

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

February 19th ~ February 26th

Sunday February 19th
 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)
 5:30 p.m. ACTS 17 Connexion Group ~ Rm. 202
 6:00 p.m. ALPHA ~ Coffee Corner
 6:30 p.m. High School Youth

Monday February 20th
 6:30 p.m. All Ministry Meeting & Dessert Potluck

Tuesday February 21st
 9:30 a.m. Women's Connexion Bible Study ~ Coffee Corner
 6:30 p.m. Life Recovery ~ Coffee Corner

Wednesday February 22nd
 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 February 23rd
 7:00 p.m. Praise Band Practice

Friday February 24th
 9:00 a.m. Moms In Prayer ~ Rm. 228
 6:00 p.m. Young Families Connexion Group ~ Coffee Corner

Saturday February 25th
 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer ~ Rm. 228
 9:00 a.m. Women's Ministry Image Consults ~ Rm.228

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Giving	February 12 - February 18	
	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year-to-date</u>
Budget	\$ 8,404.00	\$58,828.00
Received	\$8,778.27	\$51,523.60
	\$374.27	(\$7,304.40)

Volunteer Schedule

	Today	February 26th
8:30 a.m.	<u>Nursery</u> Tang Family	<u>Nursery</u> Molinari Family
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.	Jen Daug Kasprowicz Family	Sue Johnson Volunteer
8:30 a.m.	<u>Children's Church</u> Brown Family	<u>Children's Church</u> Fries Family
10:45 a.m.	Larisa Schultz Lana & Tina E.	Bonnie Neitzer Annika & Demie
8:30 a.m.	<u>Ushers</u> Joel Johnson Vic Berggren Martha Stiller Keith Stickney	<u>Ushers</u> Joel Johnson Lenny Kunzer Martha Stiller Keith Stickney
10:45 a.m.	Curt Johnson Mike Kasprowicz Pat Kedrowski Randy Thompson	Curt Johnson Mike Kasprowicz Pat Kedrowski Randy Thompson

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, Brian Orrock

✝ Our Military

Robert Dubay - ROTC

Troy Gabrielson - Guards

Matt Harker - Guards

Andy Johnson - Virginia

Matt Johnson - Charleston, SC

Sara Hansen - Pensacola Beach,
 Navy Hospital

Albin Sterneman - Guards

Peter Loso - Afghanistan

Andrew Nordlund - Afghanistan

Curt Serbus - Guards

Tim Serbus - ROTC

Nick Thompson - Afghanistan

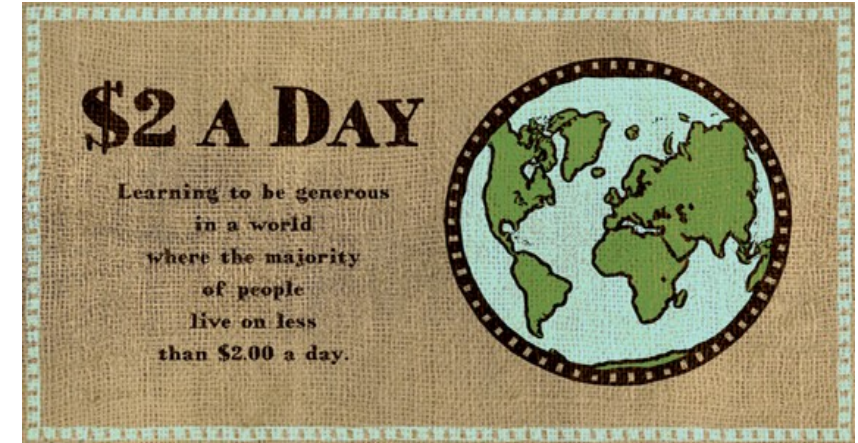
John Vargas - Navy

Kaytee Serbus - Navy Chicago

John Tilly - Critical Care Nurse,
 Afghanistan

Zimmerman Evangelical Free Church

"To know Jesus Christ and make Him known"
Sunday, February 19, 2012



Message: Are You Listening? Part 2
 Pastor Tom Sterneman

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Worship 8:30 a.m.
Adult Education and Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.

Office Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.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 in your spiritual walk.

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 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.

Upcoming Events

All Ministry Dessert Potluck/Meeting

February 20th, 6:30 p.m.

