



DURING THE WEEK

Monday:

GriefShare: 6:30 pm, Room 108

Tuesday:

Women's Bible Study: "Jonah", 9:15 am, Multipurpose Room

Women's Bible Study: "The Patriarchs", 7 pm, Room 108

Wednesday:

Men's Bible Study: "Get Right", 6:30 pm, Room 207

For high school (9th-12th): 6:45 pm, Student Ministry Room

For middle school (6th-8th): 6:45 pm, LCS Elementary Gym

For children: Program for K-5th, 6:30 pm, The Reign Forest

Thursday:

Mothers of Preschoolers: 9:30 am, Multipurpose Room

Women's Bible Study: 5:30 pm, "Faithful, Abundant, True", Room 104

Sunday:

The Upper Room (for college-age & 20-somethings):

7 pm, Destinations Coffeehouse

Contact Danelle Mills at (402) 261-8304 for info about programs available for adults, youth and children with special needs.

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fully filling your relational needs

10-22-17 / Today's Message:

"You May Live Alone, But You Can't Thrive Alone"

by Pastor Nat Crawford



Visiting or new here? Welcome!

We were all first-timers, once! Here are a few next steps that we suggest:

- **Fill out a Connection Card.** Provide us with your basic contact info. We won't hassle you, we promise. We will drop you an e-mail or letter to say "hi" and give you an opportunity to get your questions answered.
- **Visit the Info Center.** Stop by and pick up a Welcome Packet at the Info Center, located in foyer. We even have a gift for you!
- **Meet a staff member.** Our pastors and staff members often hang out in the foyer near the Lincoln wall map. They would love to meet you, give you a building tour, pray with you, etc. Our Welcome Team (they'll be wearing First Free name tags) can point you to a pastor/staff member.



THIS MORNING

"The Book of Romans" / Life on Track Class: Romans teaches the foundations of Christianity to a group that had not heard the Gospel directly from an apostle – This is the same situation we are in today. We will study Romans chapter by chapter. Taught by Mark Potter. Meets at 9:15 am in Room 111.

"Finishing Well" / Cornerstone Class: Dr. John Dunlop combines his medical expertise in geriatrics and firm commitment to Scripture to present nine strategies for finishing life well through proper physical, emotional & spiritual prep. Taught by Dale Michels & Ron Helsing. 10:45 am, Multipurpose Room.

Survey of the New Testament: A great avenue to (1) get a refresher on the New Testament, (2) learn about how the Old Testament connects to NT, and (3) see how the NT books were put together for our benefit. Taught by Matt Kleager & Dennis Florom. 9:15 am, Room 207.

FOR CHILDREN: Pre-schoolers through 5th grade experience today's latest music & technology along with solid, Bible-based teaching. In The Reign Forest, 9:15 & 11 am. Nursery available. Wiggle Space in foyer by Info Center.

FOR YOUTH: Youth-centric worship and teaching for 6th-12th grade, 9:15 am, Student Ministry Area (lower level).

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Operation Christmas Child

Fill a shoebox with love for a child overseas this Christmas! Ways to participate:

- (1) Fill shoeboxes yourself.
- (2) Donate items to fill shoeboxes.
- (3) Make a monetary donation toward purchase of shoebox items.

Suggested items for shoeboxes: school supplies, small toys, personal hygiene items. Drop off filled shoeboxes, items to fill shoeboxes, and monetary donations at OCC table in foyer. For more info, stop by OCC table or go to firstfreelincoln.org/shoebox.

Superhero Family Night / Oct. 25, 6:30-8:15 pm: Families are welcome to enjoy this night of games, crafts, music and fun. This is a free event and friends are welcome. For grades Kindergarten-2nd grade. Pre-schoolers are welcome to attend, too, but they must be accompanied by a parent. Children are encouraged to wear non-scary costumes.. And this...Come ride the Superhero Barrel Train!

Second Wind Ministry (55+) / Annual Potato Bar / Oct. 26, 6 pm: Come and enjoy our Annual Potato Bar on Thursday, Oct. 26 starting at 6 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. Last name A-M, bring a salad. Last name N-Z, bring a dessert. Suggested donation for Potato Bar is \$2. For more info, contact Margie at (402) 420-9552.

Benefit for the family of Brandon Medjo: We will be holding a benefit in memory of Brandon Medjo on Saturday, Oct. 28, 8 am-noon at First Free Church in Solid Grounds. 100% of the money raised will go to cover Brandon's funeral expenses.

New service times start Nov. 5 / 9:00 & 10:30 am

Sunday classes for adults & Sunday School for children and youth will also change to these new times.

Daylight Savings Time ends on Nov. 5.
So remember to turn your clocks back an hour!



Missionaries Jim & Kathy Carlson / Oct. 29

Jim and Kathy Carlson, First Free Church supported missionaries, will be in the Multipurpose Room on Oct. 29, 10:45 a.m. They will be giving an update on their roles in leading and serving ReachGlobal mission teams through building healthy teams, providing strategic leadership, mobilizing resources, and developing leaders through coaching.