

PEARCE CHURCH

News, Events & Updates • February 7, 2025

This Weekend (February 8 & 9)

Saturday Worship: 5:00pm / Sunday Worship: 9:30am

Sermon Series: The Art of Hearing
Sermon Title: Hearing is Believing
Scripture: Luke 5:1-11
Preaching Pastor: Pastor Todd

General Information

Annual Celebration:

Join us for our Annual Celebration, themed “*Mission Readiness*,” on Sunday, February 9 at 10:45am! After the morning service, swing by the “Munch and Mingle” tables to grab a bite to eat and a drink and head to Parmerter Chapel. Celebrate with our pastors, support staff, and volunteer ministry leaders as we reflect on the past year and look forward to the exciting ministry opportunities ahead. Plus, we’ll announce the election results during the event. We plan to wrap up around noon, giving you plenty of time to kick off your Super Bowl festivities! Don’t miss this special gathering.

This Week (February 7 – February 14)

Saturday, February 8

- Preschool Open Gym from 9-10am for kids ages 1-5 and their parent(s) or guardian(s)

Sunday, February 9

- Sunday Morning Prayer at 9am – feel free to spend time in prayer in the Parlor prior to the service
- Annual Celebration in Parmerter Chapel immediately following the worship service

Monday, February 10

- Golden Heirs meets at noon in the Friendship Center – details for the February gathering include:
 - Cost for lunch: \$5 (soup)
 - Dessert: Homemade cookies brought in by Carolyn Repass
 - Program: A fun event using musical tunes from the 40’s, 50’s, and 60’s called, “Name that Scam”
- Celebrate Recovery meets in the Loft at 6:30pm

Tuesday, February 11

- Tuesday Men’s breakfast – 7am at Town and Country Family Restaurant (3205 Chili Ave, Chili, NY 14624)
- Tuesday AM Bible Study (men and women) – 9-10:15am in Room 80
- KidsMin families will have a pizza dinner and then pack food for the Backpack Food Ministry - go [here](#) for more information and/or to register (note: this replaces the previously scheduled February 13 packing date)
- Floor Hockey from 6:45 – 8:45pm in the Family Life Center for older teens and adults

Wednesday, February 12

- Common Grounds Café open from 10am – 2pm
- Community Bible Study (CBS) meets from 10:30am – 12:20pm
- Oasis (Youth Group) meets at 6:30pm in the Loft
- Worship Team rehearsal at 7:30pm in the Sanctuary

Thursday, February 13

- Funeral Service for Debbie Fitch at 11am in the Sanctuary (Calling hours are February 12 from 4-7pm at the NewComer Funeral Home, 2636 Ridgeway Avenue)
- Marys & Marthas Group will meet at the home of Alberta Anderson (3216 Union St., North Chili) at 11:30am for a time of “Share & Prayer” and lunch (pizza & salad for \$5/person)
- Official Board meets at 7pm in the Conference Room

Plan Ahead

- **Pearce 4 Kids** is currently registering for the Nursery School and Pre-K classes for fall 2025. [Click here](#) to register. Contact P4K Executive Director, [Mattie Laley](#), if you have any questions or would like to set up a tour.
- **March 1:** Recharge Women's Conference is a one-day women's conference filled with worship, hearing God's word and Christian fellowship with guest speaker Pastor Colleen Dick. This conference takes place at New Life CNY, in Liverpool, NY and costs \$30, (\$10 for students). If interested in going, let [Pastor Kim](#) know, as there may be carpool opportunities. For more information and to register go [here](#).
- **March 3:** A new Grief Support Group will begin meeting at 6:30pm on Mondays, led by Jeremy J. Kelly, M.Div., MSW Intern – [go here](#) for more information and/or to register
- **March 5:** Ash Wednesday Service at 12pm in Parmerter
- **March 8:** Youth Mental Health First Aid Certification: a training presented by Dr. Abby Monroe that teaches participants how to identify, understand, and respond to signs of mental illness and substance disorders in children and teens. Go [here](#) for more details and to register for this event.

Giving & Serving Opportunities

Thank you to all who donate to our **Food Cupboard!** This week's needs are:

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| • Jelly | • Sugar | • Aluminum Foil |
| • Canned Spaghettios | • Juice | • Laundry Detergent |
| • Canned Mixed Fruit | • Shampoo | • Feminine Hygiene products |
| • Salad Dressings | • Bar Soap | • Toilet Paper |
| • Oil | • Deodorant | • Cleaning Products |

If you need food support, please contact the church to set up an appointment.

RWU Service Opportunity: The Pearce family has the privilege of supporting international students at Roberts Wesleyan University by offering them rides to and from the airport during break weeks when they need to travel. This is a simple way to make a meaningful impact, and connect our church with students at our neighboring university, with no additional commitment required. If you are interested in serving in this way, contact, via the email links, [Ian Slater](#), Associate VP for Student Experience Title IX Coordinator, or [Tor Nielson](#), Director of English Language Institute.

Check out the various [ways to give](#) to support Operations, Missions, and the Free To Serve Campaign.

Giving statements were emailed/mailed out on Monday, January 27. If you need a new copy, or have any questions about your statement, contact [Honna Curtis](#).

Prayer

- **Prayer Chain:** Daily prayer updates are sent Monday through Friday at 3:30pm, providing information about the needs of our Pearce community. If you have a personal prayer request, update, or bereavement information to share, send it to pearce@pearcechurch.org, or call the church at 585-594-9488, and we will be sure to include it in our next update.

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