

PEARCE CHURCH

News, Events & Updates • March 22, 2024

This Weekend (March 23 & 24) - Palm Sunday Weekend

Saturday Worship: 5:00pm / Sunday Worship: 9:30am

Sermon Series: Christ's Passion
Sermon Title: Hosanna! Save Us (from Ourselves)!
Scripture: Mark 11:1-11
Preaching Pastor: Pastor Todd

Special Worship Elements:

Sunday Morning Service: The Roberts Wesleyan Chorale will join the Pearce Choir in providing special music and in leading our congregational worship.

This Week (March 22 – March 29)

Sunday, March 24

- Sunday Morning Prayer at 9am in the Parlor
- Requiem for the Living Concert at 3pm in the Sanctuary
- Family Gym Night from 6 – 8pm

Monday, March 25

- Celebrate Recovery community group meets at 6:30pm in the Loft

Tuesday, March 26

- Tuesday Men's Breakfast meets 7am at the Town and Country Family Restaurant (3205 Chili Ave, Chili, NY 14624)
- GCLT meets at 7pm in the Conference Room
- Adult Floor Hockey from 6:45 – 8:45pm in the Family Life Center for older teens and adults

Wednesday, March 27

- Kids Gym meets at 9:30am in the Family Life Center for preschoolers and their caregivers – not on calendar
- Common Grounds Café open from 9:30am – 1pm
- Community Bible Study (CBS) meets from 10:30am - 12:20pm
- Oasis (Youth Group) meets at 6:30pm in the Loft
- Worship Team rehearses from 7:30 - 8:30pm in the Sanctuary

Thursday, March 28

- The Mary & Martha's Group meets at 11:30am in the Friendship Center

Friday, March 29

- Good Friday - Facility Closed until the evening service at 7pm

Plan Ahead

- **Holy Week** (March 24 – March 31) will include the following:
 - March 24: Palm Sunday
 - March 24: Requiem for the Living Concert at 3pm in the Sanctuary
 - March 29: Good Friday Service @ 7pm in the Sanctuary
 - March 30: Saturday pm Service @ 5pm in Parmerter
 - March 31: Easter Sunday
 - Sunrise Service at 7am in the Orchard Street parking lot (bring a camp chair with you)
 - Easter Munch & Mingle will be served from 7:30 – 9am in the Lobby
 - Easter Service at 9:30am in the Sanctuary
- April 8: P4K and the Pearce church offices/facility will close for the day at 1pm for the Solar Eclipse
- April 12: Parent Night Out – watch for more details soon

- April 13: P4K BBQ Fundraiser (drive through pickup from 4 – 6:30pm)
 - Cost: \$15
 - Meal Includes: half a chicken, salt potatoes, coleslaw, a roll and a cookie
 - Tickets are available through April 5 for purchase with cash or check at the Welcome Desk or this [Realm link](#)
 - To volunteer or get more information, contact [Mattie Laley](#)
- April 15: Golden Heirs will meet at noon in the Friendship Center for lunch and a program (note the date change from the normal 2nd Monday of the month due to the 4/8 Eclipse)

Spring Adult Discipleship Options

Explore the exciting new Sunday morning discipleship opportunities launching on April 14 from 10:45am – 12:15pm. Click on the course links below to delve into details and/or to register.

- [The Love Required of Us](#) led by Jess Newcomb & Megan Hoose
- [Nehemiah Part 2](#) led by James Kerwin
- [How to Read and Study the Bible](#) led by Bill & Patty Roushey
- **Amped** (College Age) led by Matt and Marissa Kerwin - to learn more contact [Matt Kerwin](#)

Giving & Serving Opportunities

- Thank you to all who are donating to our Food Cupboard! This week's needs are:

○ Pasta Sauce	○ Cooking Oil
○ Pasta	○ Sugar
○ Canned Chicken	○ Laundry Detergent
○ Chunky Soups	○ Tissues
○ Tomato Products (paste, crushed, etc.)	

If you need food support, please contact the church to set up an appointment.

- The RWU ministry group, Roc SOLID, has joined forces with another club on campus in a collaborative effort to assemble hygiene care packages for individuals seeking to break free from the clutches of human trafficking. These packages will be donated to [Bright Star](#), an organization dedicated to providing support to adult women impacted by addiction and sexual exploitation. As a two-year residential program in Monroe County committed to this cause, Bright Star exemplifies resilience and compassion in its mission to empower survivors on their journey to healing and independence. Types of donations needed to create hygiene care packages include:

Travel size tissues	Gloves	Hat
Bar soap	Socks	Flashlights
Deodorant	Travel size shampoo	Lotion
Hand warmers	Travel size conditioner	Chapstick
Foot warmers	Toothbrush	Gatorade Powder, etc.
Any winter gear	Toothpaste	Hand sanitizer

Items may be dropped off in the bin by the Welcome Desk, any time the church is open, by Thursday, April 4.

- Check out the various [ways to give](#)

Prayer Chain

Daily prayer updates are sent Monday through Friday at 3:30pm, providing information about the needs of our Pearce community. If you have a personal prayer request, update, or bereavement information to share, send it to pearce@pearcechurch.org, or call the church at 585-594-9488, and we will be sure to include it in our next update.