

February 19, 2017

LEADING PEOPLE INTO A GROWING  
RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS CHRIST

2 Timothy 2:2



**The grace that is in  
Christ Jesus...**

entrust to  
reliable people who  
will also be able to  
teach others.



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## TODAY'S WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Opening Songs                    *Everlasting God  
All the Earth  
Good, Good Father  
Amazed*

Welcome and Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Offering

*Children are dismissed for Children's Church in Room A*

Scripture Reading                Colossians 3:12-17    Page 834

Message                                Series - Intimacy With Christ  
**Learning to Love**

Closing Song                        *All I Have Is Christ*

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**Church Office Hours** 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM Mon.-Thurs.

## TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

8:00 AM	Praise Team Practice
9:00 AM	Prayer
9:30 AM	Adult and Children's Sunday School
9:30 AM	Golden Living Center Church Service
10:45 AM	Worship Service
12:30 PM	P.I.G.S. Puppet Practice
	NO Warriors (Sr. High Youth)

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

**Sunday School Class Schedules** - Posted throughout the facilities.

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

**Children's Bulletins** - Are available in the foyer and contain Bible activity pages for kids. The green ones are for ages 3-6 and the blue ones are for ages 7-12.

**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.

**Watch and Listen Online** - If you cannot make it to church or if you are visiting out of town, you can still be a part of the Worship Service by watching the live broadcast at [www.bowefc.org](http://www.bowefc.org). You can also watch or listen to previously recorded services.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Women's Coffee** - The Women's Ministry is hosting a Coffee for Mentor Groups; anyone interested in connecting to a mentor group in some way; and any women wanting to fellowship. Please come and join us at the church on February 25th, at 10:00 AM, for an hour and a half of connecting and getting acquainted.



**Church Bowling Night** - Families and people of all ages are invited to join us for fun, fellowship, and bowling at Pleasure Lanes in Broken Bow, on Saturday night, February 25th, from 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM. We are allowed to bring our own food/drink in so if you would like to bring a snack/finger food and/or a liter of pop to share with everyone, that would be greatly appreciated. If you are not a bowler, please come anyway and enjoy some fellowship and snacks. Contact John and Mandy VanZandt with questions.

**Annual Report** - If you would like an extra copy of our BB-EFC 2016 Annual Report there are extra copies available on the table in the Foyer.

**RightNow Media** - Our church now has access to an extensive, new video library called RightNow Media! It's like the "Netflix of Video Bible Studies" and has a HUGE library of faith-based videos that you can access whenever and wherever you want—on your phone, iPad, computer, or at home on your TV. We believe that RightNow Media will be a tool to serve you as you live out your faith at home, at work and in your neighborhood. RightNow Media has videos for everyone—kids, youth, parents, married couples, college students, single adults, working professionals—all aimed at helping you grow. RightNow Media has excellent resources for building strong marriages including resources from Gary Thomas, Chip Ingram and Tony Evans. **Forms are available in the Foyer to fill out and drop in the offering plate or in the church office. A RightNow Media Quick Start Guide is also on the table in the foyer.**

### Financial Report

So grateful for the generous, giving hearts of this church body in 2016!

Weekly Budget	\$6,033
February 12th	\$4,007

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Sermons A La Carte** - Is a Lent Devotional Series sponsored by the Broken Bow Ministerial Association. It will begin on Wednesday, March 1st and runs each Wednesday through Easter. It is held at the BB United Methodist Church and begins at 12:05 PM with a lunch following at 12:30 PM. Each Wednesday a different church hosts the service and the lunch. Our church will be in charge of the service and lunch on Wednesday, March 29th.

**ALL GOD'S CHILDREN GOT A PLACE IN THE CHOIR!** - Singers are needed to help us celebrate our Lord's Resurrection on Resurrection Sunday (aka: Easter). Can you help? We will be singing "Because He Lives", a new cantata of mostly familiar songs that bring us through the story of Christ's Passion and Resurrection, to celebrate the life we now live in Him. If the Holy Spirit is tugging at your heart-strings to sing with us, please contact Carol Wright (870-1723). First meeting on Sunday, February 26th, at 3:00 PM at the church to plan rehearsal times. Your voice really IS needed!

