



June is General Assembly season in the life of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church.

Just as the early church gathered in council in Acts 15 to deliberate together under the authority of Christ and His Word, the General Assembly serves as the annual meeting of the EPC's highest court. Each year, Ruling and Teaching Elders from across the country gather for worship, fellowship, training, and the conduct of the church's business. This year's 46th General Assembly will meet June 16–18 at Cherry Creek Presbyterian Church near Denver, Colorado.



One of the strengths of Presbyterian church government is its grassroots character. The wider church is not governed solely from denominational offices or committees, but through elders serving in local congregations. Sessions may bring matters before Presbytery, and Presbyteries may bring matters before the General Assembly. In this way, the voice of a local congregation can help shape the work of the entire denomination.

That reality is on display this year. Edgington EPC's Session submitted four items of business that were approved by Rivers & Lakes Presbytery and will be considered by the General Assembly. Whatever the final outcome, it is an encouraging example of Presbyterianism functioning as intended: local elders seeking the good of the broader church through the ordinary courts of the church.

My responsibilities at Assembly remain much the same as in previous years. During the business sessions, I serve as the moderator's timekeeper, managing debate and speaker clocks, and assist with proofreading the daily minutes for distribution and approval. In addition, as a member of the Permanent Judicial Commission, I remain available throughout the week to provide constitutional and parliamentary guidance as needed. Our nine-member commission serves as the denomination's highest judicial body and is occasionally called upon to assist the Assembly in matters requiring constitutional interpretation or procedural guidance.

I am also pleased that, for the second time, Edgington EPC will be represented by a Ruling Elder. Kevin Oak will attend this year's Assembly, building on the experience he gained during his first General Assembly in 2023. Having both Teaching and Ruling Elder representation is a tangible reminder of the shared leadership that is central to Presbyterian government.

Thank you to our congregation, and especially to our Session, for encouraging and supporting participation in the courts of the church. The work of Presbytery and General Assembly often takes place far from public view, but it is one of the ways Christ shepherds His church beyond the local congregation and helps us labor together for the advance of the Gospel.

ELDERS

Todd Stegmiller, Clerk
Jason Flickinger
Kim Freyermuth
Jim Mueller
Kevin Oak
Jason Parchert
Mic Penry
Steve Wagamon
Keith Wilson

DEACONS

Angie Freyermuth - Chair
Dorothy Rursch - Secretary
Kay Amy
Mitch Anderson
Connie Huntley
Tom Huntley
Melody VanOteghem
Deb Wagamon

TRUSTEES

Mel Block - Chair
Larry Pithan - Secretary
Ken Benningfield
Aaron Ehm
Jeff Fuhr
Phil Fuhr
Colby Mueller
Cindy Oak
Bill Sloan
JR Thomas

JUNE BIRTHDAYS

1 - Joshua Gierlus	14 - Daria Parchert
1 - Lane Weinert	15 - Sarah Mueller
2 - Molly Ill	16 - Jim Schaubroeck
2 - Sydney Maxwell	16 - Lexi Youck
3 - Kira Nelson	21 - Wyatt Terrill
5 - Jeff Schmidt	22 - Cami Ill
6 - Ken Benningfield	24 - Michelle Doonan
6 - Jason Rursch	24 - Zach Hopkins
6 - Jeff Thomas	24 - Gianna Zampogna
7 - Marlin Krueger	26 - Jacob Harper
8 - Jason Parchert	28 - Zyaire Moore
9 - Lyndsey Flickinger	29 - Tyson Freyermuth
9 - Jim Pettit	29 - Terri Kiddo
9 - Archer Weckerly	29 - Vicky Ruggles

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

4 - Wyatt & Karrie Fuhr
10 - Jim & Carrie Reimers
12 - Larry & Pam Pithan
14 - Norman & Jan Dunlap
16 - Kyle & Tara Johnson
18 - Donnie & Brandee Neece
18 - Steven & Amy Ryser
20 - Marlin & Darcy Krueger
21 - Josh & Kristen Adams
21 - Roger & Rachel Birkhead
22 - Robert & Alice Crawford
24 - Jeff & Kathy Fuhr
24 - Jim & Bailey Johnson

GREETERS FOR JUNE

Sunday, June 7th - Brett Johnson Family
Sunday, June 14th - Roger & Rachel Birkhead
Sunday, June 21st - Tom & Connie Huntley
Sunday, June 28th - Dewey and Shirley Flemming



HAPPY
Father's
DAY

For I have chosen him, that he may command his children and his household after him to keep the way of the LORD by doing righteousness and justice, so that the LORD may bring to Abraham what he has promised him.”

Genesis 18:19



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welcome



TO OUR NEWEST FAMILY MEMBERS!

