



Cooperating For A Common Cause: God's Glory

A Series Of Studies From Nehemiah

Nehemiah's Strategy For Success:

Prayer, Patience, Perspective, & Purpose

—Nehemiah 2:17-18

By Pastor Greg Dykstra

Today April 28, 2024

Adult and Children's Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Growing God's Way Children's Ministry

Lil Sprouts: Under 2

Sprouts: Years 2-5

Evergreens: Kindergarten – 5th Grade

All children are dismissed for Children's Church before the Message

"The reason why some of us are less than what we might be is not because of the absence of God's power; it's because we just have not focused and realized that God is willing to use an ordinary person like you and me in my office, in my street, in my home, in my school, in my environment." – a summary of a common quote from various pastors

Order of Worship

Announcements/Opening Prayer

Songs of Praise & Worship

Pastoral Prayer

Message

Closing Song

This Week (unless noted, all events are held at church)

Sunday

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Youth Group 6:00 p.m.

Monday

Women's Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Discipleship Study 6:30 a.m.

Elders Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Men's Bible Study 6:30 a.m.

Women's Bible Study 10:00 a.m.

Thursday

**National Day of Prayer and
Missionary visit with Andy & Ameet
7:00 p.m. @ Yon Abel's house**

Opportunities

National Day of Prayer, May 2: We'd like to encourage as many people as possible to participate. The church sanctuary will be open that day from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Please consider this an urgent call to pray for our families, our church, our schools, our work, and our country! **See bulletin insert for exciting missionary visit invitation!**

Prayer Relay: We will be doing the prayer relay again this year on Thursday, May 2 for the National Day of Prayer. We sent out an email with information on how the relay works and how to sign up. If you did not receive the email, please contact the church office. (office@applefreechurch.org or call 920-735-9971)

Daughters of the King Spring Brunch: Ladies, please join us for our **Spring Brunch** after the service on **Sunday, May 5th!** The focus of this time is **multigenerational fellowship**, with a special emphasis on **daughters** – the littlest ladies of our congregation! If you'd like to contribute towards our Brunch items, please use the **Sign-Up Genius** link! For more information please contact Amy Pankow @ 920-268-7068 or the church office.

Prayer Requests / Comments

As a church we believe in the power of prayer and would love to pray for you. Please share your details with us using your phone.



Open your phone's camera and point it at the QR code. You will be prompted to open a link, which will take you to our online prayer requests form.

Connect With Us

Welcome visitors! We are so glad you are here. We would love to connect with you. Please share your details with us using your phone.



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YTD Giving

Budgeted	\$114,501
Actual	\$ 80,050

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Growing together in Christ



- **Biblical Truth**

We depend on the Bible as our source of authority in what we believe, what we teach, and how we live.

- **Worship**

We believe that we are created by God to worship Him. Therefore, we live in worshipful response to God's character and activity.

- **Prayer**

We believe that daily prayer is essential in the life of a believer and as such we pray with expectancy knowing that God is actively involved in our world.

- **Evangelism**

We believe in sharing the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ with honesty and humility.

- **Fellowship**

We believe that accountability, caring and a sense of belonging are essential for each believer to grow in their relationship with Christ.

- **Encouragement**

We believe we are responsible for caring for and encouraging one another.

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CLOSED Mondays
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