

Welcome to Sunday Morning at EFree Bemidji

Worship Service - June 10

When the Bible Gets Confusing
1 John 5:13-21

Nursery - up to age 3

Our nursery is here for you, located at far end of the Fellowship Hall. We have great people ready to care for your babies.

Kids Quiet Packs

These are available in the back of the Sanctuary, behind Section 2, for any kids staying in the service.

Summer Family Night

This event is designed for young families with children. Come as a family to the E Free Summer Family Night! We have our first night coming up June 13, at 6:00PM. Meet us at the church for a time of fellowship, food, fun and games! If you have questions or want more information, contact Gerri Thorsgard at 556-9874.

Baby Shower!

Please join us Saturday, June 23rd to celebrate the coming of Isaac and Jana Adams' baby! The celebration will be held here at church at 3 pm. It will be Tea Party themed and men are invited to gather in the 511 room for a fun time as well! The couple is registered at Target and amazon.com. Please contact Naomi Shindelar at 218-760-3321 to RSVP.

Congratulations 2018 Graduates! The Church Family is invited to these open houses:

Saturday, June 16

Serenity Lauderbaugh,
1:00pm - 5:00pm
Sue Milli's
6101 Lynx Rd. SE, Bemidji, MN

Saturday, June 23

Mark Yerbich, 1:00pm - 4:00pm
704 Spruce Grove Ln. NW
Bemidji, MN 56601

Men's Softball

Come support our Men's Softball team this Tuesday, June 12 at 6:30PM as they face Solway at the Covenant Church Field. Call Jake Kangas at (218)766-4122 with any questions.

Women's Breakaway, OHCC

Women's Breakaway is a local women's conference, June 13-16, at Oak Hills. Featuring Christine Kolb, wife of previous interim pastor, Peter Kolb. Come stay in the new dorms or stay at home. Attend all sessions and breakouts or just come for what you are able. Come for fun times of worship, fellowship, and spiritual encouragement for Finding Contentment. Contact Oak Hills for questions or to register at 218-751-8670 or email Pat Allen at facilitz@oakhills.edu.

Summer Camps Starting SOON!

School schedules and regular ministries may be winding down, but summer Bible camps are set to get their seasons underway. Here is just a sampling of some local camps getting set for summer adventures:

Camp Oak Hills

(campoakhills.org)
218-444-4085

Camp Shamineau

(shamineauonline.org)
218-575-2240

Deeper Life Bible Camp

(dlbc.org)
218-835-4902

Sermon Sneak Peek

June 17, Faith Lessons From
Father Figures, Proverbs 6:6-11

June 24, Course Corrections from
1 John, 1 John 4:16b-5:5

Announcements

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

For all ages – 9:45 a.m.

*Options for kids will be offered during these events.

***TODAY – "Everything You Know about Bible Prophecy is Wrong—Almost"**

— In this 1st of a 2-part series, Pastor Emeritus Fred Martin will explain why the teaching about the end times that has dominated American evangelical churches for the last 150 years is seriously misguided and should be abandoned (Chapel, Kid's Option in Lower Level).

June 17 – Raptor Show—The Headwaters Science Center will bring their birds of prey. Bring the whole family this Father's Day to see and learn more about these amazing creatures God has made (Multipurpose Room, all ages)

***June 24 – Reading Bible Prophecy the Right Way**

— In this 2nd of a 2-part series, Pastor Emeritus Fred Martin will explain how we should read Bible prophecy and apply it today. Practical suggestions on where and how to start reading the Old Testament prophets will be provided so that you can understand this often-puzzling part of God's inspired Word. (Chapel).

Associate Pastor Hired!

We are so pleased to announce a strong "yes!" vote from our congregation to hire Pastor Eric Nygren as our Associate Pastor. We called Pastor Eric on the phone to offer him the job and he responded by saying, "absolutely yes!" Please pray for the Nygren family as they now make plans to move up from Iowa. They will likely officially start here the first part of August.

Sunday, June 10

8:30AM Traditional Worship
9:45AM Bible Prophecy
11:00AM Contemporary Worship

Monday, June 11

7:00PM Global Connections Team

Tuesday, June 12

9:00AM Staff Meeting
6:30PM Softball Game at Covenant

Wednesday, June 13

6:30AM Men's Bible Study
8:30AM Women's Bible Study
6:00PM Summer Family Night

Thursday, June 14

9:00AM White Cross

Friday, June 15

Saturday, June 16

SAVE THESE DATES:

June 17 - Vespers
June 18 - Trustee Meeting
June 21 - Elders Meeting
June 23 - Isaac and Jana Adam's Baby Shower
July 8 - Baptism Class
July 15 - Baptism Class
July 15 - Church Picnic 4:00PM
July 22 - Congregational Meeting

Connection Card

Prayer Request. Please share with...

Prayer chain Pastors only

I'd like to learn more about:

- Children's Ministry Youth Ministry
 Young Adults Senior Adults
 Women's Ministry Men's Ministry
 Small Groups Music Ministry
 Global Partners Ministry (missions)

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Weekly Prayers

Sunday: Pray for our camp partners that they will be instrumental in bringing people to know the Lord.

Monday: Pray for the financial needs of our church.

Tuesday: Pray for the Summer Family Nights.

Wednesday: Pray for our Global Partners, Darwin & Darlis Anderson.

Thursday: Pray for the White Cross group.

Friday: Pray for all the people serving in different summer ministries.

Saturday: Pray for all the father figures in your life.

Connection Card

Are you new here?

Welcome! We are so glad that you are our guest today. Please fill out this Connection Card and bring it to our Welcome Table in the main Foyer. We have a small gift we'd like to give you and information about our ministries.

Please Print

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

- 1st visit Return visitor
 Out of town guest
 New to the Community
 Looking for church home

Age (check all that apply)

- < 18 18-29
 30-39 40-49
 50-59 60+

Gender Male Female

I would like more information about:

- Becoming a Christian
 Joining a Small Group
 Meeting with a pastor
 Becoming a member
 Baptism
 Opportunities to serve
 Child Dedication

June 10, 2018



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Our Mission:

*To promote the supremacy of Christ
by celebrating His love, obeying His truth,
and enlarging His kingdom.*

Keep in Touch

Church Office: (218) 751-8834
Email: efree@paulbunyan.net
Web: www.efcbemidji.org

Visit us on Facebook at:

"<https://www.facebook.com/EFCBemidji/>

24/7 Emergency Pastoral Care Phone: (218) 760-7424

Email pray@efcbemidji.org to share a prayer request or
to join us in prayer. *Wi-Fi password: "efreebemidji"*

Financial Giving through June 3

General Ministry weekly giving: \$19,702 Needed to date: \$281,710
Given to date: \$262,409

Global Partners weekly giving: \$2,630 Needed to date: \$33,924
Given to date: \$28,625

Jerry Johnson - Lead Pastor
Albin Sterneman - Youth & Young Adults Pastor
Micah Carpenter - Pastoral Ministry Assistant
Gerri Thorsgard - Kids Ministries Director
Kay Sue Eriksson - Visitation Caregiver
Ron Bodenheimer - Facility Supervisor
Karisa Kosinski - Church Secretary