(From left) Damon, Mariah, and Dale Hawn, Bo & Everly Weber, Grant Parchert

We are so thankful to God for our newest members and look forward to seeing how God grows them and uses them for His glory here at Edgington EPC and in our community!

Please be sure to introduce yourselves to them if you haven't already!

April 28, 2026, at 7pm

Location: Old Basement

Present: TE Hopkins and RE's Flickinger, Parchert, Mueller, Wilson, Oak, Freyermuth, Penry, Wagamon, Stegmiller. A quorum is present.

It was M/S/C to approve RE Wilson to serve as Clerk Pro-Tempore for this meeting. TE Hopkins will act as moderator of the meeting. Zach opened the meeting with prayer. Zach read from Luke 12:35-48. The Elders prayed for individual members from their respective shepherding groups for the month of April. For continuing education, the Session reviewed and discussed ch.4-5 of *The Elder Led Church*.

Approval/Amendment of Docket: It was M/S/C to approve the docket.

Approval of Minutes: It was M/S/C to approve the minutes of the March 31, 2026 Session meeting.

Correspondence: None.

Zach's Report: TE Hopkins reported on members with health concerns and prayer needs. He reported 2 office visits, 1 hospital visit, 6 home visits, many different meetings, and 3 funerals: Marilou Simpson, Margaret Nelson, and Jim Cooksey.

Old Business:

- RE's were asked to submit/review the Shepherding Form Letter.
- Continuing implementation of the February 2026 Leadership Gathering.
- The review of church policies continued. It was M/S/C to adopt the updated to the policies. TE Hopkins will follow-up for publishing purposes. Thank you to RE Wilson for his work on this task.
- RE Wilson and TE Hopkins reported on the 47th RLP Meeting held in Crivitz, WI on 4/24-25/26.

New Business:

- **MINISTRY**
 - Children's Ministry – continued discussion of an after-school ministry for 2027.
 - The Session discussed some ideas for the next round of men's ministry meetings.
 - The Session reviewed a proposal from the Women's Ministry for a 'Praying Pals' ministry initiative. Some questions were developed and will be pursued.
- **ADMINISTRATION**
 - M/S/C to approve the spring class of new members following their successful completion of elder interviews on 5/3/25.
 - M/S/C to approve the baptism of Dale Hawn (5/17/26).
 - M/S/C to approve RE Oak to be a commissioner to the 47th General Assembly held at Cherry Creek, CO on 6/16-18/26. His commissioner certification and registration still need to be completed.
 - M/S/C to approve vacation for TE Hopkins (6/8-15/26) prior to General Assembly (6/16-18/26). RE Stegmiller will cover Sunday School and RE Parchert will cover the pulpit on 6/14/26.
- Next Communion will be held 5/3/26. The next Stated Session meeting is 5/26/26.

M/S/C to adjourn the meeting at 9:45pm. TE Hopkins closed the meeting with prayer.

RE Keith Wilson, Clerk Pro-Tem

April 19, 2026

Opening Prayer: Angela opened our time together with prayer.

Old Business:

- **Student Membership Reception:** Everyone agreed the reception went great. We'll stick with the current plan of having the group bring in desserts and punch for these events moving forward.
- **Meal Trains:** This ministry is making a difference, and we will continue organizing these for families as needs arise.
- **Greeter & Usher Schedule:** May/June: Deb, July/Aug: Huntley, Sept/Oct: Dot, Nov/Dec: Angie (including additional services), Jan/Feb: Kay
- **Youth Participation:** We discussed the possibility of having the junior high or youth group kids take the offering on Sundays to get them more involved.

New Business:

New Member Reception (May 17th):

- Kay is making punch
- Everyone else, please bring a dessert.
- We need to pull together some decorations for the welcome table.

Trivia Night: We'll help get the word out and stand ready to help the Women's Ministry with snacks, drinks, or whatever hospitality help they need.

Spring/Summer Events (pending approval by session):

- **DIY Workshop:** Looking at a May/June timeframe for a Prayer Book and Bookmark workshop.
- **Music on the Lawn:** Planning a Sunday early evening community event. Melody is reaching out to our church musicians to see who is interested in playing. We'll keep it casual with lawn chairs and snacks
- **Safety Training:** Angie is looking into setting up a CPR and First Aid class (including AED and choking response) for September. She will check with Dillon and Andalusia Ambulance (Sara Casey).
- **Other Items:**
- We are looking into ordering name tags for church leaders. These will simply say the name with "Leadership Team" underneath.
- It was discussed to be more intentional about spotting new faces. We're looking into a small welcome gift or handout the deacons can give to visitors to make them feel at home.

