

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baptism Sunday

Today after our worship service, we will be having baptisms and bring your own picnic lunch gathering down at Maple Lake. Please bring your own blankets and chairs. We hope to see you there!

TLEFC Quarterly Meeting

Please join us on Sunday, August 27 after our worship service for our congregational meeting. We will discuss new church business and review our budget.

TLEFC Harvest Fest

Harvest Fest is happening Sunday September 10 at 11:30am right here in the parking lot at TLEFC! (If it rains, we'll be inside.) All are welcome to join in for this celebration and dedication of the new playground and new nursery. Don't miss the fun, food and horse drawn wagon rides!

Fort Wilderness Women's Retreat

Ladies, join us for a weekend to replenish your soul. TLEFC has a cabin reserved for this retreat.

Date: September 21/22-24

Speakers: Emily Rygh, Anne Eppler, Denise Johnstone

Cost: \$235.00

Reservations: Jackie 715-277-2587

Give

To give to the ministry of TLEFC, offerings can be placed in the boxes at the back of the sanctuary, or you can give online at tlefc.org/give. You can also give online by scanning the QR code on the right.



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Today's Volunteers

Building Steward: Jeff K.

Facebook Moderator: Karen P.

Nursery: Bob & Melissa W.

Welcome Table: Wendy W.

Welcome Ministry: Brad & Barb L.

Sunday, August 27

Chuck B.

Lori T.

Emma S. & Vanessa B.

Cindy P.

Sue Beth G. & Leah R.

THREE LAKES EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH SUNDAY • AUGUST 20, 2023



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*We are a community that strives to **REACH** people with the gospel of Jesus Christ, **GROW** to be like Christ, and **SERVE** others.*

10 These are the visions I saw while lying in bed: I looked, and there before me stood a tree in the middle of the land. Its height was enormous. 11 The tree grew large and strong and its top touched the sky; it was visible to the ends of the earth. 12 Its leaves were beautiful, its fruit abundant, and on it was food for all. Under it the wild animals found shelter, and the birds lived in its branches; from it every creature was fed.

13 “In the visions I saw while lying in bed, I looked, and there before me was a holy one, a messenger, coming down from heaven. 14 He called in a loud voice: ‘Cut down the tree and trim off its branches; strip off its leaves and scatter its fruit. Let the animals flee from under it and the birds from its branches. 15 But let the stump and its roots, bound with iron and bronze, remain in the ground, in the grass of the field.

“Let him be drenched with the dew of heaven, and let him live with the animals among the plants of the earth. 16 Let his mind be changed from that of a man and let him be given the mind of an animal, till seven times pass by for him.

17 “The decision is announced by messengers, the holy ones declare the verdict, so that the living may know that the Most High is sovereign over all kingdoms on earth and gives them to anyone he wishes and sets over them the lowliest of people.’

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34 At the end of that time, I, Nebuchadnezzar, raised my eyes toward heaven, and my sanity was restored. Then I praised the Most High; I honored and glorified him who lives forever.

His dominion is an eternal dominion;
his kingdom endures from generation to generation.

35 All the peoples of the earth
are regarded as nothing.

He does as he pleases
with the powers of heaven
and the peoples of the earth.
No one can hold back his hand
or say to him: “What have you done?”

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37 Now I, Nebuchadnezzar, praise and exalt and glorify the King of heaven, because everything he does is right and all his ways are just. And those who walk in pride he is able to humble.

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Daniel 4

**Living as Exiles means:
Feeling neither too much hope nor too
much despair over worldly leaders
because you know that God is sovereign.**