



New to gFree? Here's what to do:

1. RELAX

Welcome! We're glad you are here. Make yourself comfortable. Grab some coffee and a snack. Restrooms are down the hall on the left. A family bathroom is beyond the double doors on the right.

2. Know YOUR KIDS ARE IN GOOD HANDS

Programs for birth through 5th grade are available at both services

This is a great place for children to learn about Jesus! Our team of volunteers have been fully screened and cleared, so you can enjoy a worry-free worship time.

- Meet our volunteers with your children at the check-in station located at end of the hall.
- You will be given a security tag.
- One of our volunteers will escort children to their classroom.
- Bring your security tag to the station to pick-up your children. We cannot release children to find you.

3. FILL OUT the CONNECTION CARD

Help us connect with you. Fill out as much as you feel comfortable sharing on your Connection Card. Drop it in an offering basket located near the exit doors of the Worship Room.

4. PICK UP YOUR GIFT!

If this is one of your first times at gFree, we want to offer you a gift. Pick up your gift from the shelf as you exit the building today. We hope you had a great time!

WHAT'S HAPPENING 05/19/2024

gFree T-shirt Sale -Would you like to have your very own gFree t-shirt or sweatshirt? We will be taking orders in the Welcome Room from 5/5 to 5/26 after each service. Payment will be due before ordering.

2024 Graduates - We will honor our grads on Sunday, June 2. **Let us know if you're a grad** (HS, tech, college, etc.) connected to our church. Please put your name, and contact information on the Connection Card.

gFree Youth Softball Fundraising

Tournament - Saturday, June 1 from 8 am to 6pm. **See the flyer in your seat** for details on how to sign-up/support the tournament or contact the office@gfree.org.

Baptism Sunday - Coming Sunday, June 30th Have you accepted Jesus as the savior and leader of your life? Your next step is to be baptized to show the work God has done in you. Sign up on your connection card to talk to Pastor Noel.

Membership Class - Tuesdays at 7 pm for three weeks starting June 11th. Are you ready to take the next step and make gFree your church home. This class is it. Or even if you just want to know more. Sign up on your Connection Card.

Outreach Ministry Food Drive - For the month of May to benefit Central PA Community Action, Inc. Items needed: any **non-expired** food or personal hygiene items can be accepted; but there is a need for the following: condiments, spices, crackers, canned veggies/fruit, boxed potato, rice or noodle side options, as well as personal care items for men, women and children. Please drop your donation off in the shopping cart near the information desk in the main lobby area.

Connection Card

05/19/2024

I am a:

- 1st time guest
 2nd time guest
 Regular Attendee
 Member

Name _____

1st time info Email _____

or updated Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Best contact phone (____) _____

Please place this card in the offering basket.

★ By entering your cell phone, you will receive church texts about items you signed up for.

How did you hear about us?

- Friend Newspaper
 Facebook Website
 Other _____

Missions Prayer Focus: Josh & Suzy Farjardo

1. Korça Adventure Center in Albania (local outreach through adventure events)
2. Mosaic Cultural Center in Madrid (after-school & compassion ministries)
3. Ministers and ministries across Europe
4. 2024 budget needs



2024-25 Leadership - The membership has elected our next year's leadership. We thank these dedicated lay leaders for all their time and effort to serve the church.

Delegate BOM - Jeff Baker
 Outreach Dir - Eileen Meyers
 Music Dir - Jonah Bell
 Hospitality Dir - Alice Baker
 Church Life Dir - Jeff Baker
 Adult Min Dir - Bob Selfridge
 Youth Min Dir - Traci Curtorillo

Childrens' Min Dir - Mindy Parks
 Ministry Mobil Dir - Chris Wilson
 Delegate BOA - Josh Woods
 Finance Dir - Sherrie Beals
 Properties Dir - Ken Knepp
 Society Secretary - Sara Miller
 Member-at-large - Annette Bickle

Finance Officers
 Lisa Krause
 Devin Miller
Nominating Com
 Jeff Baker
 Alice Baker
 Sue Baumgardner
 Annette Bickle

Find Your Place to Serve at gFree

Check out general brochure in the back of your chair. Stop at the info booth in the Welcome Room to get more info and to sign up. Why serve?

- Because that's how God designed it - "Serve one another" Galatians 5:13
- To use your gifts and talents - "Use the gift God gave you" I Peter 4:10
- To bless other people and see our church grow - "the whole church grows as each one does their part" - Ephesians 4:16

Vital opportunities right now:

Children's Ministry - Preschool Teachers/Helpers & Nursery Helpers (one Sunday a month rotation)

****If you are filling out a serving card please place it in the offering basket****



Youth Tonight! 5:30pm to 8:30pm

5:30 pm to 6:30 will be the lesson
 6:30 to 8:30 or later we will have a campfire!
 Bring your mountain pie makers, favorite fillings, and camping chair.
 Parents invited to join us for the bon fire, mountain pies, and games!



COMMUNITY EVENTS

Baccalaureate Service – Sunday, May 19th at 6 pm at Trinity UMC. All HS seniors and their families are invited for this special service of honor and faith. Awarding of Ministerium scholarship.

Open House for Kate Meyers - Many of you at gFree have watched Kate grow up and served alongside her through the years. We would love for you to join us in celebrating her HS graduation. Saturday, June 8th from 1-4 pm at gFree. Please RSVP by email – eileenmeyers@yahoo.com

Prayer Requests:

Requests go to our Prayer Team. If you want it to go to Pastors only please check this box

Connections

I am interested in being Baptized on Sunday, June 30th.

I want to attend the Membership Class starting June 11th

2024 Graduate