Action Items:

- **Melody:** Check with musicians about their interest in the "Music on the Lawn" event.
- **Angie:** Contact Sara Casey regarding the September CPR/First Aid training.
- **Kay:** punch and everyone else desserts for the May 17th reception.
- **All Deacons:** Invite folks to Trivia Night and help the Women's Ministry with hospitality as needed.
- Seek guidance and approval for future events and visitor gift/handout ideas.

Closing Prayer: Led by Mitch.

Upcoming Meetings: May 24, June 7, July 12, Aug 9, Sept 13

Date: 5-20-26

Present: Mel Block, Cindy Oak, Bill Sloan, JR Thomas, Phil Fuhr, Treasurer Barb Freyermuth, Elder Kim Freyermuth. Larry Pithan via phone.

Mel opened the meeting with a devotional and prayer at 7:00pm.

There were no minutes since the meeting in April was cancelled.

Treasurer's report for April was reviewed and approved.

Old Business:

- Cindy has painted the areas that needed to be patched.
- Air conditioning platform has been built with trim that was available for the door; although there is still some trim needed for final completion.
- Larry got an estimate for installing a heating and air conditioning unit for the balcony from Crawford Heating and Air Conditioning. The air conditioner will be purchased from Todd Stegmiller's company. The estimate is approximately \$19,900.
- Mel has cleaned the fire alarms – there are over 25. We have reviewed other companies to provide this service and have received bid.
- It was decided Davenport Electric is the best choice. They have an “addressable” system so that every device has identifiable point. We can use our current wiring but will add some additional devices. Larry will get a written contract, and the cost will be approximately \$18,000.

New Business:

- It was reported that the water fountain isn't working. Trustees checked it after the meeting and reset the switch.
- There is loose siding on the south side. Mel is calling Mike Chillemi (ADB Construction) for him to fix.
- The church bell isn't working. Larry will look at it next week.
- Larry is going to check with Reynolds Telephone regarding switching our elevator phone to them from AT&T.
- It was voted and approved to use the bid from Crawford. Unit will be ordered and may take three weeks to arrive.
- Fire Marshall inspection showed that there are a few things on the boiler that must be fixed within 30 days. Mel gave the boiler report with repairs needed to Crawford Plumbing for review.
- Fans are needed for the attic; Mel will call Mike Chillemi for an estimate on the work.
- It was voted and approved to pay for part of the repair work being done from the General Fund and not use the Building Fund CD at this time.
- Cindy will be locking up the church for next month.

Mel closed the meeting with a prayer at approximately 7:40pm.

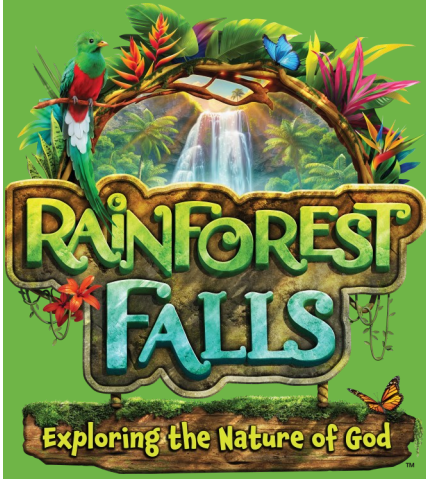
Respectfully submitted,

Barb Freyermuth

VBS PLANNING MEETING

Sunday, June 28, 12:15pm

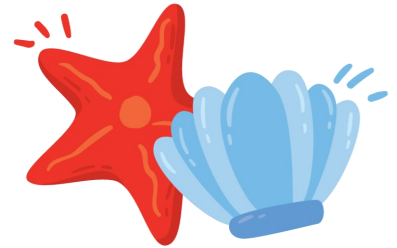
VBS Dates: July 20 - 24, 2026



The campers have been divided into small groups. Soon we will be matching counselors with each group according to counselor's requests and availability while meeting the needs of the VBS program. Counselor training dates have been set. They are as follows: Sunday, June 28th from 4:30-6pm or Tuesday, June 30th from 6:30-8pm. Attending one of the training events is a requirement in order to be a counselor.

Afternoon speakers and activities have been decided upon. We are now in the process of figuring which day is best for each one. Still trying to finalize the various work projects that our JH group will participate in. Once that is done, we will arrange transportation for the youth to get to and from the work project sites.

Thank you for the cardboard paper towel rolls and counselor gift cards purchased. We are still in need of more of both. The paper towel rolls can be left in the container in the church foyer. \$5 gift cards from any local coffee shop, Casey's, Shiver and Shakes, Chick-Fil-A, or Rocket Stop can be given to Beth Flickinger or Kathy Stegmiller. We are in the process of compiling a wish supply list for preschool, crafts, and games and will have it ready and on the table in the church foyer by the beginning of June. Please check the list and if you see something you are willing to donate or purchase, sign up that item(s).



