

PEARCE CHURCH

News, Events & Updates • March 29, 2024

Easter Weekend (March 29, 30 & 31)

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

Good Friday Service, March 29 @ 7pm:

Sermon Title: Witnesses to Christ's Passion

Scripture Focus: John 19:25-30

Pastor in Service: Pastor Kim Roth

Special Worship Elements:

- Communion

Silent Saturday Service, March 30 @ 5pm:

Sermon Title: In the Tomb or Upper Room?

Scripture: John 19:38-42

Preaching Pastor: Pastor Jonathan Bratt

Easter Sunday, March 31:

Sunday Sunrise Service:

Sunrise Service at 7am in the Orchard Street parking lot (bring a camp chair with you)

Sunday Munch & Mingle:

A special Easter Munch and Mingle will be served on Sunday from 7:30 – 9am in the in the Lobby

Easter Worship Service @ 9:30am:

Sermon Title: Easter's Objective

Scripture: John 20:1-18

Preaching Pastor: Pastor Todd

Special Easter Sunday Worship Elements for Families with Children:

- Nursery care will be provided for children ages infant thru Pre-K
- Kids who have completed Kindergarten – 5th grades will be in the service for the full hour
- Kids Bags will be provided for the children in the Worship service
- A special Kids Moment will be included during the service

This Week (March 29 – April 5)

Friday, March 29

- P4K and Pearce facility closed for Good Friday until the evening service
- Good Friday Service @ 7pm in the Sanctuary

Sunday, March 31

- Sunday Morning Prayer at 9am in the Parlor

Monday, April 1

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

Tuesday, April 2

- Tuesday Men's Breakfast meets 7am at the Town and Country Family Restaurant (3205 Chili Ave, Chili, NY 14624)
- Tuesday Morning Bible Study for men and women meets from 9 - 10:15am in Room 80
- Head to Toe Hygiene Hub opens at 6:30pm
- Adult Floor Hockey from 6:45 – 8:45pm in the Family Life Center for older teens and adults

Wednesday, April 3

- Men's Choir rehearses from 6:30 – 7:30pm in Parmerter
- Worship Team rehearses from 7:30 - 8:30pm in the Sanctuary

Thursday, April 4

- The Mary & Martha's Group meets at 11:30am at Pearce to ride together to Chili Bill Gray's at 3240 Chili Avenue. If you are arriving independently, plan to meet the group there at 11:45am.

Plan Ahead

- April 8: P4K and the Peace 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 pick up 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 by following [this link](#) to register/pay on Realm
 - 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)
- April 28: Baptism Sunday! If you are interested in speaking with a pastor about baptism, fill out [this form](#) by April 18 and a pastor will contact you.

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:
 - Cereal
 - Pasta Sauce
 - Chunky Soups
 - Cooking Oil
 - Ground Coffee
 - Tomato Products (paste, crushed, etc.)
 - Laundry Detergent
 - Paper Towels
 - Toilet Paper
 - Tissue

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

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