Sermon Notes

February 21, 2021

Pride & No Prejudice (Humility)

Text: Matthew 23.1–12 Theme: Our heart's must be humble, like Christ's, if we are to be a part of His kingdom.

INTRODUCTION -

I. EXPOSING HYPOCRISY

II. EXALTING HUMILITY

CONCLUSION -



Albion Evangelical Free Church

Order of Service for February 21, 2021

Prelude Welcome Call to Worship Songs of Praise Children's Message Matthew 23.1-12

Pastor Kevin Sorensen Disciples' Prayer Worship Team

Message: Pride & No Prejudice (Humility)

Benediction

Doxology

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

Please know that our service is being recorded and uploaded to albionfreechurch.org and Facebook live.

As God's people our mission to strive to fulfill with excellence both the Great *Commandment Loving God and Loving Others and the Great Commission – winning people* to faith in Jesus Christ, building them up in the faith and equipping them to minister to others.

Information and Coming Events:

Remember to get your <u>Library Reading Challenge</u> slips turned into the fishbowl before the service starts! There will be a couple names drawn each week for prizes. There are many books in the church library for all ages, take time to check it out today! Questions see Nicole or Marie Wilson.

Check out the <u>Church Directory DRAFT</u> on the back table! Let Taumi Wilson know if a change needs to be made. If you would like a printed copy, please sign up on the clip board. It will also be made available online.

<u>The Online Church Directory is LIVE!</u> Login directions are here in the bulletin. You MUST have an email address registered with the church to access it. Email Taumi with any questions or problems you may have.

<u>Camp Shamineau!</u> Kids, it is time to sign up for summer camp! Brochures available on the back table. Scholarships are available, see Taumi or Pastor Kyle.

<u>Albion Youth!</u> If you are wanting to go on the missions trip this summer your registrations are due Feb. 24! Don't delay, get them in today!

<u>GriefShare</u> will be meeting on Monday evenings from 6:30-8:00pm. You can see complete details on Albion's website.

Prayers & Praise:

"Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances..." 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

- Those in our church family who have experienced surgeries or illnesses and need healing: Bob & Barb Rigenhagen, Rod Twitchell, Barb Bares, Noah Benson
- Barb Bares as she continues to heal from surgery but dealing with complications of kidney failure
- Complete healing for Noah Benson's kidney following a work-related accident
- Prayers for our General Board as they work on decisions toward one-gathered worship service.
- Praise that Chris Heille is home and healing, thank you for your prayers Taumi
- For Payton Lund with baby on the way
- 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
- For the Prayer Event, for attendance, for open hearts and answered prayers.

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Ministry Opportunities This Week:

Adult Ministries:



- Today9:30 am Adult Bible Study locations:Fellowship hall with Reed Arvidson (masks required)Side Room with Taumi Wilson (masks required)Basement classroom with Jon Saksa (limited space)Today6:00 pm Bible Study at Cliff & Wendy Duske's
 - (limited space, call Duske's)
 - 6:30 pm GriefShare in Fellowship Hall
- Tues. 9:30 am Prayer in Fellowship Hall
- Wed. 5:30 pm Ladies Choir Practice
 - 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study at Jane Johnson's
- Fri. 10:00 am Women's Bible Study in St. Michael
- Sat. 8:00 am Men's Gathering

Student and Children's Ministries:

Mon.



Today 9:30 am Children's Bible Classes in classrooms downstairs (for ages 3 – 6th grade) Student Bible Class in Youth Room (for ages 7th-12th grade) Wed. 6:30 pm AWANA (ages 3-6th grade) meets via Zoom 6:30 pm Youth Group (7th -12th grades) meeting here at the church.

Special Opportunities



If you are interested in singing with the <u>Ladies Choir</u>, see Nicole Wilson or come to practice this Wednesday, Feb. 24 at 5:30 pm.

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<u>The Prayer Event is next Sunday, Feb. 28 at 4:00 pm</u>. This is a hands-on prayer event created with families in mind. Please check out the insert for complete details.

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!