

WELCOME TO STILLWATER EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

Senior Pastor - Nick Hardt

Youth Pastor - Erik Vaage

ADVENT 2023

ORDER OF SERVICE

December 17, 2023

Worship Through Music

Welcome and Announcements

Children's Program

Worship Through God's Word
Pastor Nick Hardt

ONE & ONLY LOVE

John 3:16-18

Prayer & Benediction

Sundays

9:00-10:05 am	First Worship Service
10:30-11:35 am	Second Worship Service
10:30-11:35 am	Sunday School for Adults
	Teen Sunday School <i>H.S. & M.S. separate</i>
	Children's Sunday School <i>4 yrs. - 6th grade</i>

Wednesdays

Awana	6:30-8:15 pm	preK-6th grade
12:2 Youth Group	6:30-8:15 pm	7th-12th grade

Elders - Ken Bjorlin Tim Jozefow Torry Kraftson
Zach Peterson Lee Winbush

ACTIVITIES/EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES/ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you are new to our church or would like to expand your connection and let us know your interests, please fill out the "Get Connected @ SEFC" card that's on the bottom of the sermon notes. Add a prayer request on the back if you'd like. Drop the card in one of the offering boxes. For every new contact SEFC will donate \$10 to our local food shelf!

CHRISTMAS FROM THE BEGINNING - Walk the Christmas Story

TODAY is the last hurrah for Christmas from the Beginning! If you haven't had a chance to walk through the Christmas story yet, plan on joining us this afternoon at 3446 Oakgreen Ave., Stillwater. Arrive between 3:50-4:40 to make sure you get in on a walking group (tours only go until 5), then stay for a short time of singing followed by delicious cookies, cocoa and more! Grab a flyer in the lobby for more details. We hope to see you this afternoon as we remember the reason for the season!

SEFC FAMILY CHRISTMAS TREE! Help us "trim" the 2nd annual SEFC family Christmas tree. The big tree you noticed in the lobby is our church family Christmas tree. We are hoping that each "regular attending" family will label and hang one (or more!) ornaments on it. The ornaments will be returned in January.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Join us on Jan. 1st, 2024. There will be a light breakfast and time to pray for each other, our church and our country. Start the new year leaning on our powerful God to lead, work and intervene.

JANUARY MOSAIC: "Recipe for Renewal"

Ladies! Join us Sunday, Jan. 7th at church at 6:30 pm and make your own self care treatments to kick off 2024! We will make lotion, bath salts, and a sugar scrub. Cost for this event is \$10 per participant, to cover supplies for the fun goodies you will make and take home. Please RSVP to Kate Harri at 612-868-7782.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

There will be two identical Christmas Eve services on Dec. 24th at 10 am & 4 pm. There will be one service Dec. 31st at 10 am. There will be no Sunday School on Dec. 24th or 31st. Sunday School resumes Jan. 7th.

SNOW SHOVELING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE DOWNSTAIRS

Please take infants and toddlers to care rooms prior to the start of the service.
9:00am & 10:30am Infant Room (6 wks.- walking stably)
9:00am & 10:30am Toddler Room (20 mo.-48 mo.)

WI-FI GUEST NETWORK: SEFC Guest Password: sefcguest

Events are listed on our online calendar, www.stillwaterefc.org