

PEARCE CHURCH

Our vision is to look, live, and love like Jesus

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News, Events & Updates (NEUs) July 20 & 21, 2019

VBS 2019: MEGA KIDS CAMP

Mega Kids Camp: July 29-August 2, 6:30-8:30pm (dinner starts at 5pm each night). VBS is just one week away! Invitation cards are available at the lobby table. It's not too late to invite a family that you know to join you for this exciting week. And, if you haven't registered your kids yet, you can find the link at pearcechurch.org/mkc

Volunteer Training: If you've signed up to help at Mega Kids Camp, thank you! We ask that everyone who signs up **attend one** of the following training dates, held in the Friendship Center:

- Saturday, **July 20**, 3-5pm
- Sunday, **July 21**, 11am-1pm
- Thursday, **July 25**, 7-9pm

Orientation: It is mandatory that all volunteers attend orientation the Sunday before Mega Kids Camp. Meet in the Sanctuary at 11:15am (or immediately following the worship service) on Sunday, July 28, for final instructions.

Behind-the-Scenes: If you want to be involved in VBS, but aren't available that week, we have many office jobs to be done ahead of time that will help make this week meaningful and life-changing for our kids. Tasks include making name tags, helping set up registration and decorations, etc. The director team would love to hear from you if you have some time to give! Email them at megakidscamp@pearcechurch.org to learn more.

Pray! We encourage our entire church family to be praying for Mega Kids Camp. Pray that our leaders will stay healthy. Pray that all the details will come together. Pray for the kids in our church and community that will be coming, that they would know that God wants them to live their lives on His team, because they are fully loved by Jesus.

WORSHIP

This weekend we continue the sermon series, "Following God with a Reckless Abandon." Pastor Bill will bring the message, "His Way, Every Day, All the Way," from Colossians 1:15-28.

COMMUNITY

Tuesday Night Teens: Hey teens in 6th-12th grade, plan to come and invite your friends to Tuesday Night Teens (TNT) this summer!

- **July 23—Home Hangs.** 6:30-8pm, location TBD. Guys bring snacks, girls bring drinks. Email TC for details.
- **August 6—Seabreeze.** 5:30-10:30pm; drop off and pick up at the church. Bring your swimsuit and towel if you want to hit the water park. RSVPs are needed by July 30. Email TC and tell us how many friends you plan to bring. Cost is \$20.
- **August 13—Home Hangs.** 6:30-8pm; location TBD. Guys bring snacks, girls bring drinks.

Questions? Contact TC at corbett_tom@pearcechurch.org. Follow us on Facebook: Journey Teens; Instagram: @journeyteenspearce

SERVICE

2nd Quarter Financial Update: Pearce is back on track to meet our budget for the year, due to higher giving in the 2nd quarter as well as excellent expense management measures taken by the church staff. This means we are on track to only

spend down the budgeted \$95,000 from cash reserves this year, should the second half of the year mirror the first. Thank you for your continued generosity and prayers for Pearce!

Food Cupboard: In the past six months, our Food Cupboard has served 404 people, an average of 20 families each month. Your help is needed to maintain food and personal care item supplies throughout the year so that we can help our neighbors who are in need. **This week's food needs are mustard, ketchup, chunky soup, jelly, paper towels, toilet paper, deodorant, and laundry detergent.** Donations can be left in the shopping cart in our main lobby at any time. Financial donations are also accepted.

FYI

GC19: Pastor Roger was in Orlando, Florida last week, attending General Conference 2019. You can find videos from each day of conference at <https://gc19.org/live/>

Wednesday was the important conference vote electing three new bishops to lead the Free Methodist Church – USA. We wanted to share the results with you, as shared to Genesis Conference churches yesterday afternoon by our own Supt. Pam Braman, whose name was on the ballot.

Dear Genesis -

Good news! I get to keep serving as your superintendent, staying with the Genesis family.

As you might have heard by now, Matt Whitehead, Keith Cowart, and Linda Adams were elected as our bishops for the next quadrennium. They are all godly leaders who I have gotten to know through this journey of being on the ballot. I look forward to serving under their leadership. Please pray for them as they step into these new roles, and pray for the (conferences, organization, church) that they are leaving.

As for Genesis, I continue to pray and believe that the Lord desires to bring about revival in this region, in and through our churches. I pray, plan, and work towards that end.

With Hope!

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CALENDAR (pearcechurch.org/events)

SATURDAY, JULY 20

- **Mega Kids Camp Training Meeting** | 3-5pm | Friendship Center | megakidscamp@pearcechurch.org
- **Saturday Prayer Time** | 4:30pm | Parlor
- **Journey Kids Jr. (birth-6 years old)** | 5pm | Journey Kids Wing
- **Worship Service** | 5pm | Sanctuary

SUNDAY, JULY 21

- **Gospel Ambassadors Journey Group** | 9am | Friendship Center
- **Journey Kids Jr. (birth-5 years old)** | 9:45-11:10am | Journey Kids Wing
- **Worship Service** | 10am | Sanctuary
- **Mega Kids Camp Training Meeting** | 11am-1pm | Friendship Center | megakidscamp@pearcechurch.org

MONDAY, JULY 22

TUESDAY, JULY 23

- **Men's Prayer Breakfast** | 6am | Town and Country Restaurant (3205 Chili Ave.)
- **Men's Prayer & Bible Study** | 8:45am | Friendship Center
- **Tuesday Night Teens** | 6:30-8pm | Home Hangs | Email Ally for details at: turner_ally@pearcechurch.org

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

- **Wednesday Morning Prayer** with Nelson Grimm | 9am | The Upper Room
- **Celebrate Recovery Community Group** | 6:30pm | The Loft | Contact: cr@pearcechurch.org

THURSDAY, JULY 25

- **Mega Kids Camp Training Meeting** | 7-9pm | Friendship Center | megakidscamp@pearcechurch.org

FRIDAY, JULY 26