

WELCOME

Thank you for joining us for worship today! Cornerstone is a community of grace and truth making disciples of Jesus among all people. For more information about who we are and what we do, please visit our website.

THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

"Let your eyes look directly forward, and your gaze be straight before you. Ponder the path of your feet; then all your ways will be sure. Do not swerve to the right or to the left; turn your foot away from evil."

Proverbs 4:25-27

GET CONNECTED

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Meet throughout the area on various nights of the week. These groups gather to share truth, show love, and grow together in Christ.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

For kids nursery through 6th grade we offer weekly Sunday School and Kids Worship, as well as various events throughout the year.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:30 AM every week. These classes are geared toward helping you grow in your knowledge of both the God and his Word.

YOUTH MINISTRY

For students grades 7-12, we offer a Sunday AM class, Sunday PM youth group, and other events throughout the year.

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Cornerstone

AN EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

A COMMUNITY OF GRACE AND TRUTH
MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS
AMONG ALL PEOPLE

GATHERED FOR WORSHIP ON OCTOBER 5, 2025

9:30am Sunday School

10:45am Worship

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Thank you for joining us this morning! Each week we gather to worship Christ and be formed and reformed by the story of his gospel, which our order of worship traces. For reference, Scripture readings can be found in the sanctuary Bibles on the pages indicated and hymns can be found by their number in the Sing! Hymnal.

GLORIFYING OUR GOD

Call to Worship: Psalm 1:1-3 (p. 418)
#17, "Come People of the Risen King"
#5, "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

CONFESSING OUR GUILT

Scripture: John 15:1-17 (p. 848)
Prayer of Confession

REJOICING IN GRACE

Assurance of Grace: Romans 8:29-30 (p. 888)
#234, "Run and Run (Christ is All My Righteousness)"
Congregational Prayer
Daniel Schuttinga

RESPONDING IN GRATITUDE

Offering: "You Are Mine" (Hayes)
Voices of Praise
Prayer for Missions: Fulaa/Esther & Angelina's trip
Julie Feurtado
#392, Amazing Grace
(K-3rd Grade dismissed for Kids' Worship)
Scripture: 2 Peter 1:8-15 (p. 957)
Sermon: 2 Peter 1:8-15
Pastor John Biegel

REMEMBERING THE GOSPEL

The Lord's Supper
#687, "It is Well With My Soul"
Benediction



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CHILDCARE SCHEDULE

THIS WEEK: OCT 05

Nursery at 9:30am

Katie Bailey & Perla Macias

Nursery at 10:30am

Noelle Dennard & Monika
Szewczulak

Beginner's Church, 10:30am

Kyle & Robyn Entz

Kids' Worship, 10:30am

John & Nicole Connell and Isaac
Schuttinga

NEXT WEEK: OCT 12

Nursery at 9:30am

Marge Athey & Darlene Nye

Nursery at 10:30am

Steve & Sarah McIlvaine

Beginner's Church, 10:30am

Jessica Kassa & Brianna Hicks &
Emma McIlvaine

Kids' Worship, 10:30am

The Arnolds & Clara Francisco

WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

CHURCH LEADERS

Pastor: John Biegel
Elder: John C Connell
Deacon for Property:
Seth Gunn
Community Groups:
Steve McIlvaine
Titus 2: Nicole Britton

CHURCH FAMILIES

Hoffman, Ehab
Horner, Ryan & Esther
Huet, Lex & Beth

OTHER MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES:

Custodian: Albert McKazamba
Church Administrator: Melanie
Moore
ACCA Furniture Crew: Seth Gunn
Assist Pregnancy: Joellen Binder
Treasurer: Carol Mount
Assistant Treasurer: Ginny Sullivan
Offering Counters

OUTREACH

Fulaa / Esther and Angelina's trip

CHURCH LEADERS

Unless otherwise indicated, all email addresses are @cornerstoneefree.org

LEAD PASTOR

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Devin Cate
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Carol Schuttinga
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Theresa Connell
Gretchen Nutz
Barb Rehnborg

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Outreach: Michael Higdon (outreach@)
Property: Seth Gunn (property@)
Worship: Wayne Rehnborg (worship@)

MINISTRY LEADERS & CHURCH STAFF

African Evangelist: Kwathi Ajawin (sudaneseoutreach@)
Church Administrator: Melanie Moore (churchoffice@)
Children's Ministries: Ursula Schuttinga (childrensministries@)
Custodian: Albert McKazamba (property@)
International Friends: AJ Moreira & Perla Macias (internationalfriends@)
Music Director: Ken Hatridge (music@)

SERMON NOTES

October 5, 2025
2 Peter 1:8-15

I. WHAT DOES "CONFIRM OUR CALLING & ELECTION" MEAN?

II. HOW DO WE "CONFIRM OUR CALLING AND ELECTION"?

III. WHAT'S THE RESULT OF "CONFIRMING OUR CALLING & ELECTION"?

UPCOMING SERMONS

October 12: 2 Peter 1:16-21
October 19: 2 Peter 2:1-3
October 26: Philemon (Kevin McFadden)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2025 FALL SEMESTER OF INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS

Students gather on Wednesday nights for a meal, fellowship, English practice, and conversation—always with an open invitation to study the Bible and hear the Gospel. About half are vegetarian, and most avoid pork, but they enjoy a wide variety of simple meals (chili, mac & cheese, sandwiches, pizza, baked potatoes, chicken & rice, etc.). To help provide a meal sign up here: tinyurl.com/IFMealsFall2025.



MASON CREST GOOD NEWS CLUB 2025–2026

Wednesdays, 4:15–5:30pm, Oct. 8–Mar. 25

Join Cornerstone's team in sharing the love of Christ through songs, games, Scripture memory, and Bible lessons with 1st–5th graders. This ministry has blessed Mason Crest students for over 10 years, and we need new volunteers to continue the work! Would you prayerfully consider serving? Contact Julianna Mays (maysjulianna@gmail.com).

WOMEN'S TESTIMONY BRUNCH

Saturday, October 11, 9:00–11:00am, Youth Room

Please join us on Saturday, Oct 11th from 9–11am for our next Women's Testimony Brunch. We are delighted to hear from two of our Cornerstone women, Julianna Mays and Jessica Kassa. If making or contributing food is a delight for you, please let Robyn know so she can help coordinate our gathering. All church women, high school girls, and friends are welcome! RSVP preferred, but not required, to Robyn Entz (Robyn.entz@gmail.com).

UPCOMING EVENTS HIGHLIGHTS

October 6 - Congregation Meeting - 7:30pm
October 11 - Women's Testimony Brunch, 9:00am
October 19 - Pig Roast and Trivia Night, 5:30pm



GET READY FOR CORNERSTONE'S FIRST-EVER PIG ROAST & TRIVIA NIGHT

Sunday, October 19, 5:30–8:30pm, Fellowship Hall

Join us for a fun-filled evening of food, games, trivia, and fellowship! Bring your family, invite a friend, and be part of the laughter and community.

Want to help make this event unforgettable?

We need volunteers to help:

- Set up after church on Sunday
- Prepare decorations during the week
- Donate patio lights – do you have a string we can borrow?

If you can help, please reach out to Ursula at childrensministries@cornerstonefree.org as soon as possible!

What to Bring:

- Last Names A–L: Side dish (mac & cheese, cornbread, baked beans, potato salad, coleslaw)
- Last Names M–Z: Dessert (cookies, brownies, bars)
- Please bring enough to serve about 10 people.



LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO READ?

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