Dare 2 Share

Student Ministry Conference
February 24th & 25th

Men's Retreat

Timber Bay
March 16th - 18th

AWANA Grand Prix

Saturday March 31st

Adult Education

Classes

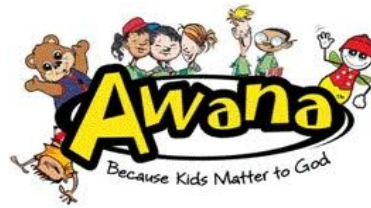
Exodus: Departure to Grace ~ Rm. 202

Essentials of Parenting: Be Prepared ~ Rm. 135

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.



Thank you!
To those that have donated to the AWANA Store. The kids will love all the fun items they can buy.

Women's Clothing Swap Coming in April!



Nichole Adler our speaker from the women's retreat this past November will be doing Image Consultations. (color, frame and fashion personality) Saturday February 25th 9 a.m.-1 p.m. See the table set up in the foyer for more information and to get scheduled for a consultation.

Zimmerman Evangelical Free Church

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



Please Check the lost and found items in the coat room area. These items will be put away the end of February for the upcoming youth garage sale.



IRON SHARPENS IRON

Men's Retreat

Coming March 16th-18th
Timber Bay Camp Cost is \$105
Register on line or call the church office 856-2237
Friday Night Movie
Courageous

All Ministry Dessert Potluck and meeting

February 20th, 6:30 p.m.
If you are serving in any church ministry please come!



Open 9 to 11AM



It's all good
CityKid JAVA
Choose the virtuous brew that kicks back to kids in the Twin Cities* Keep it local!



COFFEE CORNER

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

Project Increase Mission Trip

Are looking for donations of new: girls underwear, teenage girl underwear (no bikini) plastic diaper covers, travel size: shampoo, baby powder, baby oil, and baby shampoo.



Quotes Corner



A person may cause evil to others not only by his actions but by his inaction, and in either case he is justly accountable to them for the injury.

John Stuart Mill

Has not my hand made all these things, and so they came into being?" declares the LORD. "These are the ones I look on with favor: those who are humble and contrite in spirit, and who tremble at my word.

Isaiah 66:2

Connexion Groups

Sign-up in the foyer if you would like to be connected into a group.

Get Connected!



Journal
Accountability
Scripture
Prayer
Encouragement
Reproduction

Are You Listening? Part 2
James 5:1-6
2/19/2012
Pastor Tom Sterneman

I. Rich people (James 5:1)

II. Sins to be dealt with.

A. Hording (James 5:2-3)

1. Food (v.2a)
2. Clothes (v.2b)
3. Gold & Silver (v.3)

B. Selfishness (James 5:4-5)

1. Cheating others (v.4)
2. Living in opulence (v.5)
3. Pampering self (v.5b)

C. Murder (James 5:6)

1. Violence in the streets.
2. Domestic violence and deaths.
3. Abortions

III. Our options

A. Continue = do nothing

B. Change

1. Humble yourself (Isaiah 58:5-7)
2. Confess (1 John 1:9)
3. Repent (Acts 3:19)

Take Away
God will not allow sin to continue forever
-Accountability and judgment will come.

Connexion Reflections

2/19/2012

James 5:1-6

Open it:

When you have spoken to those who have gone through the “Great Depression” What characteristics stand out?

During the period leading up to the twenty- first century we, as a people went through Y2K syndrome. What were some of the things you or your neighbors were “stocking up” on?

Explore it:

When you see gas prices change daily who do you blame? What do you do? Isaiah 10:1-4

If God is truly sovereign how should a Christian react to the “wicked rich”? Psalm 71:1-6

Is it wrong to hold a “commodity” until the price rises? Why? Why not? Proverbs 23:4-5

Who is your first priority with material goods?

1 Timothy 5:8

Luke 6:38

What is “fair” when it comes to wages?

Deuteronomy 24:14-15

Leviticus 19:13

Is James referring to the modern day “hedonist”?

what does God say to that? Ecclesiastes 2:4-10

Get it:

What options does the righteous man have?

Amos 5:12-15

Matthew 5:39-42

We have addressed the “wicked” rich but what of the “righteous” rich? 1 Timothy 6:17-19

Apply it:

What “heart” changes might be needed to change?

Godly companions: 1 Corinthians 5:9-13

A godly life: 2 Timothy 3:12-17