**Church Membership** - We are so excited seeing new faces joining us in church. If you have questions about membership or if you would like to join Broken Bow E-Free Church, please contact Pastor Tim. Romans 15:6 *Then all of you can join together with one voice, giving praise and glory to God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

**Baptisms** - On Palm Sunday, April 9th, we will be having a Baptism Service. If anyone in your family is considering being baptized, please contact Pastor Tim.

### **Serving Today:**

**Nursery:** Chad, Alynn, and Shayleigh Coleman

**Children's Church:** Kyla and Abby Olson

**Ushers:** John VanZant, Craig Nichols, Ray Squier, Craig Ottun

**Greeters:** Bette Fauquet, Sally Armstrong

### **Serving Next Week:**

**Nursery:** Alicia Hermsmeyer, Rhett and Shaylyn Safranek

**Children's Church:** Michelle and Elissa Simmons, Abby Flint

## THIS WEEK

### **Monday, February 20, 2017**

- 7:00 PM Recovery - Challenge Center  
7:30 PM LIFE-Group for Women (at Wanda Anderson's)

### **Tuesday, February 21, 2017**

- 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study @ BB-EFC  
1:30 PM Tuesday Afternoon Ladies Bible Study  
@ Custer Heights

### **Wednesday, February 22, 2017**

- 9:30 AM Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study  
6:30 PM AWANA  
6:30 PM TREK (Jr. High Youth)

### **Thursday, February 23, 2017**

- 9:30 AM Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study  
8:00 PM Leadership Team Meeting

### **Saturday, February 25, 2017**

- 10:00 AM Women's Coffee  
6:30 PM BB-EFC Church Bowling @ Pleasure Lanes

## UPCOMING CALENDAR

### **February**

- 24** Youth Praise Team Practice  
**25** **NO** Men's Breakfast @ Tumbleweed Café 7:00 AM  
**25** Women's Coffee 10:00 AM  
**25** Church Bowling @ Pleasure Lanes 6:30 PM  
**26** Youth Sunday  
**26** Newcomers Dinner  
**26** Cantata Meeting 3:00 PM

### **March**

- 1** Sermons Ala Carte 12:05 PM at BB United Methodist Church  
**4** Men's Breakfast @ Tumbleweed Café 7:00 AM



### **Birthdays and Anniversaries For February**

Please s pickup a postcard on the table in the foyer.

## PRAYER AND PRAISE

**Prayer Requests** - If you have a prayer request, please let the office know so that we can lift you up in prayer. Either call Pastor Tim or the church office or send by email to either one.

*“The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.”*

**Johnnie Gugierrez** - Is back in ICU, pray for her recovery and what has caused the complications.

**Kelsey Bredthauer** - Recovering from surgery.

**Lillian Schmidt** - For recovery with her health issues.

**Danielle Ostrand** - That the physical therapy will go well.

**John Kugler** - Pray that his treatments will be effective.

**Pastor Ulises, Chihuahua, Mexico Church Partnership** - He is out of the hospital and doing well.

**Wanda Anderson** - Pray that God would glorify Himself through her breast cancer journey, and that she would treasure Christ more and more!

### **Pray for:**

- Others who are dealing with health issues.
- Others who have lost loved ones in the past year.

### **PRAISE God for:**

- Healing received by so many of our congregation this year.
- New decisions for Christ!
- Church membership growth.

**BB-EFC Missionary of the Week** - Dave and Jan Whisler with Wycliffe in Dallas, TX, write that Angel and Dave revised 1 John and 2 Peter. They doubt that few of the New Testaments that were distributed in 1987 or 1988 have survived 30 years of humidity, leaky roofs, cockroaches, and ants.

**Pray for Our Local Churches:** First Christian Church, Pastor Seth Bates

**Pray for a Midwest District Church:** Bethel Evangelical Free Church, North Platte, NE, Pastor Andy Pull

**Intimacy With Christ  
Learning to Love  
Colossians 3:12-17**

We learn to love in \_\_\_\_\_ Colossians 3:1-4

Christian love must be \_\_\_\_\_ Colossians 3:5-8

Christian love must be \_\_\_\_\_ to Colossians 3:9-10

Holy \_\_\_\_\_ in my home Colossians 3:12-13

Cultivate \_\_\_\_\_ Colossians 3:15-17

It is your choice:

\_\_\_\_\_ is conceived with expectations

\_\_\_\_\_ is conceived with expressions of gratitude

**Sermon Notes** - Are available upon request by contacting  
Pastor Tim or the Church Office.