

Order of Worship

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

Announcements:

Karen Price

*Opening Songs: "Who is on the Lord's Side?" #484

"Philippians 1"

"They'll Know We are Christians"

Symbols of our Faith

Apostle's Creed

Prayer

Offertory: "Your Will Be Done"

Scripture Reading: **Philippians 1:27-30**

Keith Morine

Message: "How Christians Should Conduct Themselves"

Pastor J.T. Bean

*Closing Song: "We are Called to be God's People"

*Benediction

Postlude

* *stand as you are able*

Song Leaders: **Praise Team**

Pianist: **Deane Patten**

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

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

- Mid-High Class - Today – 10:45 a.m. in the Upper Room
- Youth & Education Committee – Today – 10:45 a.m.
- Church Life Committee – Monday, May 4 at 10:30 a.m.
- Ladies Bible Study – Wednesday, May 6 at 1:30 p.m.
- Men's Bible Study – Saturday May 9 at 7:30 a.m.

Happy Birthday This Week To:

5/3 Tyler Todd 5/6 Joanne Peterson 5/6 Nina Damhoff

5/7 Emma Allison 5/8 Sophie Damhoff

Nursery

Today - Shawn & Kevin Soenksen

5/10 - Beth Milnes & Kinlee Prins

Greeters:

Today - Kathy V. & Mary Schaver

5/10 - Doris Bull & Barb Domdey

Welcome Center Hosts:

Today - Jon & Martha Kophamer

5/10 - Michael & Marcia Blean

Offering Last Sunday:

General Fund: \$4,203

Camp Fund: \$200

Organ: \$870

Bell Ringer:

Today - Josh Gowan

5/10 - Jeff Weaver

Prayer Room:

Today - Keith Hamstra

5/10 - Phil Ardapple

Fellowship Hall Hosts:

Today - Jack & Susan Bland

5/10 - Mother's Day

May Counting Team:

Gregg Wiersema

Brian Tichler

Reasons to Rejoice and Prayer Concerns

- **Those who need restored health through recovery and healing:** Dave Weber, Neva Baar, Elmer Huizenga, 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, Darlene Vos, Delores Stuart, Allen Buikema, & Ruth Rosenow, (at Resthave); Marguerite Clark & 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

Ebenezer Reformed Church

309 East Park Street
Morrison, Illinois 61270
815-772-2472



May 3, 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.

Announcements

The annual Mother-Daughter banquet will be held Tuesday, May 12 with dinner at 6:00 pm and program to follow at 7:00 pm. You can purchase tickets from Marilyn Tichler on Sundays or in the Office between 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Monday – Friday. See Insert for additional details.

Next Diners Group will be Thursday, May 21 at 5:00 pm at Don Julio's in Fulton. Reservations are essential. Please contact Karen Price or Pat Zuidema.

Calling all Graduates: Please call the office with the names and schools of anyone graduating from 8th grade, high school, or college/tech school.

Resthaves "Walk & Roll" will start up again on Monday, June 1. Meet at the Nursing Wing reception desk a few minutes before 9. The walking usually takes about a half hour, depending on the number of volunteers we have. This service is a blessing to both the residents and the walkers.

"Thank you for the prayers, phone calls, messages, flowers, and cards when I had my shoulder surgery. It all was much appreciated." Michelle Hook

Monthly Memory Verse

Philippians 2:3 **NIV**

"Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather in humility, value others above yourselves."

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: _____