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Project NOW
Community Action Agency



For many years now Edgington EPC has been a host site for Senior Meals. The doors are now open here for meals **EVERY WEEKDAY!**

Meals are available for a suggested donation of \$4 to anyone 60+ years or with a disability. If you are new to the program, you need to call 309-788-6335 the day before to request your meal.

Those who attend regularly come early to play cards and enjoy each other's company for a little longer than just meal time.

If you would like more information or want to check out the menu for the month click the Project Now logo above for the link to their website or call 309-788-6335.



YouthHope



HELP KIDS AND TEENS CONNECT WITH *God* AT CAMP SUMMIT!

Greetings!

You can give a life-changing experience to an at-risk youth by partnering to provide summer camp at YouthHope's Camp Summit! This summer, more than 500 kids and teens (Grades 3-12) will experience the joy, peace, and transforming power of God's love at Camp Summit! We need your help to sponsor our largest summer of campers!

You have the opportunity to directly change lives and show campers they are valued, treasured, and loved! You will provide kids the opportunity for a safe, fun, and positive week to find HOPE in Jesus!

WILL YOU PLEASE HELP SEND KIDS TO CAMP SUMMIT THIS SUMMER?

Sponsorship for 2026 summer camp is \$289 per camper. You will provide a low-income youth the opportunity to attend one week of overnight summer camp at Camp Summit. Your sponsorship provides a week of safety, three delicious meals each day, their own bed to sleep in, outdoor adventures, fun activities, skill building, positive role models, and an opportunity to experience God's love in a beautiful natural setting!

Kids and teens NEED this impactful summer opportunity! You will help teach them, build confidence, courage, and character, and most importantly, give HOPE for their futures. Your sponsorship covers all registration fees, food, lodging, transportation, camp staff, and amazing activities!

Camp Summit is a place for kids and teens to unplug and connect with God, caring mentors, and new friends!

Please pray for our staff as we passionately and persistently pursue youth, through home visits, and engage new students through referrals from schools, truancy officers, and prison ministries.

We need your help so every at-risk and low-income kid and teen who wants to attend Camp Summit is sponsored! Your sponsorship is a critical piece in providing this powerful camp experience for low-income youth.

We are excited for what God has in store for this summer! Thank you for your sponsorship, support, partnership, and prayers for the kids and teens this summer at Camp Summit!



Esther Joy King
YouthHope Executive Director

CAMP  SUMMIT



YouthHope

We bring youth HOPE!

Click on the image to the right to go directly to the donate page or scan the QR Code.

Sponsor A KID TO **CAMP SUMMIT**

Camp Summit is where students step away from everyday distractions, connect with nature, and grow in their faith.

This summer, we are planning for 560 campers—fully sponsored by generous donors and community partners. You can help make this possible!

Sponsor a camper for \$289 to cover transportation, meals, and activities like fishing, kayaking, ziplining, and more.

Our campers spend a week with dedicated counselors and campers, building relationships that last beyond camp. Help ensure every child can attend this year!

DONATE ONLINE



OR STOP IN OUR OFFICE!



HELP US PREPARE FOR SUMMER:

Pray for Camper Registrations

Sign-Up to Volunteer

Donate Summer Camp Needs Items

Sponsor a Kid to Camp

Summer Camp Needs:

- S'mores items & freeze pops
- Snacks (Hot Cheetos, Takis, candy, etc..)
- Bottled Water & Gatorade
- Sunscreen & Shaving Cream



Pregnancy Resources

Change the Way 2026

Your Change Changes Everything

We are participating in Pregnancy Resources' Baby Bottle Campaign again this year!

Please pick up your bottle if you haven't already, and fill it up with your change, dollar bills, a check, or scan the QR Code on the donation slip in the bottle, and bring it back to church by no later than Father's Day, Sunday, June 21st!



JUSTINE'S STORY

I was 16 and unsure of my future when I found myself at Pregnancy Resources. That's where I met Jenny, a kind nurse who became more than just a friendly face. **With the support I received, I chose to keep my baby girl despite my age and circumstances.**

Seventeen years later, I never imagined I'd be back. A newly single mom of 3, my story had grown long and complicated. We'd survived dangerous, harmful relationships that often left me physically and emotionally broken. We were homeless, I was unemployed and things were hard. Eventually we found a small apartment where I slept on the couch. I worked hard, praying for stability and peace.

