

July 23, 2017

**LEADING PEOPLE INTO A GROWING
RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS CHRIST**



The First Deacons

Acts 6:1-7



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TODAY'S WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Opening Song *God of Wonders*

Welcome and Announcements

Spotlight on Ministry - Christian Education Part 2

Child Dedication

Praise Songs *Indescribable*
You're Worthy of My Praise
Here I Am To Worship

Scripture Reading Acts 6:1-7 Page 914

Offering

Children are dismissed for Children's Church in Room A

Message Series - Acts of the Holy Spirit
The First Deacons

Closing Song *These Hands*

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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
6:30 PM	Warriors (Sr. High Youth) in the Challenge Center

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. You can also watch or listen to previously recorded services.



Part 2

Ministry spotlight

During announcements today, we are spotlighting our church's different Ministries. Today will be Part 2 of Christian Education. Please "stay tuned" to find out **how you can join in.**

Church Vision Meeting - Notes from the meeting and a video link are now available. Contact the Church Office to get a copy of the notes and/or the link. This meeting was to help us determine our vision as a church and the direction in which we are heading.

DivorceCare - Someone you know is hurting. Tell him or her about DivorceCare, a special weekly seminar and support group for people who are separated or divorced. This begins on Monday, July 31st, at 7:00 PM. Contact Barb Luzum.

Baptisms - On Sunday, August 20th, we will be having a Baptism Service in the Middle Loup River near the home of Trent and Lisa Russell. If anyone in your family is considering being baptized, please contact Pastor Tim or Doug Stewart.

Financial Report

So grateful for the generous, giving hearts of this church body in 2017!

Weekly Budget	\$6,033
July 16th	\$2,265

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Bluegrass & Southern Gospel Festival - Come and enjoy some foot-stompin' Gospel and Bluegrass Gospel music at our 1st Annual Bluegrass Gospel Festival on **Friday, August 11th (from 5 PM - 11 PM)** and **Saturday, August 12th (from 2 PM - 11 PM)** at the Custer County Fairgrounds in Building 18 (also known as the Shooting Sports Building or Paddock Building). Proceeds are going to the establishment of a Hispanic ministry in Broken Bow. Just a few of the bands and artists that will be performing are: The Treble Makers, A Little Bit of Heaven, South Loup Sunrise, Julie and Mike, Juan Santos, Karen Nehls, Don Schauda & Friends, plus many more.. **Tickets are \$12 on Friday, \$15 on Saturday or \$25 for both days. Order tickets at: bowefc.eventsmart.com or call the church office.**

YCF Lake Day - Mark your calendar for Saturday, August 12th, for Young Couples Fellowship Lake Day at Calamus. More details to follow.



Celebrate Recovery -This ministry meets at BB-EFC in the Challenge Center on Monday evenings from 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM with fellowship time following. It is designed to be a support to anyone who has a hurt, hang-up or habit that is hindering their life. Pray for this group that it will be a safe place for people to come and grow in a relationship with Jesus Christ. Pray also that the message of this ministry goes out into the community.

Serving Today:

Nursery: Chad, Alynn and Shayleigh Coleman

Children's Church: Bev May, Sally Armstrong

Ushers: Pete Olson, Shawn Denney, Gary Roberts, Russ Simmons

Greeters: Ray and Connie Squier

Serving Next Week:

Nursery: Alicia Hermsmeyer, Rhett and Shaylyn Safranek

Children's Church: Laurissa, Tia and Katie Epley

THIS WEEK

Monday, July 24, 2017

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

Tuesday, July 25, 2017

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

Wednesday, July 26, 2017

- 9:30 AM Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study

UPCOMING CALENDAR

July

- 30 Communion Sunday
31 DivorceCare Begins - 7:00 PM

Aug

- 2 Worship Team Meeting 8:00 PM
9 Missions Committee Meeting 2:00 PM
11 1st Annual Bluegrass Gospel Festival 5:00 PM - 11:00 PM
12 1st Annual Bluegrass Gospel Festival 2:00 PM - 11:00 PM
12 YCF (Young Couples Fellowship) Lake Day



Birthdays and Anniversaries For July

Please pick up 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.”

Aaron Epley - Continue to pray for answers for his healing.

Angie and Steve Mogensen - Pray that Kristopher will progress to eat on his own.

Shelby Winchester - Answers to health issues.

Dan and Karen Strawder - Continue to pray for health improvement.

Boys Town - Would like to recruit more foster care families in Custer County.

Johnnie Gugierrez - Continue to pray specifically that she will be able to maintain her tracheotomy and other medical devices.

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 - Paul and Janet Harkness, with AWANA in Ord, NE, write that Paul has been able to traveled nearly 5,000 miles for ministry this year; meeting with Pastors, Awana Commanders and Leaders and giving input while visiting Awana Clubs in action and having opportunities to encourage many.

Pray for Our Local Churches: BB Presbyterian Church, Pastor Gary Smith

Pray for a Midwest District Church: Hope Evangelical Free Church, Omaha, NE, Pastor Donald Moore

Acts of the Holy Spirit

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Acts 6:1-7

Facing _____

Acts 6:1

The World's approaches to difficulties

Colossians 2:20-23

Philippians 2:12

Revelation 3:15-16

Galatians 6:4

2 Timothy 4:3-4

_____ _____ to face difficulties

Acts 6:2-3

Transparent

Acts 6:1

John 16:1-4

Fellowship

Acts 6:2

In the Spirit

Acts 6:3

In the Fear of the Lord

Acts 6:3

In the Word

Acts 6:7

Sermon Notes - Are available upon request by contacting the Church Office.