

PEARCE CHURCH

May 29, 2020

STAY INFORMED

Our building, including Pearce 4 Kids, remains closed. However, **P4K is preparing to open its daycare program on June 1.** All the necessary Covid19 safeguards will be in place both for the little ones and for the staff. This vital step in serving young working families is an important part of our ongoing ministry.

If you didn't receive the email earlier this week with a survey attached, we encourage you to email us at pearce@pearcechurch.org and ask to be added to Pastor Glenn's weekly email distribution list. The survey we sent out is designed to help us build a comprehensive strategy for eventually reentering our buildings for in-person worship. You can [access the survey by using this link](#). **The Genesis Conference has recommended that we plan for meeting together in worship sometime after Labor Day.** This will be disappointing to some, but our leadership team is committed to ensure a safe and worshipful atmosphere. We are still able to worship our amazing God together online and God is with us no matter where or how we worship.

Check the ["Stay Informed" page](#) on our website to learn how you can connect with us and help others in our community during this time. [Click here for an instruction guide](#) on how to connect to Pearce on our website, Facebook, and YouTube. To join our email lists to receive the NEUs, Prayer Focus, Prayer Chain, or Pastor Glenn's weekly note, or if you need further technical help, email pearce@pearcechurch.org or leave a voicemail at 585-594-9488.

WORSHIP

Hold on tight as we delve into 1 Peter 2:13-25 this Sunday as the writer launches into a powerful teaching on getting along with your government with these words: "Submit yourselves for the Lord's sake to every human authority." Wow. Talk about timely. Be sure to join our online Worship Experience on Sunday at 10:30am as Pastor Glenn makes the clear connection between Peter's advice and our current discussion about churches re-entering our facilities. Have you noticed that Pastor Glenn almost never calls it "reopening"? According to him, Pearce Church never closed! This should be an exciting Sunday! There's still time for you to sign up for the companion online study resource at [RightNow Media here](#) or text RIGHTNOW PEARCEMC to the number 41411. Download the RNM app for [Apple devices](#). Download the RNM app for [Android devices](#). All links can be found on our website, pearcechurch.org/rightnow-media.

CONNECT

Nancy Drew is retiring! Our beloved receptionist, Nancy Drew, is retiring on May 29, after serving at Pearce for over 16 years. We aren't able to meet in person to celebrate with her, but we are planning a special surprise! We'd like to make a giant parking lot chalk drawing for Nancy, with notes from our Pearce and Pearce 4 Kids families. You're invited to sign up for a time slot on either June 6 or 7 to come to Pearce and make a chalk drawing for Nancy. We'll capture video, photo, and drone footage throughout the weekend and will share the final video with Nancy as a farewell gift from all of us. Time slots available on Saturday, June 6, are 10am-noon, 1-3pm, and 5-7pm. Available times on Sunday, June 7, are 1-3pm and 5-7pm. To make sure we save a spot for you, [RSVP on our website \(pearcechurch.org/retirement\) with the time you'd like to come to draw](#). Once you register, you'll receive more details regarding how the days will run. Thanks for helping us honor Nancy in this way. So far, the weather looks cool and rain-free, but if needed, our rain dates will be the following weekend, June 13 & 14.

Father's Day is quickly approaching! To help celebrate and remember the fathers in our lives, we'd like to feature pictures of our church family with their dads in our June 21 service. Whether you have a photo that was taken last week or 30 years ago, we would love for you to share that with us so we can put them all in a slideshow. Send your photo to mantegna_kimberly@pearcechurch.org by Sunday, June 14, and include a note telling us who is in each photo.

Daily Connect happens on our Facebook page every Monday-Friday at 7pm. Stop by for a time to share God's Word, pray, and worship together.

Parents of teens in middle school and high school, remind your kids to join our youth group Zoom meeting each Wednesday at 8pm. Teens should email TC at corbett_tom@pearcechurch.org to receive an invitation to the meeting. Our teens (6th-12th grade) are also meeting on Sundays for a Live Equip Study at 11:30am on Instagram ([pearcejourneyteens](#)) and Facebook ([Pearce Journey Teens](#)).

Our Daily Bread Devotionals: Many of you may be wondering how to get your hands on the next quarter's Daily Bread devotional booklets. With the facility being closed, we have yet to receive them, but will update you as they come in and let you know how you can get a copy. In the meantime, visit: odb.org to get the devotional online. Thanks for your patience!

GIVE

Thank you for your continued faithful giving to Pearce! We ask that you continue to prayerfully consider how the Lord may be asking you to contribute resources not only to the church, but to other efforts to assist others during this time as well. See the [giving page of our website](#) for different ways to donate to Pearce.

Pearce Year-to-Date Giving Update

	2020 Budget thru 21 weeks	2020 Actual thru 21 weeks	2019 Actual thru 21 weeks
Operations	454,546	470,965	476,440
Building	69,527	61,649	70,003
Missions	16,356	16,331	17,434

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