

**WE'RE CLOSED THIS WEEK FOR  
THANKSGIVING BREAK!**

**Office Closed this week and no mid-week programming,  
including AWANA and Summit Youth Group.**

We will resume normal hours and programming on  
Monday, December 1 with office hours held  
Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM-3:30 PM.

**UPCOMING AT THE FREE CHURCH**

View all upcoming connection opportunities at [www.efreechurch.org/events](http://www.efreechurch.org/events).

**FREE CHURCH COMMUNITIES, Sundays at 10:30 AM for all adults and kids!**

These multigenerational groups are a place to gather, grow, and to love others as we love Jesus. Visit us online or at the Welcome Center for more info.

**COMBINED ADVENT COMMUNITIES FOR TEENS & ADULTS START NEXT SUNDAY, 10:30 AM** in the Student Center, from November 30-December 21. Refreshments provided as we gather for Advent reflections & teachings.

**ADVENT DEVOTIONAL AVAILABLE AT THE WELCOME CENTER.** Snag a copy of "Everyday Gospel" by Paul David Tripp, helping us celebrate our salvation by reflecting on biblical events—from Genesis through Revelation—that make Jesus's incarnation so miraculous. Suggested \$5 donation.

**ADVENT GIVING begins next Sunday, November 30.** The Missions Board is featuring an opportunity to give toward our community this Advent season. This year all proceeds will go toward Loaves & Fishes and our local pregnancy center. More info will be available next week in the lobby and online.

**GET CONNECTED**

**CHECK OUT THE CHURCH APP** Search "Free Church of Cañon City" in your app store or visit [www.efreechurch.org/app](http://www.efreechurch.org/app) to get started!

**LOOKING FOR NEXT STEPS?** Fill out **RESPONSE CARDS**, located on the wall next to the entrance or behind the sound booth. You can also find **VISITOR PAMPHLETS** and other information at the Welcome Center.

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*November 23, 2025*

**WELCOME TO  
THE FREE CHURCH  
of Cañon City**

**SUNDAY MORNINGS**

Gathered Worship Service at 9:00 AM  
Free Church Communities at 10:30 AM

Nursery & Children's Church available.

*Visit the Connections Wall or Welcome Center for more information.*



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## WELCOME TO THE FREE CHURCH

Visit the Welcome Center at the back of the lobby! If you're new here, have questions, or are simply looking for a welcoming face to show you around, a Welcome Team member will be there to greet and help you. You are loved and we are blessed by your presence this morning.

## LET'S PRAY TOGETHER

*If you would like to share a prayer request with the prayer team, please fill out a prayer card (available by the entrance doors or the church app).*

***The Lord upholds all who fall.***

Where have you felt upheld by His hand this year?

***He lifts up all who are bowed down.***

What weight has He lifted from you?

***You open Your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.***

Thank Him for what He's provided; and for what He's withheld in love.

***The Lord is righteous in all His ways and kind in all His works.***

Let His kindness quiet your heart.

***The Lord is near to all who call on Him.***

Breathe a prayer of thanks for His nearness.

***He fulfills the desire of those who fear Him... He hears their cry and saves them.***

Whisper one specific cry He has heard this year.

***Lord, You open Your hand and satisfy us. Teach us to live with open hands.***

## STEWARDSHIP

Giving options here at the Free Church include **online giving** via the website or church app, **offering boxes** on the bulletin tables, or through your bank's **Bill-Pay**.

### 2nd Quarter Giving (Online & Cash/Check) – General Fund Contributions

|         | October 2025       | November 2025      | December 2025 |
|---------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Week #1 | \$40,500.06        | \$11,339.00        |               |
| Week #2 | \$20,942.84        | \$19,494.62        |               |
| Week #3 | \$8,298.05         | \$17,482.50        |               |
| Week #4 | \$14,728.83        |                    |               |
| Total   | <b>\$84,469.78</b> | <b>\$48,116.12</b> |               |

*\*The 2025-2026 spending plan approved by the congregation requires \$72,050 monthly income. We are grateful for the Lord's faithfulness in your generous giving. Financial dashboard reports are available on the church website ([www.efreechurch.org/Dashboard](http://www.efreechurch.org/Dashboard)).*

## THANKSGIVING SUNDAY

### PSALM 145

*Today you will need a pen and a reflection card. If you did not receive these items when you entered, you can find a table on either side of the stage that has what you'll need!*



*New sermon series starts next week: Nicene Nativity. We will resume 1 Samuel after the new year.*