

# PEARCE CHURCH

News, Events & Updates • September 19, 2025

## This Weekend (September 20 & 21)

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

Sermon Series: Bold Moves  
Sermon Title: Exalt-Become  
Preaching Pastor: Pastor Todd  
Scripture: John 15:1-12

### Special Worship Elements

Men's Choir will sing in both services

## Take Note

### 2026 Offering Envelopes

To help us be efficient and reduce waste, offering envelopes for 2026 will be available by request only. If you would like to receive personalized envelopes, please complete [this form](#) by October 19 or call the church office at 594-9488. We ask those who use envelopes to order their personalized set rather than using the generic ones in the pew racks. Only those who submit a request will receive a new box of envelopes.

## This Week (September 19 – September 26)

### Friday, September 19

- Parent Night Out from 6-8pm in the Family Life Center

### Sunday, September 21

- Sunday Morning Prayer at 9am – feel free to spend time in prayer in the Parlor prior to the service
- Bible Quizzing meets from 6:30 – 8pm in the Loft

### Monday, September 22

- Celebrate Recovery, a space for honest connection and shared experiences as God is invited into our healing, meets at 6:30pm in the Friendship Center - to learn more, go [here](#) to email your questions
- Nominating Committee meets at 7pm in the Conference Room

### Tuesday, September 23

- Tuesday Men's Breakfast – 7am at Town and Country Family Restaurant (3205 Chili Ave, Chili, NY 14624)
- Tuesday Morning Bible Study (men and women) meet from 9-10:15am in Room 80
- Kids Musical Rehearsal from 5-6pm in Room 136

### Wednesday, September 24

- Community Bible Study (CBS) meets from 10:30am – 12:20pm
- Mid-Week Prayer Gathering from 6:30 – 7:30pm in Room 136 (KidsMin hallway)
- Oasis (Youth Group) meets at 6:30pm in the Loft
- Choir Rehearsal from 6:30 – 7:20pm in the Sanctuary
- Worship Team Rehearsal from 7:30 – 8:30 in the Sanctuary

### Thursday, September 25

- Marys & Marthas Group will travel to Lighthouse Christian Camp for the day – contact [Alberta Anderson](#) for more information
- Young Adults Small Group from 6:45 – 9pm at the home of [Karensa Reber](#) – go [here](#) for more details
- GCLT meets at 7pm in the Conference Room

### Friday, September 26

- RWU Homecoming Hymn Sing from 1-2pm in Parmerter Chapel
- Teens leave at 6:30pm for a Moonlight Corn Maze at Long Acres – go [here](#) to register

## Plan Ahead

- **September 28:** Segue for 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> graders from 6:30 – 8pm - drop off and pick-up in the Family Life Center
- **October 7:** Grass Roots Lawn Care Ministry meeting at 7pm in the Café. We are forming a team to help with mowing and trimming around the church grounds. Join Facilities Director, [Aaron Mantegna](#), for an informational meeting where he will share his vision for this ministry and how you can be part of it. Attending the meeting does not mean you are making a commitment—it is simply a chance to hear the vision and explore if this might be the right fit for you. If you are interested and/or plan to attend, let Aaron know by clicking on [this link](#).
- **October 12:** Teen Apple Picking Outing from 2-4:30pm – watch for registration information in the coming weeks
- **October 13:** Golden Heirs meets at noon in the Friendship Center – the October gathering includes:
  - Lunch/Cost: Chicken & Biscuits / \$5 per person
  - Program: Pastor Deano will share
  - Register by October 8: Call the church at 594-9488 or contact Mary Lou Bates at 754-3462
- **October 14:** Tuesday evening adult floor hockey begins for the fall from 6:45-8:45pm in the Family Life Center for older teens and adults – contact [Matt Kerwin](#) for more information
- **October 17:** Family Trivia Night from 6:30 – 8pm in the Family Life Center
- **October 19:** Segue for 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> graders from 6:30 – 8pm - drop off and pick-up in the Family Life Center

## Giving & Serving Opportunities

- Thank you to all who donate to our **Food Cupboard!** This week's needs are:
  - Cereal
  - Canned Fruit
  - Pasta Sauce
  - Coffee/Tea
  - Laundry Detergent
  - Shampoo

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

- **Check out the various [ways to give](#)** to support Operations, Missions, and the Free to Serve Campaign

## Prayer

- Join facilitator Sondra Anderson and others on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 7:30 pm in Room 136 (Kids Min Hallway) for a time of prayer. Each week includes a different Scripture focus, along with time for both personal and group prayer. Everyone is welcome—whether your week feels full, you're carrying a heavy burden, or you'd like to connect with others while your teen is at youth group. Come as you are and seek God together in prayer.
- **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](mailto: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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