

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

November 27th ~ December 4th

Sunday	November 27th
8:30 a.m.	Worship Service (Nursery & Children's Church Available)
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School / Adult Education
10:45 a.m.	Worship Service (Nursery & Children's Church Available)
6:00 p.m.	Youth Bowling meet at the Zimmerman Bowling Alley
Monday	November 28th
Tuesday	November 29th
6:30 p.m.	Life Recovery ~ Coffee Corner
6:30 p.m.	Eating Disorders Anonymous ~ Rm. 202
Wednesday	November 30th
12 Noon	Prayer and Communion
6:30 p.m.	Awana
6:30 p.m.	Middle School Youth
6:45 p.m.	Adult Prayer ~ Rm. 202
Thursday	December 1st
7:00 p.m.	Praise Band
Friday	December 2nd
9:00 a.m.	Mom's in Touch ~ Rm. 228
5:30 p.m.	Grandy Connexion ~ Coffee Corner
Saturday	December 3rd
6:30 a.m.	Men's Prayer ~ Rm. 228
Sunday	December 4th
8:30 a.m.	Worship Service (Nursery & Children's Church Available)
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School/ Adult Education
10:45 a.m.	Worship Service (Nursery & Children's Church Available)
6:30 p.m.	High School Youth

Giving November 20th - November 26th

Budget	\$ 8,077.00	\$ 379,618.00
Received	\$5,707.43	\$ 385,137.73
	\$9,197.13	\$ 5,519.73

Please pray for God's continued provision.

Volunteer Schedule

	Today	December 4th
	Nursery	Nursery
8:30 a.m.	Blake Family	Jenna Johnson
Sunday School	Sue Johnson	Jennifer Daugs
10:45 a.m.	Nielsen Family	Harker Family
	Children's Church	Children's Church
8:30 a.m.	Brown Family	Brown Family
10:45 a.m.	Jenny King	Jackie Somers
	Noah Almen	Demi Bond
	& Cami Bond	
	Ushers	Ushers
8:30 a.m.	Joel Johnson	Bob Freeh
	Lenny Kunzer	Keith Stickney
	Martha Stiller	Nels Andersen
	Keith Stickney	Lenny Kunzer
10:45 a.m.	Curt Johnson	Rich Bond
	Mike Kasprowicz	Randy Thompson
	Pat Kedrowski	Brett Soland
	Randy Thompson	Jon Almen

Prayer Chain

To submit a request call
Daytime: Dara Shank (763) 441-5681
Evenings: Inga Iliff (763) 856-2085 or go to zefc.org and go to the Contact Menu

Please Pray For:

- ✠ **God's continued healing presence and strength for:**
 - Ken Martin
 - Howard Meloch
 - Kathy Meloch
 - Jody Dubay ~ caringbridge.org/visit/jodydubay
- ✠ **Our Military**
 - Robert Dubay - ROTC
 - Troy Gabrielson - Guards
 - Matt Harker - Guards
 - Andy Johnson - Virginia
 - Matt Johnson - Charleston, South Carolina
 - Sara Hansen - Pensacola Beach, Navy Hospital
 - Peter Loso - Afghanistan
 - Andrew Nordlund - Afghanistan
 - Curt Serbus - Guards
 - Tim Serbus - ROTC
 - Nick Thompson - Washington State
 - John Vargas - Navy

Zimmerman Evangelical Free Church

"To know Jesus Christ and make Him known"

Sunday, November 27, 2011



Pastor Tom Sterneman

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Children's Ministry
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Worship 8:30 a.m.
Adult Education and Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.

**Welcome
to
Zimmerman Evangelical Free Church**

A place where you can come as you are, unwind, be encouraged and renew your strength for the next week. A place where you will feel accepted no matter where you are.

General Information

Please silence your cell phones and pagers during the service.

Nursery

Nursery is available for infants through age two during worship services and Adult Education/Sunday School.

Children's Church

Children's Church is available during both services for ages three through kindergarten. (Dismissal is announced prior to the sermon.)

Please check your children in with the teacher in the foyer and pick them up in Room 232.

Activity Bags

Activity bags for kids are located in the back of the Worship Center.

Please return them to one of the back tables.

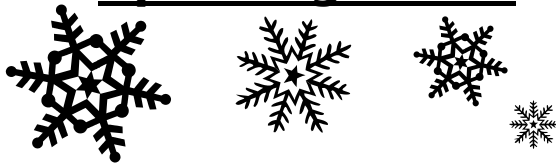
Communication Cards

Let us know you are here today! Write your prayer and information requests on the back and drop them in the offering basket.

