ERSKINE EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

Box 105 Erskine, AB T0C 1G0 Ph: 403-742-5020 Email: efce.erskine@gmail.com Website: www.erskinefree.com Church Office Friday (9:00—12:00)

MESSAGE— "The Gospel Light" - Pastor Mark

Ephesians 5:8-14

WEEKLY EVENTS

TODAY— Following the morning service you are welcome to stay and enjoy a time of fellowship and refreshments.

MONDAY 10:00 AM— Ladies prayer time at the church.

TUESDAY 10:00 AM—Ladies Bible Study at the church. All ladies welcome and if you have any questions, please talk to Eleanor Bertin.

WEDNESDAY 2:00—4:00 PM— Anyone 55+ is invited to a time of fellowship and games at the church.

THURSDAY 3:00—4:45 PM—Kid's Club is up and running for the fall. If you have a child from Kindergarten to Grade 6, you are invited to come and enjoy this time of fun activities and learning more about God. Any questions just ask Shelby Krahn.

FRIDAY 7:00—9:30 PM—It's Youth night and come out to the church to check out the evening's activities.

September 15, 2024 NEW CITY CATECHISM # 37

Q. How does the Holy Spirit help us?

A. The Holy Spirit convicts us of our sin, comforts us, guides us, gives us spiritual gifts and the desire to obey God; and he enables us to pray and to understand God's Word.

(Ephesians 6:17-18)

If you are new to church and are giving via **e-transfer,** please include your mailing address in the memo section so the church is able to send you a year-end donation receipt.

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES

Sunday 6:30 pm—Study at Richard Andres' Tuesday 10:00 am—Ladies Bible Study Thursday 3:00 pm —Heart Haven led by 55+ Friday 10:15 am—Willow Creek led by 55+

Sunday School for all ages begins at 10:00am and the worship service at 11:00.

Prayer Requests for Prayer Chain email to: <u>EFCE.prayer@gmail.com</u>

For Compassionate Care : EFCE.cares@gmail.com **Mens' Ministry** meet for a Games Night the second Monday of each month. Next one is October 14.

Women's Ministry meet the second Tuesday of the month. Next one is October 15.

A reminder that **Mommy & Me** meets every second Wednesday at the church from 10-12. A great opportunity to visit with other moms and let the kids play with the many activities set up. Look for the next one on September 25.

The **Newcomers Luncheon** is happening **NEXT** Sunday, September 22 and is for all those who have started attending this church since last September. A chance for you to meet the Board members and staff and enjoy some tasty pizza with them. Immediately following the service next Sunday.

THIS WEEK NEXT WEEK

Worship SherryJoAnne

Sound DidierGlenn

EW / Zoom ScotRae

Ushers Ty- FloydMicah—Wade

Greeters Richard & Mary ...Harry & Sheryl

PC Workers Julia & Abigail ..Candy—Ezra

Ann.& Off. KevinRob

COMING EVENTS

September 22—Newcomers luncheon

September 24—The Pastor's Study will be livestreamed and in person at the church.

October 25—26—APD Conference here.

Nov. 16-17—Spiritual Emphasis weekend

December 5—55+ Christmas Banquet

A small group **Bible study** is starting up at Richard & Mary Andres' house at 5702—57th Street in Stettler. If you're not already part of a small group, you might want to check it out.

Small groups will be starting up again this fall. If you will be leading one of these groups and would like it advertised in the bulletin, contact an Elder. If you wish to be part of a small group, you can contact an Elder as well. Not sure who they are? Check by the mailboxes for the lists that indicate Elders and Deacons.

All youth ages 12 & over, there's an opportunity for you to be part of the **worship ministry.** If you would like to learn about serving God in worship through music, join Mrs. Henry at the front of the church on Sunday, September 22, immediately following the service.

CHURCH FINANCES

A reminder that you can give through e-transfer at efce.etransfer@gmail.com

EFCE Monthly Financial Report (August 2024)

 General Receipts
 Actual
 Budget
 Variance

 Monthly
 \$38,771
 \$23,333
 \$15,438

 Year-to-Date
 \$187,652
 \$186,667
 \$985

Fund Balances General Fund = \$185,689 Building Fund = -\$33,804

