



**Following the Leader**

1 Corinthians Chapter 1

By

Pastor Andy Sell

Today July 13, 2025

**Adult Sunday School 9:00 a.m.**

**Children's Church**

Sprouts: Years 2-5

Evergreens: Kindergarten – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

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

**"Your faith should not be in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God." – 1 Corinthians 2:5**

## Order of Worship

Announcements/Opening Prayer  
Songs of Praise & Worship  
Pastoral Prayer  
Message  
Closing Song  
Closing Prayer

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

<b>Sunday</b>	Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Youth Group 6-8 p.m.
<b>Tuesday</b>	Discipleship Study 6:30 a.m. <b>Elders Meeting 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>“Step by Step” &amp; Prayer 6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Prayer Gathering @ Yon Abel’s 6:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Men’s Breakfast 7:30 a.m.</b>

### **Opportunities**

**Men’s Breakfast:** Men, please join us this Saturday, July 17 @ 7:30 a.m. for a time of fellowship, food, and fun.

**Texas Flooding Response:** If you have been saddened by the loss of life in Texas and wonder how you can help, the Evangelical Free Church already has boots on the ground. They are meeting with a church in the area and are starting trauma care. If you feel you want to help you can donate at this site <https://give.efca.org/projects/texas-hill-country-floods>

**All Church Prayer Gathering:** Come and join us at Yon Abel’s house every Thursday, as we set aside time to pray together.

**“Snacks & Steps”:** Come and join us **Wednesday, July 16 @ 6:30** to hear about the church’s next steps forward. It will be a time to ask questions, be encouraged, and pray for the future of our church. Snacks will be provided!

**Christmas in July: See bulletin insert!**

**Missionary Speakers:** The missionaries who are coming to speak to us during the Adult Bible Fellowship Class from 9-9:45 and briefly in our Sunday service are the Davis’ and the Smith’s on July 20, and Nathan Kapitaniuk from MASA on July 27.

## 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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## RightNow Media Access

We invite you to free access to +20,000 Bible Study Videos for adults, youth, and kids! Open your phone's camera and point it at the QR code which will take you to the registration page for our church's account or click on <https://app.rightnowmedia.org/join/applefreechurch>.



**Appleton Community EFC**  
**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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### **Church Office Hours**

CLOSED Mondays  
Open Tuesday-Friday  
8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.