Recently, I chose to leave another toxic, violent relationship. My health and financial struggles worsened, and I felt like I was drowning. Then I took a pregnancy test—and it was positive. I cried, overwhelmed by this new reality. In the middle of my fear, I ordered the abortion pill. It arrived at my door, and I stared at it for a week. Then I called Pregnancy Resources. **I needed someone to listen** and let me decide.

I had an ultrasound with Nurse Becca. She listened without judgment, and for the first time I felt a small sense of relief. I was behind on rent, very sick, and struggling with depression—but something kept pulling me back. At my next ultrasound visit, **Becca prayed with me and spoke words that calmed my spirit.**

I still didn't know how I could have a baby while struggling financially. But the team at Pregnancy Resources helped me apply for a scholarship that allowed me to catch up on rent. When I found out, I cried and held my kids—it was one of those moments where **God provided in a way** that felt almost unreal. Soon after, I was also blessed with a full-time job with benefits.

After talking again with Pam and Becca, I threw away the abortion pill — not because anyone told me to, but **because I felt supported, heard, and no longer alone.** They gave me the resources and strength to move forward. In June my baby is due and **because of Pregnancy Resources, being a single mom of four no longer feels impossible.**



Scan the QR Code to make a donation
from our Amazon Wishlist.



Volunteer Training 2026 Trainings

June 29th – July 1st, 2026 (Morning ONLY)

November 17th-19th, 2026 (Morning or Evening)

Morning Trainings are from 8:30am to 12:00pm & Evening Trainings are from 5:30pm to 9:00pm.

- * All trainings are held at our Moline Center (3825 16th St., Moline, IL 61265)
- * Want to register? Sign up online! [Register Here!](#)
- * Now only 3 days, our volunteer training is required for volunteers who want to work directly with the women and men we help. Training covers helping skills, fetal development, adoption, abortion procedures and risks, ministry goals, and Biblical training on the sanctity of human life.
- * For more info or to RSVP, contact Maia at (563) 386-3737 or Maia@qcpregnancy.org
- * There are many different types of volunteer positions at the centers.
Call 563-386-3737 to find out more.
- * Spanish-speaking and French-speaking volunteers are needed!

Scan the QR Code to register
for volunteer training:





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	Beg. Balance	Receipts	Disbursement	End. Balance
General Fund	\$ 120,551.36	\$ 16,575.32	\$ 28,682.53	\$ 108,444.15
Education Fund	17,056.55	214.89	-	\$ 17,271.44
Building Fund (see below)	124,841.30	3,866.82	-	128,708.12
<i>Checking</i>	16,638.12	2,815.62	-	19,453.74
<i>Money Market</i>	108,203.18	1,051.20	-	109,254.38
Youth Group	22,156.18	2,295.00	205.29	24,245.89
	\$ 284,605.39	\$ 22,952.03	\$ 28,887.82	\$ 278,669.60

April 2026 MONTHLY REVIEW - General Fund

Receipts - April 2026

Pledges	16,560.01
Interest Income - General Fund	15.31
Per Member Asking	-
Basement Rent	-

\$ 16,575.32 \$ -

Expenditures - April 2026

Administrative

ABS (copier rental)	214.14	20.6%
AT&T - Phone for elevator	248.82	
Cemetery Upkeep		
Computers: Hdw, Sftw and Apps	37.00	
Insurance	(11.11)	
Jeanne Hayes (Custodian)	655.14	
Lisa Bowman (Office Manager)	1,412.16	
Kone (elevator)		
MidAmerican Energy /Edgington	619.00	
Water		
Millenium Waste		
Office Supplies & Printing/	366.28	
Photocopying		
Repairs & Maintenance - general	83.30	
Reytel - Internet	121.04	
Shipping/Postage		
Taxes / FICA / Penalty	2,155.77	

\$ 9,431.99

Discipleship (Internal)

Children's Director	393.25	32.9%
Continuing Education		
Deacon Expense		
EPC General Assembly		
EPC (health)	24.27	
Events		
Fidelity (pension)	1,114.15	
Housing Allowance	4,291.66	
Meals		
Mileage		
Pastor Salary	2,782.08	
Presbytery Expense	158.58	
Pulpit Supply		
Resource Materials		
Sunday School		
Worship Supplies/Music/Flowers	668.00	

\$ 13,349.00

Mission (external)

Mission - International	\$ 6,375.00	46.5%
Mission - US	2,250.00	
Mission - Local	4,724.00	

TOTAL EXPENSES

\$ 28,682.53

NET OPERATING INCOME

\$ (12,107.21)

INCLUDED IN GENERAL FUND TOTAL

Mission monies committed within general fund as of end of month is \$20,721 and Assistance Fund of \$4,483

