

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Hearing Assists are available at the Sound Booth.

Information Session CD—If you would like to listen to the church name change/Statement of Faith change information session, please contact the church office to borrow the CD.

The Atlantic Food Pantry is in need of brown paper grocery sacks. You can bring your sacks to church to be taken to the Food Pantry, or you can drop them off at the Food Pantry yourself.

Church Business Meeting Announcement—Please see insert.

We hope to restart Children's Church (Little Praisers) soon! If you feel called to serve for this ministry, please contact Ron or Pam Russell.

VBS! Mon., 6/28—Fri., 7/2 mornings. Please sign up if you can help, and let's begin praying! Thank you!

Please check your email and the church Facebook page regularly for updates from the church about programs, etc. If you have subscribed to our all-church e-mail list, but aren't receiving our e-mails, please check your spam/junk folder and verify that church@atlanticfreechurch.com is in your address book/contacts. If you are not subscribed and would like to be, please e-mail the church office at church@atlanticfreechurch.com and request the link to sign up.



*The Great Commission
in Everyday Life
John 1:35-42*

Sunday, April 18th, 2021

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.

If you would like to give to the Lord's work, there is an offering box near the entrance to the auditorium. You may also give online on our website or by mailing your offering to the church office. Thank you

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.



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Atlantic Evangelical Free Church and AEFC Youth



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

- The use of a face covering or mask is encouraged but not required at our service.
- Maintain a minimum distance of two arm lengths (six feet) between yourself and 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.

There will be two songs at the end of the service. If you would like to leave after the first song for the sake of social distancing, you are welcome to do so.

Sermon: *The Great Commission in Everyday Life*
Scripture: John 1:35-42
Speaker: Pastor Don McLean
Sunday: April 18, 2021

The best way to bring people to Jesus is _____

What does it take to bring people to Jesus?

(1) _____ – _____ can do it!

(2) _____ in _____

(3) _____ for _____

Mark Your Calendars:

- *Christian Life & Witness Course*, Thursdays June 10, 17, 24 at the Atlantic Evangelical Free Church
- *Iowa 2021 Celebration with Will Graham*, October 1-3 at the Wells Fargo Arena in Des Moines

Smart Device Users: Notes for today's sermon are available in the "Events" section of The Bible App™

Church Business Meeting—April 25

Church Business Meeting: Our first quarter business meeting will be Sunday, April 25, 2021. The meeting will start 10 minutes after the conclusion of the worship service. All are welcome, and church members are especially encouraged to attend. You may participate in person at the church or electronically, as described below.

Agenda:

- Vote on the Board's recommendation that article 9 of our Statement of Faith be amended to replace the word "premillennial" with the word "glorious."
- Vote on the Board's recommendation that the Evangelical Free Church of Atlantic, Iowa be renamed GracePoint Church: An Evangelical Free Church.
- First quarter financial update.
- We also anticipate a vote on new church members.

Procedures for Voting & Establishing a Quorum:

- All members are encouraged to participate in the meeting, and friends and regular attenders of the church are welcome to attend in a non-voting capacity.
- You have the option to attend the meeting in-person at the church OR to join the meeting from home via this online meeting link from Zoom. The full Zoom invitation can be found at the end of this email.
- The link to join the business meeting online will also be included in the Sunday morning worship bulletin email that goes out on Sundays at 7:00 a.m.
- Please note that you will be sent to a digital "waiting room" when you join the Zoom meeting. This is a security measure. Please wait. The meeting monitor will "admit" you to the meeting shortly.
- For the sake of establishing a quorum, we will be counting members who are physically present AND members who join the meeting live via Zoom. Verification of remote attendance will be by sight in the video chat feature.
- Those who are in the auditorium will vote via paper ballots and those who are joining via Zoom will be able to vote using a voting mechanism called "Menti." The Menti link will be provided at the meeting.