

Broken Bow
Evangelical Free Church

Finding Friends, Following Christ

February 21, 2010

Opening Song *Come Now Almighty King*

Welcome and Announcements

Praise Songs *Your Everlasting Love*
Blessed Be Your Name
Christ In Us Be Glorified

Pray & Watch

Scripture Reading - Steve Hostick Matthew 5:1-12
Responsive Reading

Offering

Children are dismissed for Children's Church

Message Sermon Series - Kingdom Living Part 2
The Pursuit of Happiness Matthew 5:3-12

Closing Song *Take My Life*

Food For Thought

How happy are you? **Happiness** has become one of the most important quality of life issues in our society. Nothing else seems to matter much except our happiness. But what is happiness? If we don't know that answer then we spend all of our life chasing after happiness in the wrong places. That's why Jesus begins the "Sermon on the Mount" with a section called the Beatitudes. Jesus knows where true happiness is found, and it all has to do with the Kingdom. So join us as we dig into Matthew and continue our series called "**Kingdom Living**".

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

9:00 AM	Prayer
9:30 AM	Golden Living Center Church Service
9:30 AM	Sunday School
10:45 AM	Worship Service
3:30 PM	Truth Project Small Group @ BB-EFC
6:30 PM	Sr. High Youth
6:30 PM	Truth Project Small Group @ Cunningham's
6:30 PM	Truth Project Ladies Small Group @ Peg Reier's
7:00 PM	P.I.G.S. @ BB 1st Baptist Church

VISITOR INFORMATION

Visitors - If you are visiting with us today, we would like to give you a Welcome Packet. In it you will learn more about Broken Bow E-Free Church and all of our ministries. Welcome Packets are available on the Information Table in the lobby or ask an Usher or Greeter for assistance. Thanks for worshipping with us today.

Nursery - Is available for any infants and toddlers under the age of 3. The nursery is located off of the Activities Room in Rooms D and E.

Children's Church - Is available for children ages 3 through 1st grade in Room A. Children will be dismissed prior to the sermon.

Song Sheets - If you have a hard time seeing the words on the screen, yellow song sheets are available in the foyer.

Questions - Ushers are available to answer questions or to help find what you are looking for.

Those Serving Today:

Nursery: Jonathan and Chelsea Carlson, Ariel Hundstad

Children's Church: Kyla Olson and Sarah Blackburn

Theme: Jesus Teaches Us to Serve Others

Greeters: Mic and Karen Christensen

Ushers: Marty Bredthauer, Leland Johnson, Craig Nichols, Dan Strawder, John Whitney

Those Serving Next Week:

Nursery: Tim and Misty Baker, Peg Reier

Children's Church: Carol Squier and Michelle Nichols

ANNOUNCEMENTS

“Focus on Marriage” Simulcast - It’s finally here! Join us this Saturday, Feb. 27th for this great marriage seminar. Tickets are \$30 per couple through Friday. On Saturday tickets will be \$40 per couple, so get yours today.

Time: Registration will begin at 8:00 AM and the simulcast will begin at 8:30 AM sharp. Please come early so you don’t miss the start of the simulcast.

Lunch: There will be a lunch break from 11:15 AM to 12:15 PM. Lunch is not included in the price of the tickets, so you will have several options for lunch including running home or to an area restaurant. However, we encourage you to stay at church as the P.I.G.S. Puppet Team will be serving lunch as a fundraiser for their activities. The menu will include sloppy joes, chips, carrots and celery, and brownies. This will be a free-will offering.

Books: There will be a book table available for you to purchase books and materials written by the speakers.

Childcare: Childcare will not be available for this conference.

Tickets: Contact Gene French or the church office to purchase tickets.

Sermons A La Carte - Join Pastor Scott as he speaks this Wed. Feb. 24th at 12:05 PM at the Church of God. Our church ladies will be serving a meal following the service at 12:30 PM. A suggested donation of \$2 per person for the meal. The purpose of Sermons A La Carte is to prepare our hearts for the Easter celebration.

Elder Positions - Dan Anderson is Chairman of the Elder Board, Bernard Nichols is the Vice-Chairman, Doug Stewart is the Secretary and Roger Albin is the Chairman of the Search Committee.

P.I.G.S. Puppets - The P.I.G.S. have a busy schedule over the next few months. Today, Feb. 21st - BB 1st Baptist Church 7:00 PM, March 19-21 Puppet Competition in Omaha, March 28th - Survivor: Babylon Presentation with Soup & Salad Supper, April 11th - Atkinson, NE.

Resource Table - There are 6 books by best selling author, Joel C. Rosenberg, on the table. Stop by and take a look at all the good reading. We are trying to update our check-out list. If you still have a book checked out, please check it off the old list and renew it on the new list. If you have any questions, please contact Carlene Albin.