CURRENT SERMON SERIES

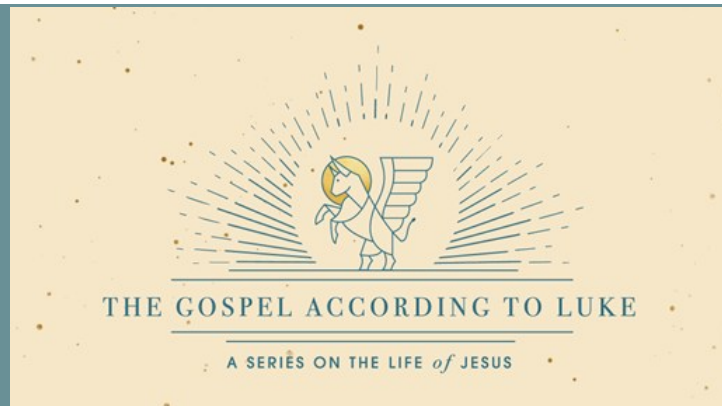
Pastor Zach continues preaching through The Gospel According to Luke with a short break for Easter. Please join us each week! We look forward to seeing you and diving deep into God's Word together!

Sunday, June 7th - [Luke 20:27-40](#)

Sunday, June 14th - RE Jason Parchert preaching

Sunday, June 21st - [Luke 20:41-47](#)

Sunday, June 28th - [Luke 20:45-21:4](#)



SCRIPTURE LINKS - Download the apps!



ESV.org is an online Bible reading tool created to help you read and engage with God's Word. While many features of the site are available without signing in, we invite you to **create a free account**, which makes it easy to save personal notes, highlight favorite verses, and start interactive reading plans.

(Click on the images to go to their websites)



Blue Letter Bible provides powerful tools for an in-depth study of God's Word through our free online reference library, with study tools that are grounded in the historical, conservative Christian faith. We view the Bible as central to our study resources. We intentionally designed the website to include study tools that are linked directly to Bible passages. Dig deep into the Word using commentaries, encyclopedias, maps/images and much more. One of our most used tools is the Lexicon search, which gives users immediate access to the original Hebrew and Greek words.

REDEMPTIVE-HISTORICAL BIBLE READING PLAN

© Greg Lanier (glanier.wordpress.com)

Each year Pastor Zach provides a new reading plan to help equip you to spend time reading through God's Word. This year he has chosen a redemptive-historical reading plan from Greg Lanier, who is an associate professor of New Testament at Reformed Theological Seminary, Orlando (full-time) and as associate pastor at River Oaks Church (PCA) (part-time).

Annual Bible reading plans are great. But there are tradeoffs. They can be oppressive for some, and they require a heavy load of reading spread equally across all chapters and books with little time to reflect, pause, connect dots, etc. One may not, at the end of reading the Bible through in a year, emerge with a much better understanding of the 1,189 chapters you just read. The plan provided on the next few pages and linked to the image takes a different approach meant to complement (not replace) the normal one. It curates the key chapters of the OT that help frame the flow of redemptive history (how God has worked in history to bring about his plan of salvation). Most sections of OT readings include NT chapters that shed light on fulfillment in Christ. You can go at your own pace and pause however often you want to dig deeper and reflect on what you are reading. At the end, you will have a solid grounding in the entire message of the Bible, which can then help you revisit those 1,189 chapters afresh.

In the year ahead, ask God each day to speak directly to you from the Scripture passages you read. Be expectant, and let your continual exposure to God's Word reshape your attitudes and behavior as you gain a better understanding of every part of His written testimony to us.



Daily Bible Reading
MAKE IT A HABIT THIS YEAR

Hard copies are located on the table in the sanctuary foyer.

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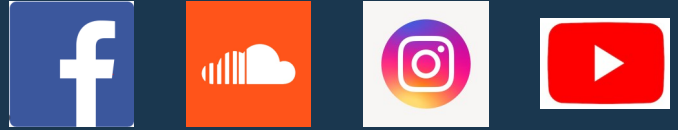


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Join us for a deep-dive into Paul's letter to the Galatians - one of his most powerful and foundational writings on the gospel of grace and Christian freedom.

As Pastor Zach unpacks the text verse by verse, you'll not only grasp Galatians more deeply, but also gain tools for reading and understanding all of Scripture.



We meet every Lord's Day morning at 9am in the church basement. Please join us!



CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Every Sunday morning at 9am

- Toddler - Hillary Terrill & Kortney Gierlus
- Pre-K - Beth Flickinger
- 1st-2nd - Katie Pearson & Sue Miller
- 3rd-5th - Kathy Stegmiller
- Junior High - Tara Johnson
- Senior High - Nathan & Lyndsey Flickinger

We look forward to the privilege of caring for and teaching your children about Jesus each Sunday!