TRAP JOURNALS

Available on the table in the foyer.

Upcoming Events



Children's Christmas Program

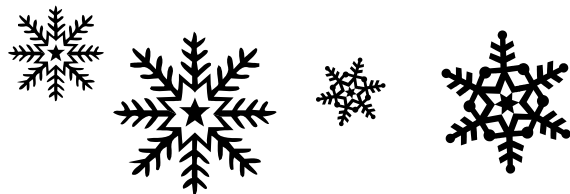
December 18th, 9:45 a.m.
during Sunday school.

Christmas Eve Service

December 24th, 4:00 p.m.

Christmas Day Services

December 25th, 8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.
No Sunday School or Children's Church



Life Recovery Ministry



A Christ-Centered
12 step approach.
Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.
here at ZEFC.

For dealing with any life-controlling issue.



Get Connected

Join a Connexion group. Connexion groups are places to connect with others relationally around God's word. To get plugged in with a Connexion group, contact Pastor Craig.

**ZEFC
Student Ministries
Back to the 80's**



Leg warmers, Zubas, Big Hair. Bring it with you when you join us for bowling.



Time Change
Sunday night,
November 27th,
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Meet at the Zimmerman Bowling Alley.



Preparations are on the way for this years Children's Christmas Program. December 18th at 9:45a.m. during the Sunday School hour.

Please save the date and parents please make sure to sign the photo permission so your child can participate.

Zimmerman Evangelical Free Church



For easy giving anytime, use your QR code reader to give on the mobile page.

Adult Education Classes

Faithful Bible Interpretation

Join us as we get into God's word. Meeting in Rm. 202



Open
9 to 11AM

COFFEE

It's all good

**CityKid
JAVA**

Choose the virtuous brew that kicks back to kids in the Twin Cities*

Keep it local!



Now featuring fall favorites like apple cider & Chai Tea as well as fresh baked goods.



CORNER

December is ZEFC's opportunity to serve area homebound people by delivering Meals on Wheels. Meals are picked up at Pine Cone Manor at 11:15 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays. Delivery takes about 1 hour. Talk to Wendy Gelle 856-2334.



Quotes Corner

“Every action of our lives touches on some chord that will vibrate in eternity.”

Edwin Hubbel Chapin

“And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.”

Hebrews 10:24

Right Action = Pure Worship
James 1:19-27
Matthew 25:34-46
11/27/2011
Pastor Tom Sterneman

I. Review activities we need to have under Gods control.

A. Anger (James 1:19-21)

B. Listening (James 1:25)

C. Speech (James 1:26)

II. Religion options

A. A pious effort (James 1:26)

1) Created by people
(Isaiah 44:14-15)

2) Un-controlling
(Col. 2:16-18, Matthew 6:7)

3) Deceived
(Isaiah 44:20)

4) Worthless

B. A personal relationship (James 1:27)

1) Accepted by God
(John 3:16-17, John 14:6)

2) Pure religion
(2 Timothy 2:22, 1 John 3:3)

3) Faultless religion
(1 Timothy 3:2a, Romans 14:12)

III. Actions that honor God (James 1:27)

A. Actions of care
(Matthew 25:36, 43, Matthew 25:45-46)

B. Actions without compromise
(Romans 6:1-2, Romans 12:2, 2 Cor. 3:18)

Take Away

Why is it easy to listen to God's word but hard to do what it says?

Connexion Reflections
Right Action = Pure worship
11/27/2011

Open:

“ I consider myself a person of action! I _____.”

“ _____ comes easy for me.”

Explore:

“How can I keep pure before God?”

Psalms 119:9

Proverbs 1:7

When I think of a pious person, I think _____. Why?

I feel so blessed because:

- a. It's thanksgiving week
- b. Jesus is my savior
- c. I'm in a great church
- d. I finally understand James

If the Bible really is without error then:
1 John 2:2, Romans 6:23, John 14:1

Dig:

What are some ways to keep my tongue in check?

Ephesians 4:29

Philippians 4:8

Salvation is by grace. What does that mean?

Ephesians 2:8,9

Isaiah 51:6

Apply:

What are some things you learned from this sermon series?

James 1:2 Consider it pure joy...

James 1:5 If any of you lacks wisdom...

James 1:17 Every good and perfect...

James 1:19 Everyone should be...

James 1:22 Do not merely listen...

James 1:26b ...keep a tight rein...

Jesus may I be pleasing in your sight.