

BILL BUTTERS

"A CLEAN SHEET OF ICE"

8.22.21 • Hockey Ministries International

KIDS SRP PRIZE SHOP

Aug. 22 | After Worship services | Room 203 Our second and final Prize Shop of the summer is open this Sunday! Readers may bring in their last reading log and spend their earned book bucks. It's still anybody's game to earn the Ice Cream Party!

HYMN SING

Aug. 22 | 4 p.m. | Worship Center

Join us for a church and community hymn sing here at First Free. Invite your friends and bring song requests!

MEN'S WORK DAY: THE FINALE!

Aug. 28 | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. | Harvest Gardens Garage

Men age 14 and up are invited to finish installing fencing panels by the garage on the corner of County C and Hazelwood. Lunch is provided and all skill levels are welcome. Contact: Matt Wellendorf at 712.369.0031 or wellendorf.matt@gmail.com.

PARENT & CHILD DEDICATIONS

Aug. 29 | During Church Services | WC

Parents will dedicate their child to the Lord while dedicating themselves to raising their child in a Christ-like way.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR GLOBAL PARTNERS

Nasser & Daisy al Qahtani Neil & Jeannette Baumgartner Tim & Spring Becker

CROSSROADS CHAPEL

Sep. 2 | Minnesota State Fair

Volunteers can sign up in the Lobby to serve at Crossroads Chapel during the State Fair. You can also bring gently-used Christian books to the Lobby donation bin. They will be sold at the Chapel bookstore with proceeds going back into ministry. Contact: Julie Curtis at 612.867.6127.

CHILDCARE WORKERS

Women in the Word is grateful to offer childcare for Tuesday morning studies. We have open positions for adult childcare workers and substitutes. If you love kids and want extra income, contact Jackie Keane at 612.325.7893 or jackieakeane@hotmail.com.

KIDS SUMMER READING PROGRAM ICE CREAM PARTY

Aug. 29 | 10:15 - 10:35 a.m. | Fellowship Hall The winners of our Summer Reading Program (and an ice cream party!) will be announced soon. Save the date in case YOU are on the winning team.

WOMEN IN THE WORD

Classes Begin Sep. 14 | In Person & Zoom

Women of all ages are invited to in-depth, inductive Bible studies which meet in multigenerational small groups. We have morning and evening classes with childcare available to morning attendees. Register online or in the Lobby on Sunday mornings. Click here to register or learn more!

WEEKLY EMAII

A weekly email is sent to the congregation every Thursday afternoon. To subscribe, call the church office (651.777.5180) or email gwellendorf@firstefc.org.

COMMUNION SUNDAY

We celebrate Communion on the third Sunday of each month. Next Communion Sunday is Sep. 19.

FIRST CONNECTION

Get to know more about First Free by attending First Connection! Come to Room 204 on the first Sunday of the month from 10:10-10:35 a.m. The next First Connection is Sept. 5.

STAFF CONTACT INFO

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ROOM KEY

WC: Worship Center FH: Fellowship Hall FC: Family Center YC: Youth Center

BUILDING HOURS

Mon. 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Tue. 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Wed. 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Thu. 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Fri. 9 a.m. – Noon

SUMMER LIBRARY HOURS

Sun.: 10 – 10:45 a.m. Mon., Wed., Thu.: 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

LAST WEEK'S GIVING

 8.15.21
 ACTUAL
 BUDGET
 DIFFERENCE

 Weekly:
 \$ 49,717
 \$ 39,990
 \$ 9,727

 YTD:
 \$ 237,908
 \$ 279,933
 \$ (42,024)

THREE WAYS TO GIVE



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MISSION STATEMENT

We exist to glorify GOD by making and maturing disciples of JESUS CHRIST to minister to the world with the Gospel by the HOLY SPIRIT.