This summer we will have our "one-room schoolhouse" model again for the kids ages toddler - Jr. H. We will be working through Group Publishing's "All-in-One Sunday School for ages 4-12: When you have kids of all ages in one classroom". Each lesson comes with active learning experiences, interactive Bible stories, life applications, take home handouts, and more.

We are looking for volunteers to help the teachers each week. There is a signup sheet in the sanctuary foyer.

The High School Students are encouraged to join the Adult Class.

YOUTH TRIVIA NIGHT FOLLOW-UP

Our first Youth Group Trivia Night was a huge success! The basement was packed, and the evening was filled with fun, fellowship, and incredible support from our church family. Thanks to your generosity, we filled 12 tables and raised more than \$2,300.

We would also like to extend a special thank you to the Women's Ministry and the Deacons for providing drinks and snacks for the event.

Because of the overwhelming support and positive response, we hope to continue this fundraiser in the future, moving it to the winter, possibly January, when schedules are a little less busy for families. Stay tuned for more details to come!

Thank you again for your continued encouragement and support of the youth ministry. We truly couldn't do it without you!

With gratitude,

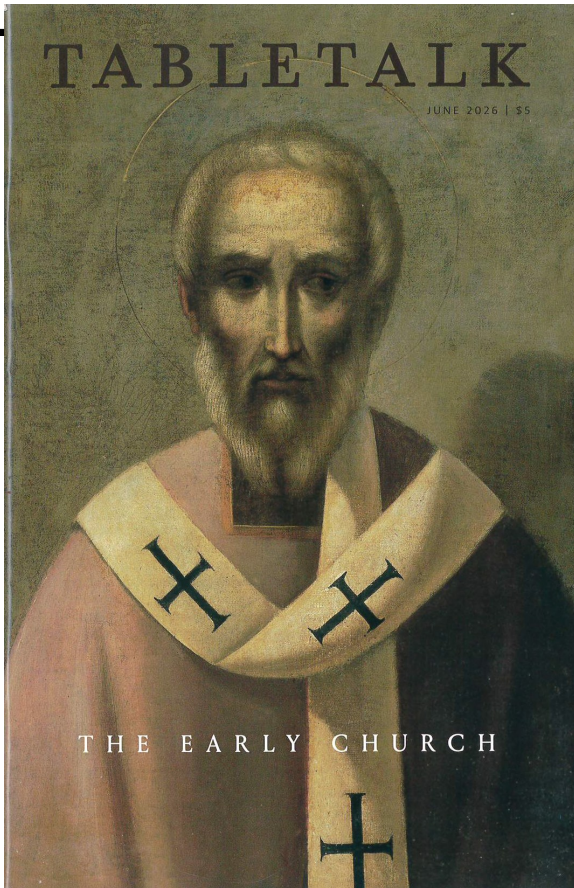
The Youth Group Leaders



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GET YOUR JUNE COPY OF
THE TABLETALK DEVOTIONAL



If you would like to submit something for the newsletter, please be sure to have it in by the deadline.



ALL submissions for the July 2026 Newsletter must be in by **NO LATER than Wednesday, June 17th** or they may not be included in the newsletter.

Thank you for your cooperation!

~ Lisa Bowman, Office Manager

Do you know anyone that is not receiving the Edgington EPC Newsletter each month? If so, please contact the church office at 309-795-1713 or edgingtonepc@gmail.com and let me know. I will be happy to make arrangements for it to be received by whatever means works best.

The newsletter is distributed via email and postal service. It is also posted to our Facebook page and website: edgingtonepc.org.

Thank you so much for your help!

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MONDAY MEDITATION

Each week on Monday morning (that's the goal, anyway!), Pastor Zach is sending out an email with the subject "Monday Meditation". In it, he summarizes the sermon from Sunday, lists a few key takeaways, and provides several practical applications.

We pray that you will find these to be a helpful tool in your study of God's Word and for deeper study of the sermon text.



EVERY SUNDAY (UNLESS NOTED)
5:30-7:30PM (UNLESS NOTED)

EPEC YOUTH GROUP

- 6.7 - VOLLEYBALL
- 6.14 - SLIP N SLIDE KICKBALL
- 6.21 - MISSION TRIP
- 6.28 - MISSION TRIP

FOR ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
CADE REIMERS FOR MORE INFO
309.373.2488



WOMEN'S MINISTRY WELCOMES ALL EEPc WOMEN

Wednesday, June 3rd at 1pm

Hostess: Sharon Orr

We will be considering suggestions for the Fall Bible Study, so if you cannot attend the meeting, please contact Sue Miller with your suggestions.

