



GUESTS

Please fill out the Connect Card included in your Welcome Bag and place it in the offering box at the back of the room. If you need a Bible, feel free to ask an usher. Please leave church Bibles on your seats so they may be cleaned following the service.

If you choose to keep your child with you during the service, Sermon Activity Bags are available to help keep your child engaged. Feel free to request one from an usher.

Our hope and prayer is that you feel seen, known, and loved as we worship our great God together!

Our Pastors

Dr. Gary Hylander
Senior Pastor

Jon MacDonald
Family Life/Discipleship Pastor

Aaron Brown
Worship/Technology Pastor

Robert Lee
Student Ministries Pastor

February 21, 2021

Join us in the Sanctuary at 9:30am today as we continue in our six-week Equip series titled, *What Happens When We Die*.

February 14th **REACH Sunday** resulted in more than \$11,000 in new giving, with 8 new individuals and families who are jumping onto the project! Thank you for the consistent payment of pledges, including the \$33,000 additional in payment towards our goal. Because of online giving and your continued generosity, dollars have continued to come in throughout the week, and a more specific financial update will be provided soon! Thank you!

Our next **baptism service** is Friday, April 16 at 6:30pm at Bethel Baptist Church, 2411 Weeden Creek Road, Sheboygan. A baptism class will be held on Sunday, March 14, at 9:30am in room 109. Parents who have students who are interested in being baptized, or if you have questions about what we believe, you are welcome to attend the class. If you are interested in being baptized that evening, please contact the church office.

The **Billy Graham Training Center** at The Cove, in Asheville, North Carolina, is designed to help you experience God's presence in a tangible way. Gifted Bible teachers, including Dr. Walter Kaiser, give the opportunity to deepen your understanding of Scripture in an ideal setting along the Blue Ridge Mountains. Pick up your brochure from the kiosk in the Welcome Center.

Change in your contact information? Contact Kay in the church office (kay.r@e-free-family.com or 452.6520) so we can include your changes in the **Spring Directory Update**, available March 7.

Many church activities that take place throughout the year are candidly captured on camera, both stills and video. These photos may be used on our church website, in newsletters and brochures, or in other promotions. Photos of children will never contain personally identifiable information. If you prefer your or your child's photo not be used, please fill out a **Photo Opt-Out Form** in the church office.

²³ Thus says the LORD: "Let not the wise man boast in his wisdom, let not the mighty man boast in his might, let not the rich man boast in his riches, ²⁴ but let him who boasts boast in this, that he understands and knows me, that I am the LORD who practices steadfast love, justice, and righteousness in the earth. For in these things I declare, declares the LORD." Jeremiah 9:23-24

This Week

Monday

6:15pm—Missions Team

Tuesday

9:30am—GriefShare
6:00pm—Prayer Time
6:30pm—Women's Bible Study,
Nancy V.'s home
6:30pm—Young Adults Group

Wednesday

6:30am—Men's Prayer
9:30am—Men's Bible Study
9:30am—Women's Bible Study
9:30am—Women's First Love Study
5:00pm—Bible Quizzing
6:30pm—Awana & Student Min
6:30pm—DivorceCare (Offsite)
6:45pm—Men's Bible Study
8:00pm—Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday

6:30pm—GriefShare
6:30pm—Worship Team Rehearsal

For more information visit us at
www.e-free-family.com

Featured

40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated 40-day campaign that aims to end abortion locally through community outreach and peaceful prayer, asking God to transform hearts and minds. For more information or to sign up for vigil hours visit www.40daysforlife.com/ Sheboygan.

Sheboygan eFree Church

February 21, 2021

Contemporary Service - 9:30am

Welcome and Call to Worship

Pastor Aaron Brown

Give Us Clean Hands

We bow our hearts, we bend our knees; Oh Spirit, come make us humble.
We turn our eyes from evil things; Oh Lord, we cast down our idols.

*Give us clean hands, give us pure hearts; Let us not lift our souls to another.
Give us clean hands, give us pure hearts; Let us not lift our souls to another.
And O God, let us be a generation that seeks, That seeks Your face, O God of Jacob.
And O God, let us be a generation that seeks, That seeks Your face, O God of Jacob.*

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Who You Say I Am

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me?
I was lost but He brought me in, Oh, His love for me, Oh, His love for me.

