it to church....1370 E Bridge Street, Redwood Falls MN 56283 (no PO Box)

c) drop off at the church building, there is a box in the office. Hours someone is here is M-W 9a to 5p; TH 9a to 1pm. If you have a key, you can come anytime 😊

d) drop off at Bremer Bank and tell them or write a note that it is to be deposited to Evangelical Free Church.

FAMILY NEWS

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 Wednesday. 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 is called The Armor of God by Priscilla Shirer IS ON HOLD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Women’s Mini Retreat will be Saturday, April 25th from 9am to 11am called “Relentless Love” – more info to follow. OR it will be rescheduled.

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.

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

VBS – SAVE THE DATE: it will be **Sunday, June 14th through Thursday, June 18th** 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.

Last week’s message is on YouTube, it is called:

Crossroads (Easter 2020)

[include parentheses]. There is some tweaking that needs to be done – please be patient. Also, Pastor is working on some devotionals and studies to do online as well.

Reminder: Please read the letter from Mark Dressen – it is very informative.

If you need assistance... getting groceries, running errands, etc.... please let Diane know – there are some people willing to help.

THANKS!