

Adult Ministries

Sunday School

Jesus Prom All adults will meet in the basement.

Dorcas Ministry

Meets 1st Thursday of the month

Children's Ministries

Children's Sunday School Classes @ 9:30

Ages 2-5 K-6

Athena Stenstrom Jennifer Hehner

Kid's Church K-grade 6

Join us for worship, and are dismissed before sermon

Today Aug 16

McIntyres Laura Baker

Peewee Church ages 2-5

Immediately following Sunday School in Preschool room

Today Aug 16

Sellers & Rettingers Hargraves & Missy W.

Sunday School Nursery

Down the hallway and to the right

Today Aug 16

Wendy Ickes Sandy W.

Worship Service Nursery

Today Aug 16

Adina Klotz & Lilie Stetzel Tammy T. & Matthew H.



Welcome to EGCC

ABIDE

THE MESSAGE OF 1 JOHN

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August 16, 2015

Order of Service

Worship

Opening Song

Welcome

Scripture & Prayer

Worship in Song

Communion Meditation

Communion— Please partake as trays are passed.



Participation with the Lord's Supper is welcome. We remember together Jesus, his sacrifice for us and the new life we have in him. It is a meal that we celebrate together. Although the meal may be small in size, it is not representative of its significance to God's people.

Offering— Please place cards and prayers & praises in the trays. *Kid's church is dismissed for an age appropriate lesson upstairs.*

Message— Jordan Iokes

Fellowship Prayer

Closing Chorus

Serving Today

At the Table— Rich Walter

Greeters— Brent & Lisa Hammond

Deaconess— Megin Chickering

Serving This Week— Riley, Paul, Jason, Mitch, Jerad

Serving Next Week— Wes R., Adam, Michael, Mason, Kevin

Weekly Offering Update

Weekly Goal: \$3000

Last Weeks Offering: \$ 1706

Important Information

Upcoming Events

Aug 24— Lydia's Ladies dine out

Wednesday Kids Night

WKN will start back up on Sept 21! The times are a bit different. We will start at 5:45, but we will end at 7:15 pm. Our vision for this children's ministry is to teach children to love God with all they are and to also love others. We are looking for adults from the congregation to come in as a supervisory role for games/crafts, dinner and the lesson. We also need kitchen helpers in preparing simple food and clean up. If you are interested in helping, even if it is not every Wednesday, please talk to Missy Walker.

All Church Picnic August 30

10:30 Worship at the park

No Sunday School

12:00 Meal

Activities to follow

*****There is a sign up sheet at the Info Center with a list of specific food items wanted for the picnic. We are doing an actual planned meal vs. a traditional pot luck. So, please take a look at the sign up sheet and sign up for what you'd like to bring. Thank you!!

Men & Boys Campout

At Garry Baker's woods on September 19-20. Father and son, or come on out if your a guy and like fire, food and games. It's a Saturday into Sunday morning. We will come in for worship Sunday smelling of the woods.

To our Guest:

We are grateful that you are here with us today. We have a gift bag for you at the Welcome area. Please fill out an information card in the pew and place it in the offering plate. We hope you enjoy our worship service. If you have any questions please see Jordan after the service.

*** Our Wifi password is lovedoes247

Prayers and Praises

Those dealing with Cancer

Michael Schollmeier Jim Fawley

Nancy Heald Susan Spangle

Susan Gochenour Jimmy Webb

Bryan Everett Norene Stolte

Harrison Harter Nicole Snyder

Those dealing with failing health

Betty Zimplenman

Bev Higgenbotham

Jerry Higgenbotham

Those with other health concerns

Sandy Lindsey-CAD

Romayne Stenstrom—Stroke

Don Waggoner-Increased strength

Those with heart condition

Chandra Damon

Greg Ladewsky

Sally Ladewsky

Those with seizure disorders

Amber Hollar

Susan Lemler

George White-Parkinsons

Baby Kenny Klotz—Premie

Jean Price-broken bones

Missionaries and Missions

Larry & Debbie Kineman (England)

Alan & Janet Beno (Thailand)

Tom & Jill Neyhart (Impact Ministries)

Scott LaRue (Russian Outreach)

Great Lakes Christian College

Lake James Christian Assembly

Ministry

Ickes Family

Little Lambs Preschool

EGCC's Elders

Generosity

Food Pantry

WKN

Co-Groups

National/International

Our Nation's leaders & Military, Peace, Justice, Sex trafficking, orphans, widows, impoverished nations, AIDS, Prayer for the Gospel Message to spread.

Children in our Community

All of our students and teachers

Sermon Notes

An Unwavering Commitment to Jesus

1 John 2:18-29

Denial of Jesus was a problem in the past. Verses 18-23

Denial of Jesus is a problem in the present. Verse 24

Denial of Jesus will not be a problem in the future. Verse 25

The way forward is an unwavering allegiance to Jesus. Abiding in Christ means a full commitment to Jesus Christ as Lord.
Verse 23

We have help in keeping our commitment 26-29

God's Spirit

God's People

God's Promise