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Men's Breakfast - Will be held this Saturday, Feb. 27th at 7:00 AM at the Tumbleweed Café. Come join the men of the church for a great time of food and fellowship. You will also receive a great challenge as Larry Coleman continues teaching about leadership according to the Bible. This is open to all men of the community. The cost is \$7 for the breakfast buffet. For more information contact Dan Anderson, Jerry Safranek or Larry Coleman.

Missions Weekend Notes - Next Sunday we will be taking a love offering for all the missionaries that participated in our Missions Weekend: Virgil and Jeri Holt, Eric and June Petersen, Juan and Maria Santos, and Will and Julie White.

A big thank you to Jose and Araceli Hernandez for the wonderful Mexican dinner. The Hernandez family put in a lot of time and effort to get the job done. Also thanks to all who helped during the meal and cleaning up afterwards. It was a big job but well worth the effort.

Search Committee - The Search Committee will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 23rd at 7:00 PM. Roger Albin will be the Chairman, other members include Wanda Anderson, Cindi McCullough, Craig Nichols and Pastor Scott.

Hospice Benefit Concert - Will feature Christian singer, Damaris Carbaugh. The concert will be held on Friday, March 5th at the Broken Bow Middle School Auditorium at 7:00 PM. Tickets are \$10 and will be available at the door. Tickets can be purchased in advance at the Broken Bow Chamber of Commerce, Pizza Hut, Custer County Garden Center and from Hospice Volunteers. For further information call 308-870-0005. More information about Damaris Carbaugh is posted on the Information Bulletin Board.

Mission Nebraska - Is holding a Men's Conference in conjunction with the Nebraska Spring Football game on Sat. April 17, 2010 from 8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon at the Pershing Center. Seating is limited so sign-up early by going online to www.freedmennebraska.org or calling 402-742-6821. Cost is \$35 a person which includes a ticket to the Spring Game. Fathers are encouraged to bring their sons (age 10 and over).

Prayer Team - If you would like to receive prayer requests from our church throughout the week, please contact Geri Johnson. Pray requests are sent out by email and the phone tree.

SCHEDULE

This Week

Tuesday, Feb. 23, 2010

- 7:00 PM Tuesday Night Truth Project Small Group @ BB-EFC
- 7:00 PM Search Committee Meeting

Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2010

- 6:30 AM Men's Prayer at Marty Shafer's home
- 12:05 PM Sermons A La Carte @ Church of God
- 4:00 PM P.I.G.S. Puppet Practice
- 6:30 PM AWANA
- 6:30 PM Jr. High Youth

Thursday, Feb. 25, 2010

- 9:00 AM Ladies Esther Bible Study @ BB-EFC
Midwest District Conference in Columbus, NE

Friday, Feb. 26, 2010

Midwest District Conference in Columbus, NE

Saturday, Feb. 27, 2010

- 7:00 AM Men's Breakfast @ Tumbleweed Café
- 8:00-3:30 PM Focus on Marriage Simulcast @ BB-EFC

*Denotes non-BB-EFC activities being held at the church

Upcoming Events

February:

- 28** Communion Sunday
- 28** Guest Speaker, Gordon Thiessen

March:

- 4** Elder Meeting 7:30 PM
- 9** BB-EFC Ladies Lunch @ Emily's
- 19** YCF March Madness @ Craig and Kelli Safranek's
- 19-21** P.I.G.S. Puppet Competition in Omaha
- 24** **Sophomore Career Day*
- 24** AWANA Grand Prix

PRAYER AND PRAISE

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Birthday Card Shower - Mildred Cook is celebrating her 94th birthday today, February 21st. Cards may be sent to her at: Golden Living Center, East Hwy 2, Rm 420, Broken Bow, NE 68822.

Congratulations to Tony and Tina Millsap. They are the proud parents of a new baby boy, Tytus Ellson. He joins his big brother Trevor. Tytus weighed in at 9 lb. 3 oz. and is 21" long.

Pray for the upcoming activities:

The Truth Project

Focus on Marriage Simulcast

Search process for an Associate Pastor

BB-EFC Missionary of the Week:

Geoff and Tina Casteel: Writes that they were soon to get the roof finished on their house in Angasmarca. In Peru, finishing the roof is a big deal and the homeowners are expected to provide a big meal for all those who help with the roof. Geoff went into the village to bring back 15 to 20 live chickens and other food items for this big meal. Their co-workers left for a year-long home assignment in the U.S. Geoff and Tina ask for prayers as they face this next year without the close companionship, moral support and presence of their dear co-workers.

Local Church: Broken Bow Berean Church, Pastor Larry DeMoss

Midwest District Church: Evangelical Free Church, Grant,
Pastor Russell Gaar

Pray & Watch

Holy Spirit draw the hearts of these people to Jesus
and make them Kingdom laborers.

“Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.”

Colossians 4:12

SERMON NOTES

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