

Platteville Free Methodist Church

350 E. Furnace Street
Pastor Jeff Suits
February 4, 2024

Prelude	Julie Alcalay
Welcome	
*Call to Worship	Psalm 57:9-11
*Songs of Praise	
Ministry of Music	Regan Hinds
Pastoral Prayer	
Communion	
*Song of Praise	
Life in the Church (Children Dismissed for Children’s Church)	
Scripture Reading	Psalm 1:1-6
Message	“What is a Man?”
Prayer	
*Benediction	
Postlude	

*Please Stand

Today’s service is livestreamed on Facebook and YouTube.
Copies of today’s service are available immediately following the service. Please ask the sound tech for a CD.

OUR WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday:	Sunday School	9:30 am
Worship Service		10:30 am
	Celebrate Recovery	5:30 pm
Wednesday:	Awana (ages 5-11)	6:30 pm
	Youth Group (ages 12-18)	6:30 pm
	Bible Study (Livestreamed on Facebook)	6:30 pm



The Sanctuary is equipped with Hearing Loop.
Have your hearing aid T-coil activated or ask at the Sound Booth about how to use a Loop Listener

LIFE IN THE CHURCH

PREACHING SERIES called "Who Am I?". This topical series will explore what the Bible says about who we were created to be and as Christians what it means to have our identity in Christ. This week we will look at a biblical view of manhood.

COMMUNION - This morning we will celebrate Holy Communion. If you are trusting in the Lord Jesus as your Savior and desire to continue walking closely with Him, you are welcome at His table. You need not be a member of this congregation to participate.

GIVING: Thank you for your faithful giving. Place your offering in one of the boxes provided, mail a personal check, or do an electronic fund transfer with your local bank. EFT's can be set up on line and your tithe can be paid like a water bill.

MISSION SEWING Monday & Tuesday, at 9:00 a.m. in the Sonshine Center.

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION Tuesday evening, February 13th at 7:00p.m. in the Sonshine Center.

ANNUAL SOCIETY MEETING: Everyone is invited to our Annual Meeting on February 18 immediately following the morning worship service. Written ministry and financial reports that review 2023 will be distributed. All members will vote to elect 2 Church Delegates and a Reserve Delegate. Church Delegate must be able to serve for one year on the Board of Administration (2nd Tuesday of each month), represent our church at Annual Conference (May 3-4) at Sky Lodge, serve during times of pastoral change and be an active member of the church.

AWANA SNACKS NEEDED: A sign-up sheet is posted in the church foyer.

PRAYING FOR LOCAL MINISTRIES

Clarity Clinic of SW Wisconsin
Megan Fechner, Executive Director

PRAYING FOR PLATTEVILLE

St Mary’s/Augustine University
Father Faustino Ruiz

PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILIES

Monday	Stephenie Stephens
Tuesday	Jim Stoffregen
Wednesday	Pastor Jeff & Susan Suits
Thursday	Kristan Vaassen
Friday	Chuck Virtue
Saturday	Randy & Betty Waller
Sunday	Michael Wang

PRAYING FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

Danni Stephens and family at the passing of Mort
Roberta Glasson in hospital recovering from surgery
Health issues - Dana Harkness
President Biden, his administration, Congress, and Supreme Court
Our children and teens as they face many challenges with our culture
A mighty moving of the Holy Spirit in the United States
2024 Elections – national, state, and local

PRAISE AND ANSWERS TO PRAYER

God’s faithfulness to our people through life’s difficulties

PRAYING FOR GLOBAL MISSION

OUR MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Larry & Katie Winckles – Budapest, Hungary

AFRICA-Rejoice and give thanks. Supt. Isaac Gayne of Liberia praises to God for two new church plants in Northern Liberia that now have two “daughter” churches. Many have accepted Jesus and are zealous to work for Him. Pray these new churches and believers will continue to grow.

ASIA- The Winter Youth Retreat in Taiwan was held this week. Pray for the over 200 youth from all four districts in Taiwan who participated in workshops and teaching on "God's Will in the Online World." Please continue to pray for Creative Access- MR. Towns are under martial law, tens of thousands are displaced, many continue to be hungry and at risk. Pray for peace and the protection and courage of churches and leaders as the Lord provides open doors for sharing the gospel. Pray for a Gethsemane Leadership Training team teaching and ministering in Creative Access-IA this week.

EUROPE-Please pray for the Europe Ministry Resource Team as they gather this week in Florence, Italy, for a time of retreat and strategic planning for the coming year.

LATIN AMERICA-The Annual Conference Meeting of Paraguay was held this. Pray that all who attended will be united in spirit and vision, and open to the leading of the Holy Spirit in the coming year of ministry. The Latin America Leadership Summit will begin next week. Please pray for all those who will be traveling from across the area to attend this meeting.

MIDDLE EAST- Pray God's peace will reign in the Middle East. Ask the Father to give leaders minds of wisdom and hearts of compassion. Pray for the Turning Back ministry in Egypt as they reach out to at-risk men. A small group of men have dedicated their time to building relationships with young men, many of whom are suffering from addictions. As they share the gospel, many lives are being transformed.

INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE MINISTRIES-Thank the Lord for the older children in the ICCM Cambodia program who are volunteering to help the younger children learn English. By doing this, they are helping the younger children and improving their own skills. Pray for the ICCM children in Cambodia as they seek to learn English.

SET FREE MOVEMENT-Pray for those in Bulgaria who are working to prevent human trafficking among at-risk Roma women. As they build trusting relationships, pray these women will embrace the love of Christ.

WEEK OF BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

2/4 Jim Bottomley
2/7 Brad Mowry
2/9 Paul Farra
2/10 Trudy Farra
2/12 Tali Stephens

NURSERY for those 3 and under

2/4 Janita Ewing & Mabel Eck
2/11 Joyce Herr & Craig Humphreys

The Platteville Free Methodist Church exists to...

Magnify JESUS

Move believers to be like JESUS

Make JESUS known

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