

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Hearing Assists are available at the Sound Booth.

We are celebrating the Lord's Supper today as part of our worship service. We encourage you to participate at home with any bread and juice that you have available.

Women's Bible Study: A new study is starting on Thurs., Oct. 22 at 9 am at Galynn Hoye's home. She will be leading the group through "Jude-Contending for the Faith in Today's Culture" by Jackie Hill-Perry. Please contact Galynn at 249-2071 for more info and to order a book.

AWANA Clubs Re-Starting on October 14th - We are very excited to announce that we will be resuming AWANA Clubs. *This year, club will be available for children in grades Kindergarten through Fifth Grade (Sparks and Truth & Training Clubs).* AWANA will be held during our traditional day and time frame - Wednesday evenings from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM. We will not be able to offer club for preschoolers (Cubbies) this year due to the difficulty of managing this age group in an environment that will honor social distancing and implement other precautions to be safe during our pandemic situation. Watch for an all church e-mail this coming week for more information on AWANA re-start and registration. We are working on building up our volunteer leader staffing - please connect with Ron Russell, Pam Russell or Karen Williams if you are interested in being a leader in this rewarding ministry that provides Christian community and fun for children, and helps them grow in their understanding of the Word of God. **There will be a leader training and orientation on Wednesday October 7th - for all leaders, including veterans and new volunteers.**

Under Construction - Buildings and Grounds has been looking at how we might best utilize our facilities for ministry, and part of that involves repurposing some of our rooms. Most immediately, to provide bigger areas for groups to meet, we will be opening up some of the classrooms in the basement of the Sunday School wing. In part, this will help us be able to responsibly space out in the post-COVID world of social distancing and provide areas for multiple groups meeting at the same time.

Finding I AM Women's study—Peggy Perkins will be leading this study, starting on Wednesday, October 14 at 6 pm., to coincide with the start of AWANA Clubs. Please contact Peggy at 592-0604 if you are interested or would like more information.

Please see insert for additional Announcements and Upcoming Events ➡



Growing Prayers
Ephesians 1:15-23

Sunday, October 4th, 2020

WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP!

Sunday School	Worship Service
9:15 a.m.	10:30 a.m.

Your children are welcome in the worship service.

Children's Church/Lil' Praisers and Nursery will not be offered for the time being, but you are welcome to use the Fellowship Hall area as a place to take your child if he/she becomes restless during the service.



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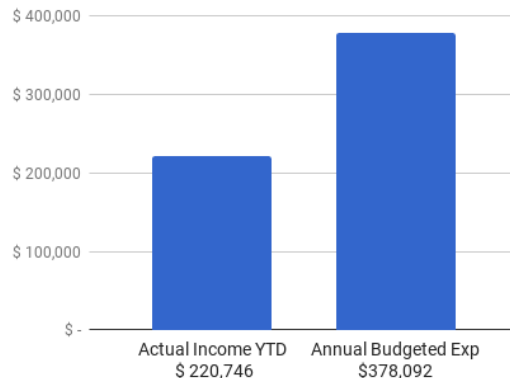


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Due to the coronavirus pandemic, please observe the following social distancing guidelines while in the church building:

- Maintain a minimum distance of two arm lengths (six feet) between other people who are not members of your household.
- Do not shake hands or hug people outside of your family.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, mouth, and face while at church.
- Cover your nose and mouth when coughing or sneezing. Cough or sneeze into your elbow rather than your hands.
- Practice regular washing of hands with soap and water.
- Consider using hand sanitizer and/or wearing a face covering or mask.
- Facility access is limited to the Auditorium, Fellowship Hall and Restrooms for the time being.

2020 General Fund Finances (Through August)



Looking for a place to serve?
You can volunteer in music,
children's and many more
ministries. Email us at
serve@atlanticfreechurch.com
to get involved.



Series: TO THE PRAISE OF HIS GLORIOUS GRACE
Sermon: *Growing Prayers*
Scripture: Ephesians 1:15-23
Speaker: Pastor Don McLean
Sunday: October 4, 2020

We should pray to grow in _____

How to Pray:

- With _____
- With _____
- With _____

What to Pray: That the Holy Spirit will _____
our _____

- To see how _____ we are
- To see how much He _____ us
- To see how _____ He is

Why to Pray: We know that our prayers are rooted in _____

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Join us for lunch on October 17th at 11:30 as we shower Julia Nichols with **NEW BABY BLESSINGS!** It will be held in the fellowship hall so we can distance. Julia is registered at babylist.com. Galynn Hoyer (249-2071) is hosting this shower. See you there!

Praise & Worship Night is Sunday, October 11, at 6:00 pm at Sunnyside Park Band Shelter. Multiple Atlantic churches are coming together to bring our community a night of praise and worship. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and join us for some encouragement and hope. Extra parking and shuttle service available at Lindeman Tractor parking lot--west of the band shelter.

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