



Info Central

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PASTOR SHILOH

The Morris family is moved back to Bismarck, North Dakota—our hometown! We are settling in and I had my first week in the office. I am enjoying getting to know the pastoral staff, office staff and FEFC church family. Last Sunday kids in grades K-6 had their first Kid's Church—a service just for kids! Over 50 kids learned the "Big Idea" for the day: "Keep Your Eyes on the Road." The theme for this summer's Kid's Church is "Road Trip." This series focuses on four aspects of Colossians 3 that will help each of us live lives that honor God. 1) Keep your eyes on the road! 2) Always dump the sludge! 3) Stow the right gear on board! 4) Make sure you're hooked-up right. If you haven't already, check out the "Road Trip" theme set in the Community Room, please pray with us for:

- ⇒ Kids to be open to the gospel and a relationship with Jesus Christ;
- ⇒ Kids to have a hunger for God's Word and to be growing in their relationship with Him;
- ⇒ Our home in Foley, MN to sell;
- ⇒ Kids' ministry fall kickoff planning and ministry needs:
 - ⇒ Sunday Kid's Church leaders;
 - ⇒ Sunday school teachers;
 - ⇒ preschool church service

Our children's ministry exists to bring kids into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ by providing worship and learning experiences that will accent and support the discipleship efforts of families. Robyn and I are privileged to be here at FEFC to serve kids and their families. The memory verse in last Sunday's Kid's Church is a great one for us all to live by! (Colossians 3:2) "Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things." ~Pastor Shiloh Morris

FLOOD SUPPORT

Every Thursday evening from 7:00-9:00 p.m. our church is offering a "Flood Care and Share Support Group" for anyone who would like to come and be part of a group of people who want to hear from others who are going through some of the same difficulties during this time we are in. It will be a time of sharing and prayer. Whether you are directly in the flood waters or not, everyone is welcome to come and be part of the group. We meet in the foyer. Hope to see you there!

PRAYER CARDS

Prayer cards and pens are now available in the holders in each row of seats in the sanctuary. Please write your requests and drop it in the offering plate!

FOYER REMODEL

Hey, just a heads up...in the next few weeks you will see the Church foyer taking on a new LOOK! We are excited about the changes! THANKS to those who donated financially as well as of their time and resources for this remodel!

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SERMON SERIES ON WOMEN OF THE BIBLE STARTS JULY 3RD

STEER BBQ-FEATUREING CRIST FAMILY

Are you ready for a time for refreshing your body and soul with some great food, fellowship and music? STEER will be holding a barbeque at First E Free on Saturday, July 16th at 5:00pm Doors open at 4:00p.m. There is no cost for tickets but there will be a 'Free Will Missions' offering; **We ask that you please reserve a meal ticket by 14th of July in order to plan for enough food.** You can make reservations by calling 258-4911 or emailing events@steerinc.com. The meal tickets you reserve will be available at the church upon arrival of the Barbecue. If you choose not to eat, you still come and enjoy the concert. We realize, geographically, many of you will not be able to participate, but if, by chance, you are planning to be in the Bismarck area on the 16th, maybe this is something you would like to consider attending!

ATTENTION LADIES

Save the dates:

- ⇒ August 10, 6:00-9:00 p.m.: "An Evening at the Fair" at Buckstop Junction
 - ⇒ September 10, 8:00 a.m.-4:15 p.m.: "Beth Moore Simulcast"
- Watch for more details in the bulletin and Info Central in the coming weeks!!!

VIDEO PROJECT

Hi Everyone! I bet all those that received the mass emails are saying, "Oh! no! Now where do we have to go?" Well, not this time. Instead we are in the process of making a video of the flooding and how it impacted the church and our community. If you evacuated, prepared with sandbagging, or help with others sandbagging, we would love to hear your stories. We want to hear what God is doing in your life. If you have pictures of the hard workers who were helping, pictures of your home before/after, or any other pictures of the flooding, we would love to get copies of them so we can use them in a photo montage. Please contact Wendy at 223-3330 or wendy@firstefree.com by July 17 with your pictures or if you would be willing to share your story. Thank you for thinking about doing this. Please continue to pray for those still involved in the flooding along the Missouri here in the Bismarck/Mandan area, as well as along the Souris River in the Minot area. God is doing some amazing things!

Stewardship Update: April 30, 2011

	Month to Date	Year to Date
Total Income	\$ 76,134.80	\$ 76,134.80
Total Expense	\$ 67,144.23	\$ 67,144.23
Income Over/(Under) Expense	\$ 9,475.57	\$ 9,475.57

More detailed information is available upon request. Please contact Pat O'Dell at the church office.

WEEKLY EVENTS/MEETING INFO

- WED - June 29** Hebrew Class, 5:15 p.m.
FEFC Student Ministries, 6:30 p.m.
Worship Team Rehearsal, 7:45 p.m.
- THURS-June 30** First Place for Health, 6:00 p.m.
Flood Care and Share Support Group, 7:00 p.m.
- FRI - July 1** JOY Club @ McDonalds by Kmart, 9:30 a.m.
Chinese Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.
- SUN - July 3** Adult/Youth Sunday School, 9:00 a.m.
Worship Service/Children's Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
- MON - July 4** Fourth of July-Closed
- TUES-July 5** No women's Bible study

FEFC Student Ministries

PRIMETIME: Sunday for Jr. High & Sr. High @ 9:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT: 6:30- 8:30 P.M.

R.A.G.E. Jr. High (7th & 8th grades)

THE EXAMPLE Sr. High (9th-12th grades)

PRAYER CHAIN INFO

Please call the phone prayer chain captains and e-mail your requests to Laurie Grosz at the e-mail address below to activate your prayer requests.

E-MAIL PRAYER CHAIN INFO

prayer@firstefree.com

PHONE PRAYER CHAIN CAPTAINS INFO

DAYTIME : Catherine Grosz 255 -1361

EVENING : Doris Ann Van Beek 255 -0829

LIBRARY NEWS

The library will be closed until mid-July. The new location for the library will be in room 204.

GREETERS

In case you missed it...the NEW GREETING MINISTRY just started! It has been great seeing all these new greeters warmly welcome our church family and guests each week! If you want to be part of this ministry just let Pastor Kevin know!

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