UPCOMING AT THE FREE CHURCH

View all upcoming connection opportunities at www.efreechurch.org/events.

PREPARE WITH PRAYER, today, following service. Engage with interactive prayer stations throughout the building for our church ministries and our community as we enter into fall. Nursery provided for children infant-3 yrs.

LINGER LONGER AFTER SERVICE, Sunday, August 31. Enjoy time together with extended fellowship and refreshments after service! We're saying farewell to summer before our fall schedule resumes on Sunday, September 7.

GATHERED WORSHIP SERVICE TIME CHANGE STARTS THIS FALL. Beginning Sunday, September 7, we will be holding our weekly worship service at 9:00 AM, followed by Free Church Communities at 10:30 AM.

FREE CHURCH COMMUNITIES BEGIN SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 10:30 AM, for adults and kids of all ages. This year Communities will be multigenerational, and we are so excited about this opportunity to gather, grow, and to love others as we love Jesus. More information to follow soon.

AWANA, Wednesdays, 5:40-7:15 PM. Children 3 yrs. old through 5th grade are invited to join us for fun and fellowship as we hide God's word in our hearts! Registration and more information are available online by visiting www.efreechurch.org/children.

SUMMIT YOUTH GROUP, Wednesdays for 6th-12th grade students: Middle School:6:00-7:15 PM; High School:7:00-8:30 PM. Learn more at the Welcome Center or online at www.efreechurch.org/youth.

GET CONNECTED

CHECK OUT THE CHURCH APP Search "Free Church of Cañon City" in your app store or visit 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.



WELCOME TO

THE FREE CHURCH of Cañon City

SUNDAY MORNINGS

Gathered Worship at 9:30 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. All our hope is in the unchanging gospel of Jesus—who He is, what He's done, what He's faithfully doing in our lives, what He's promised to all who believe. Because the gospel is true, we gather, drawing near to God through Jesus. We are then sent back out to live in the light of the gospel until next week's gathering, or until Jesus comes back.

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).

OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

- Aaron Leggett & family on sabbatical
- Kendra Brady, continual recovery from surgery

MISSIONS: **Loaves & Fishes,** community impact, volunteers, employees, blessings over upcoming fundraiser

NEIGHBORING EFCA & LOCAL CHURCHES

- Connect Church, Cañon City, CO
- Cross & Crown Church, Colorado Springs, CO

OUR COMMUNITY: Teachers, School District Employees, & Students

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**.

Thank you, faithful givers, for your generosity. Our goal is to impact our world for Christ, in our community and beyond, so that many may meet Jesus and take hold of the life that is truly life! Our monthly giving for the first 3 weeks of August is \$53,588.26. Our monthly target to support our spending plan is \$72,050. Giving was especially strong in July, and the Stewardship Team was able to begin building our reserve fund.

"Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life." – 1 Timothy 6:18-19

Visit www.efreechurch.org/Dashboard to view monthly dashboard reports.

TODAY'S TEACHING NOTES

JAMES: WISDOM FOR THE COMMUNITY OF CHRIST

THE JUDGE IS STANDING JAMES 5:1-12

PASTOR STEPHEN MOORE

A sneak peek at next week: James 5:13-20