



If this is your first time at First Free, you are our special guest, and we extend a warm welcome to you! Be sure to pick up a free gift at the Guest Services Desk, filled with information about our ministries.

get CONNECTED

FIRST Connection is a casual opportunity to hear about the mission and values of First Free. You can attend the first Sunday of the Month from 10:15 - 10:45 a.m. in Room 202.

more INFORMATION

FirstLook is a publication that highlights all upcoming events and ministries for a quarter of the year. Copies are available at the Guest Services Desk.



You can join First Free's Church Center on your computer at firstefc.churchcenter.com. Alternatively, use your smart phone to scan the QR code or download the Church Center app in your phone's app store. Then find First Evangelical Free Church in the list of nearby churches and follow a few simple steps to log into your profile. Call the Church Office if you need help getting logged in.



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Global Partners António & Ana Maria Figueira

- Our fellowship, the Antioch Baptist Church, has faced many challenges in the past few months. Pray for restoration of trust through solid theology as we stand firm on a biblical foundation.
- Celebrate the completion of Advanced Biblical Studies by our Mozambican national leadership. Pray for them as they begin leadership in various ministries.

Gather with the congregation for a joyous celebration on the lakeshore!

LAKE BAPTISMS

Aug. 9 • Turtle Lake Park • Potluck
 12:30 p.m. – Park is open
 5 p.m. – Potluck Dinner
 6 p.m. – Worship & Baptism Service



Details

up and COMING

- **Pray For Our Summer Teams:** Japan: July 15 - 31 and Alaska: July 18 - 25.
- **Pizza With the Pastors:** TODAY • 12:15 pm • Room 202
A quarterly meal and fellowship for newcomers.
- **Baptism Class:** Jul. 26 • 10:45 am • Room 202 • Register by Jul. 22
- **Reading Prize Shop:** Jul. 26 • After Each Service • Youth Center A
- **Young Couples BBQ:** Jul. 26 • 12:30 - 2:30 pm • Pastor Todd & Sharon's Couples age 30 and younger are invited to enjoy a BBQ and a time of fellowship with other First Free couples! RSVP by Jul. 24.
- **Summer Team Reports / Global Partner Updates:** Aug. 9 • 9 & 10: 45 am
Join us in the Family Center to hear from our Japan and Alaska teams as well as three of our Global Partners working in China and the Middle East.

family NOTES

- **July 12:** Avery & Betsy Platter welcomed their second child, Caleb Daniel.

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