Who the Son sets free, Oh, is free indeed. I'm a child of God, Yes I am.

Free at last, He has ransomed me, His grace runs deep.
While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me Yes He died for me.

In my Father's house there's a place for me, I'm a child of God, Yes, I am

I am chosen, not forsaken, I am who You say I am.
You are for me, not against me, I am who You say I am.
(Oh) (Yes) I am who You say I am.

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You Cannot Be Stopped

The dark tried to hide You and steal You away,
Death tried to keep You inside of the grave.
The enemy fought You, He tried but he lost. You cannot be stopped

When we cried for freedom, You tore down the walls.
The weight of our burdens, You carried it all.
Our fears and our failures hang dead on the cross. You cannot be stopped.

*Mover of mountains, Breaker of chains, Jesus has triumphed over the grave.
Sing hallelujah, the battle is won. Nothing can stand against our God.*

We stand on Your victory, and shout out Your praise,
Miracle maker, You're mighty to save.
Awesome in power, relentless in love. You cannot be stopped

There's nothing that can stop our God, there's nothing that can stop our God,
There's nothing that can stop our God, there is nothing (there is nothing).

Sing hallelujah, the battle is won. Nothing can stand against our God.

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What a Beautiful Name

You were the Word at the beginning, One with God, the Lord Most High.
Your hidden glory in creation, now revealed in You, our Christ.

*What a beautiful name it is, what a beautiful name it is.
The name of Jesus Christ my King, what a beautiful name it is.
Nothing compares to this, what a beautiful name it is, the name of Jesus.*

You didn't want heaven without us, so, Jesus, You brought heaven down.
My sin was great, Your love was greater, what could separate us now.

*What a wonderful name it is, what a wonderful name it is.
The name of Jesus Christ, my King, what a wonderful name it is.
Nothing compares to this, what a wonderful name it is, the name of Jesus.*

Death could not hold You, the veil tore before You.
You silence the boast of sin and grave, the heavens are roaring
The praise of Your glory, for You are raised to life again.

You have no rival, You have no equal, now and forever, God, You reign.
Yours is the kingdom, Yours is the glory, Yours is the name above all names.

*What a powerful name it is, what a powerful name it is.
The name of Jesus Christ, my King, what a powerful name it is.
Nothing can stand against, what a powerful name it is, the name of Jesus.
What a powerful name it is, the name of Jesus.*

*What a powerful name it is, the name of Jesus,
What a powerful name it is, the name of Jesus.*

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Announcements and Offering Prayer

Pastor Jon MacDonald

Though You Slay Me

I come, God, I come, return to the Lord, the one who's broken,
The one who's torn me apart. You struck down to bind me up,
You say You do it all in love, that I might know You in Your suffering.

*Though You slay me yet I will praise You. Though You take from me
I will bless Your name. Though You ruin me still I will worship,
Sing a song to the One who's all I need.*

My heart and flesh may fail, the earth below give way
With my eyes, with my eyes I'll see the Lord lifted high upon that day.
Behold the Lamb that was slain, and I'll know every tear was worth it all

Though tonight I'm crying out, "Let this cup pass from me now",
You're still more than I need, You're enough for me, You're enough for me
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Message

Dr. Gary Hylander

Ready to Move Forward, Acts 21:1-16

Closing Prayer

Postlude

Morning messages can be watched/listened to on our website at www.e-free-family.com.

February 21, 2021
Morning Services

Dr. Gary Hylander
Acts Series

READY TO MOVE FORWARD

Acts 21:1-16

The pursuit of God's will should be the supreme priority of every Christian. When teaching his disciples to pray, our Lord Jesus Christ used the words "Your kingdom come, *your will* be done, on earth as it is in heaven" (Matthew 6:10). This does not mean that pursuing the will of God is the equivalent of experiencing tranquility in life. When our Lord was in the Garden of Gethsemane, he prayed "My Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me; nevertheless, *not as I will, but as you will.*" (Matthew 26:39)

As we pursue the will of God, it is also important to discern the ways of God. Our sovereign God may chose various ways to fulfill his will. As God would remind us "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways *my ways*, declares the LORD (Isaiah 55:8). In today's passage, we will note how the Apostle Paul pursued God's will while accepting God's ways, no matter how difficult they might be.