

# PEARCE CHURCH

News, Events & Updates • March 6, 2026

## This Weekend (March 7 & 8)

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

Sermon Series: Lent: Journey of Truth  
Sermon Title: True Worship  
Preaching Pastor: Pastor Todd  
Scripture: John 4:19-26

### Special Worship Elements:

In this week's services, we will hear from the Pearce mission team, recently returned from Latin America. The service will feature music, firsthand stories from their time serving, and a meaningful glimpse into how God is working in the world.

## This Week (March 6 – March 13)

### Sunday, March 8

- Sunday Morning Prayer at 9am – feel free to spend time in prayer in the Parlor prior to the service
- Segue for 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> graders from 6:30 – 8pm
- Bible Quizzing meets from 6:30 – 8pm in the Loft

### Monday, March 9

- Golden Heirs meets at noon in the Friendship Center – details for the March gathering include:
  - Lunch: Homemade Soups & Cookies (no cost – donations accepted)
  - Speaker: Dr. Wayne McCown will take the group on a journey through the Sinai desert
- Celebrate Recovery, a space for honest connection and shared experiences as God is invited into our healing, meets at 6:30pm in the Loft - to learn more, go [here](#) to email your questions

### Tuesday, March 10

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

### Wednesday, March 11

- Oasis (Youth Group) meets at 6:30pm in the Loft
- Head to Toe Hygiene Hub opens at 6:30pm
- Worship Team Rehearsal from 7:30 – 8:30pm in the Sanctuary

### Thursday, March 12

- Marys and Marthas Group meets at 11:30 in the Friendship Center
- Young Adults Small Group from 6:45 – 9pm at the home of Karensa Reber – go [here](#) for more details
- Official Board meets at 7pm in the Conference Room

## Plan Ahead

- **March 14:** Preschool Open Gym from 9 -10am in the Family Life Center
- **March 16:** Celebrate Recovery will host an Open House & 7-Year Anniversary Celebration
  - When & Where: 6:30pm in the Loft
  - What: A time of worship, testimonies about how CR has helped others, and fellowship with light refreshments
  - Questions: Contact Kim LaCelle via [email](#) or at 585-615-6538
- **March 17:** Camp Connect Planning Meeting meets at 6:30pm in the Café – all who are interested are welcome
- **March 20:** Parent Night out – [go here](#) for more information and to register
- **March 22:** A Memorial Service will be held for Georgie Sittig at 2pm in the Sanctuary, with a reception immediately following in the lobby. In honor of Georgie's love of bright colors, the family invites guests to wear colorful, vibrant attire.

- **March 25:** Golden Heirs Field Trip
  - Location: [Cartwright's Maple Tree Inn](#) in Angelica, NY
  - Time: Leave from the Pearce parking lot at 8am (drivers needed)
- **March 28 & 29:** Sue Smout will provide a tour of the building for those who are interested – meet Sue at the Welcome Desk immediately following the services
- **Holy Week (March 28 or April 5) will include the following:**
  - March 28 & March 29: Palm Sunday Services
  - April 3: Good Friday Service @ 7pm in the Sanctuary
  - April 4: Silent Saturday Service @ 5pm in Parmerter
  - April 5: Easter Sunday
    - Sunrise Service at 7am in the Orchard Street parking lot (bring a camp chair with you)
    - Easter Service at 9:30am in the Sanctuary

## Adult Discipleship Course (click on the course name below to register)

Note: Childcare is available for Infants - 5th graders for both courses

- [Explore Pearce](#)
  - Dates: Sundays, March 8 – 29
  - Time: 10:45 – noon
  - Location: Café
  - Description: In this 4-week course you will learn what we believe and who we are as a church family, as well as explore what it means to become a member.

## Retreat Opportunity: S.H.E. – A Women's Retreat (Seek, Hear, Encounter)

- Dates: May 1 & 2
- Location: [Encounter Church](#) | 85 Freedom Lane | Milan, PA 18831
- Keynote Speakers: Pastor Colleen Dick and Kathryn Garrett
- [Go here to register](#)

## Giving & Serving Opportunities

- If you need **food support**, please contact the church to set up an appointment
- **KidsMin Bottle & Can Drive** – [go here](#) to learn how you can support our KidsMin children by donating your returnable bottles and cans **by Sunday, March 8**, with all proceeds helping fund renovations to the home of their sponsored child, Oliver, in Nzige, Rwanda
- **Check out the various [ways to give](#)** to support Operations, Missions, and the Free to Serve Campaign

## Prayer

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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