Topics will include:

- Matter of Balance Class
- Praying Pals Program
- Other obligations such as the Ice Cream Social in August.
- An outing to Isabel Bloom.
- Quilt "show" as a fundraiser
- Starting a group to crochet baby blankets. We need crocheters!!



QUILTING
Thursday, June 18th, 9am

Please join us on the third **THURSDAY** of nearly every month from 9am - noon as we create, piece, and sew quilts to present to next year's graduating seniors, as well as donate to various ministries.

Even if you don't know how to sew, but can operate a pair of scissors and/or an iron, we would love to have you! If we can increase our production, we will be able to bless even more people in the community.

Hope to see you there!

FOOT CLINIC
Next Clinic: Mon., June 15th, beginning at 9am

If you would like to receive a pedicure done by a medical professional, please call the church office at 309-795-1713 to schedule an appointment.

Women's Prayer & Fellowship
Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm

Save the Date!
Ice Cream Social
Sun., Aug 9th
4 - 7pm

WOMEN'S PRAYER & FELLOWSHIP
Wednesdays at 6:30pm

All women are welcome to attend every week or as often as they can. We are using the "Monday Meditations" that Pastor Zach is sending out as a guide.

We meet every Wednesday night for fellowship, devotion, a deeper dive into the sermon, & prayer and we hope you will join us!

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2026 GRADUATES

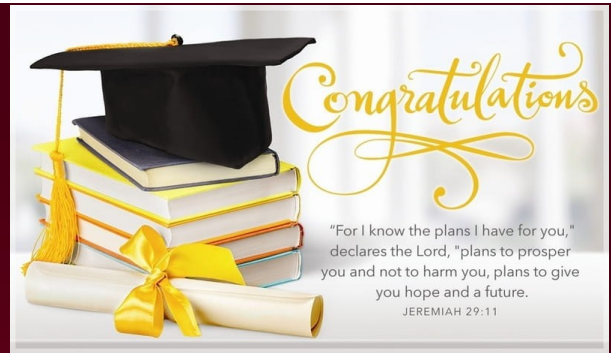
We would like to recognize and celebrate all our 2026 students that are moving on to their next adventure!

Please keep them in prayer as they try to discern God's path for their lives.

8th Grade moving into High School:

Joseph Gierhus
Grant Parchert

Travis Ryser



High School Graduates:

Madisyn Brashears Will be attending Black Hawk College to pursue a degree in nursing, with the goal of becoming a PICU nurse. She is also interested in pursuing volunteer opportunities while in school.

Morgan Flickinger Will be attending Illinois State University, majoring in Psychology. She will also be a member of their marching band.

Klay Goodnight Will be entering the workforce as a CAD (Computer Aided Drafting) Technician at Stanley Consultants in Muscatine.

Trayton Hazen Plans to join the United States Air Force. Hoping to pursue an education in mechanics while serving.

Molly Hawk Will be attending Florida Gulf Coast University, majoring in Nursing.

Caroline Neece Will be attending the University of Dubuque, majoring in Nursing. She will also be a member of the UD Marching Band and UD Concert Band.

Trent Pearson Will be entering the workforce in the construction field working for Mark Doonan.

Kaycee Price Will be attending the Indian Hills Community College. She will be continuing her education as a Radiology Technician.

College/University Graduates:

Gianna Johnson Graduating from St. Ambrose with a Bachelors of Science in Nursing. After graduation she will start as a Labor and Delivery nurse at Genesis East in Davenport.

Kenzie Reimers Graduating from Illinois State University with a Masters Degree in Communications.

We will be recognizing these graduates during our worship service on Sunday, May 10th. We pray you will join us and encourage them on their journey!

JUNE 2026



Sunday School 9am
Worship Service 10am

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31 VBS Mtg., 12:15pm Youth Group, 5:30pm	1 Meal Site	2 Meal Site	3 Meal Site Women's Ministry Mtg., 1pm Women's P&F, 6:30pm	4 Meal Site	5 Meal Site	6
7 Food Pantry Sunday Youth Group, 5:30pm	8 Meal Site	9 Meal Site	10 Meal Site Women's P&F, 6:30pm	11 Meal Site	12 Meal Site	13
14 Flag Day B/P Checks Youth Group, 5:30pm	15 Foot Clinic Meal Site	16 Meal Site Mission Comm. Mtg., 6:30pm	17 Meal Site Trustees' Mtg., 7pm Women's P&F, 6:30pm	18 Quilting, 9am Meal Site	19 NO Meal Site	20 Youth Mission Trip
21 Father's Day HAPPY FATHER'S DAY	22 Meal Site	23 Meal Site	24 Meal Site Women's P&F, 6:30pm	25 Meal Site	26 Meal Site	27
Youth Mission Trip Lincoln, IL						
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