

## HE LINGERED

**Text:** Genesis 19.16

**Theme:** We must not linger with the world as we pursue holiness.

### INTRODUCTION—

#### I. LOT WAS A BELIEVER – 2 PETER 2.7, 8

1. Just & righteous
2. Grieved by sin

#### II. YET LOT LINGERED

1. What Lot saw & knew
2. What we see & know

#### III. WHY DID LOT LINGER?

1. Poor decisions
2. Remember Lot's example

#### IV. THE RESULTS OF LOT'S LINGERING

1. He made no impact
2. He failed his family
3. He was saved...as though by fire (1 Corinthians 3.15)

### CONCLUSION—DO NOT LINGER!



# Albion Evangelical Free Church

Order of Service

**January 17, 2021**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise

#219 *Surely the Presence*

#220 *He is Here*

#562 *Be Thou My Vision*

#431 *Shine Jesus Shine*

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Children's Message

Message: *He Lingered*

Benediction and Doxology

Pastor Kevin Sorensen

Disciples' Prayer

Communion Celebration

Genesis 19.16

*Offering plate will not be passed at this time,  
please place offering in the box in the entryway.*

*We encourage families to worship together during our worship service. There are activity bags available in the back for children and the nursery is available for those under 3 who need to move. Thank you for worshipping with us!*

## Prayers & Praise:

*“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances...”*

*1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

- For our nation to have peace during the transition of presidency this coming week, and for all elected officials to make Godly wisdom and decisions
- Healing for Chris Gloege’s heel; healing has been slow
- Bob and Barb Rigenhagen for physical health and care from the Lord
- For those impacted by Covid-19; both physically and emotionally
- For those unable to receive visitors currently: Ralph & Judy Lipelt, Norma Carlson, and Jann McCracken, and for others who are unable to join us for worship currently.
- For those with hurts too painful to share
- That we would find ways to share the love of Christ with those around us in 2021

## Information and Coming Events:

Christian Education Meeting will be held **next Sunday, on January 24** here at the church at Noon. If you are involved in teaching on Sunday mornings or throughout the week, please plan on attending. We will have box lunches from Subway available for all who attend (including family members) but you need to sign up by Jan. 17 for a lunch. Thank you!

Sign up here: <https://forms.gle/gfSNYdseycNmL4caA>.

Biblical Counseling training will happen on Jan. 22 from 5:00-9:30pm and Jan. 23 from 8:00-4:30pm here at the church. If you are interested and have not been contacted by Pastor Kevin, contact him today if you would like to participate.

New Church Directory is being put together! **PLEASE** take time to stop by the fellowship hall, find your family and make sure the information we have is correct. PLEASE make correction on those forms. If you want your email address included, please write that in as well.

You may submit a digital photo for the directory by emailing the picture to [taumi@albionfreechurch.org](mailto:taumi@albionfreechurch.org). **PLEASE** put “picture” in message line. If you would prefer, Gina Thesing will be taking pictures on Sunday following the morning service for the directory as well.

Questions see Taumi Wilson.

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[www.albionfreechurch.org](http://www.albionfreechurch.org) and on Facebook

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*Please be aware that our services are recorded and posted on our website and social media.*

## Adult Ministry Opportunities



### This morning:

9:30 am Adult Bible Study locations:

Fellowship hall with Reed Arvidson (mask required)

Side Room with Taumi Wilson (mask required)

Parsonage with Jon Saksa; limited space, see Jon

Sunday *no bible study at Duske's this evening*

Monday 6:00 pm General Board Meeting

7:00 pm Ladies Book Club

Tuesday 9:30 am Prayer in Fellowship Hall

Wed. 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study at Jane Johnson's

Friday 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in St. Michael

Saturday 8:00 am Men's Gathering

## Student and Children's Ministries



Today 9:30 am Children's

Bible Class in downstairs

classroom

with Lisa C. & Kelly B.

(for ages 3-5<sup>th</sup>

grade)

9:30 am Student Bible

Class in youth room

with Pastor

Kyle (6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade)

Wed. 6:30 pm AWANA (for

ages 3- 6<sup>th</sup> grade)

meets via

Zoom

6:30 pm Youth Group

(for 7<sup>th</sup> -12 grades)

meeting in

person at church

## Special Opportunities This Week:



Bible Study Classes have started for ALL ages groups! If you haven't jumped in yet, it is never too late. If you have questions, see Pastor Kyle.

Ladies Book Club will be meeting this Monday, Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> at Gina Thesing's home at 7 pm. We are reading The Boys in the Boat. Questions see Linda Groos.