

Order of Worship

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

Announcements:

*Opening Songs: "House of the Lord"

"To God Be the Glory" #66

"Jesus Only Jesus"

Prayer

Offertory: "Freely, Freely"

Scripture Reading: Romans 1:8-17

Message: **"The Great Reformation"**

*Closing Song: "I Want to Know You"

*Benediction

Postlude

*stand as you are able

Song Leaders: **Craig & Kathi Sipes, Praise Team**

Organist: **Deb VanZuiden**

AV/Tech Team: **William & Jenny Patton**

Deb Adolph

Garry Seaman

Pastor J.T. Bean

Welcome

Welcome to Ebenezer Church! If you have any questions about our church life, fill out our communication card and the Pastor will be in contact with you. If you have any **prayer concerns** that you would like to put on the prayer chain, email Pastor J.T. Bean at pastorJT@ercmorrison.com. You may also fill out the Ebenezer Communication Card on the bulletin and drop it into the offering box. Sue Bond's email is office@ercmorrison.com. Please send bulletin announcements to this email no later than the Thursday before service. If you would like to become a church member, contact Pastor J.T. for more info.

The church OFFICE is open Monday-Friday 9am-1pm and Saturdays 7:30am-12pm.

This Week at ERC

- Youth & Education – TODAY at 10:45
- Church Life – Monday, January 5 at 10:30 am
- Building & Property Committee – Tuesday, January 6 at 6:30 pm
- Women's Bible Study – Wednesday, January 7 at 1:30 pm
- Aftershock starts up again – Wednesday, January 7 at 5:30
- Worship Team – Thursday, January 8 at 5:15 pm
- Exec Team – Thursday, January 8 at 6:30 pm
- Men's Bible Study – Saturday, January 10 at 7:30 am

Happy Birthday This Week To:

1/5 Beau Brackemyer **1/6** John Taylor **1/6** Noah Stout
1/7 Merral Allison **1/8** Chana Kullerstrand **1/8** Delores Stuart
1/8 Kevin Bruckner **1/10** David Ottens **1/10** Michael Blean

Nursery:

Today - Shawn & Kevin Soenksen
1/11 – Angie T & Allison W

Bell Ringer:

Today - Randy Renkes
1/11 – Jon Kophamer

Greeters:

Today - Barb Prins & Deb Adolph
1/11 – Barb Domdey & Doris Bull

Prayer Room:

Today - Phil Ardapple
1/11 – Barney Habben

Welcome Center Hosts:

Today - Verne & Pat Pessman
1/11 – Ken & Glenda Jansma

Fellowship Hall Hosts:

Today - Jack & Susan Bland
1/11 – Schavers & Wiebengas

Offering Last Sunday:

General Fund: \$8,174
Christmas: \$1,330
Event Donation: \$1,000

December Counting Team:

Jenny Patton
Darlene Schipper

Reasons to Rejoice and Prayer Concerns

- **Those who need restored health through recovery and healing:** Marguerite Clark, Neva Baar, Elmer Huizinga, Jeg Weets, Ron & Louise Wiersema, Jennifer Schultz, and all those with special needs or unspoken prayer requests.
- **Those in nursing/assisted living homes:** Ron Wiersema, Joanne Peterson, Sandi Gorzney, Barb Geerts, Loretta Temple, Don VanDerLeest, Joyce Wilkins, Darlene Vos, Delores Stuart, Allen Buikema, Coretta Vankooten, & Ruth Rosenow, (at Resthave); Marv Tichler (La Bella), Bob & Irma Brands (at Homestead of Morrison); Marge Gorzny (at Allure in Prophetstown); Also: Pam Gorzny.
- **Those serving our country:** Gregory Bush (Air Force), Brevin Pruis (Navy), Tyler Haan (Air Force), Elijah Bean (Air Force).

Ebenezer Communication Card

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I am a visitor today/new to community

I would like to join Ebenezer

I have a change of address/email/phone

Announcements

Tacos & Trivia will be Sunday evening, January 18 at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. This is always a fun event. Please reach out to neighbors & friends and bring them along as this is an Outreach, Missions, & Evangelization event. There is no charge.

The Delightful Diners will be gathering at Happy Joes middle room Thursday, January 22 at 5 pm for a pizza buffet. Reservations with Karen or Pat are needed in advance. Thx everyone!!

If you are able, please sign up to bring baked goods for the Fellowship Hall. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

Prayer Request Slip

Fill out this short slip for anyone who needs our prayers this week.

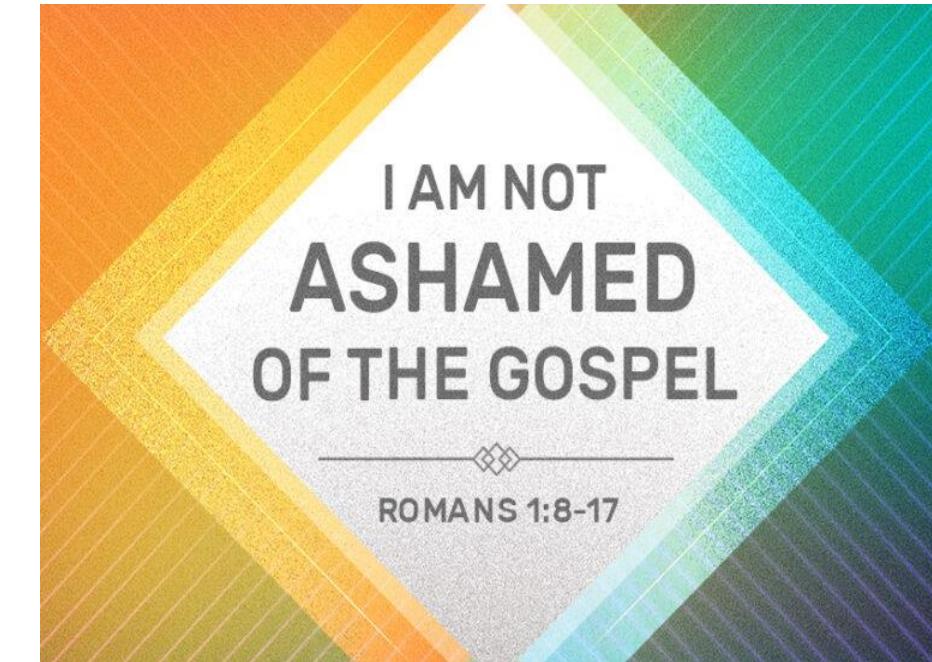
Name and Praying for: _____

[] I will have an upcoming surgery at _____, on this date _____ and would like a visit _____ or call _____ from the Pastor.

Comments: _____

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Monthly Memory Verse

Isaiah 43:18-19 NIV

Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.
See, I am doing a new thing!
Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?
I am making a way in the wilderness and streams
in the wasteland.

**January 4, 2026
9:30 a.m.**

ERC is a congregation called to intentionally share the gospel in word and deed, as the hands, feet, and voice of Jesus Christ. God is calling us to be a vibrant body of believers helping people experience God's love in Jesus Christ.