

Usher Schedule

	Early Service 8:00am	Late Service 10:00am
September		
4	Rich Bartz	Kyle Post
11	Matt Burk	Gordie Kamphuis
18	Tim Dillie	Mike Posthuma
25	Stuart Linger	Andrew Vis
October		
2	Don Korff	Ben Geisthardt
9	Michael Weinreis	Dan Huitema
16	Dick Severson	Tom Nelson
23	Rich Bartz	Kyle Post
30	Matt Burk	Gordie Kamphuis

Annual Fall Outing Oct 9th 4pm

Come join us at the Turning Point for fellowship, food, and fun games ! Feel free to bring a side dish or dessert to share. If you have any questions, contact the church office.

Our Daily Bread Devotionals

The devotionals for Sept - Nov are available in the magazine rack on the wall in the lobby. Feel free to take one for yourself and if you know of anyone who would enjoy one also!

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Sunday Worship Times:
8am and 10am

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TERRACE SHORES
evangelical free church

September 25th, 2022

Good
Morning!

We're Glad You're With Us!

Good Morning Dear Friend.

Thanks for worshiping the Lord with us. Today we are coming back to the book of Matthew, as we continue our look at Jesus' greater Galilean ministry. The lessons that Jesus taught the people who came to Him by the Sea of Galilee, are very much needed by everyone, in every age. For He teaches each of us to face our issues, and of our need for Him. May

God help us genuinely seek Him and worship from the heart.

Thanks again for being with us; have a great week!

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome & Announcements

Worship

Congregational Prayer

Ministry For Prayer: John and Jo Beth Lee

Hymn

(Children may leave for children's church during late service)

Message: Getting to the Heart of the Matter

Hymn

Closing Prayer

"The less there is to justify a traditional custom, the harder it is to get rid of it"
- Mark Twain, *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*

"It is not the body's posture, but the heart's attitude that counts when we pray."
- Billy Graham

"Christianity is not just repeating John 3:16 or Acts 16:31; it is yielding the heart and the life to Christ."
- Harry Ironside

"He that but looketh on a plate of ham and eggs to lust after it hath already committed breakfast with it in his heart."
- C.S. Lewis

Matthew 15:1-20

That Which Defiles

1 Then some Pharisees and teachers of the law came to Jesus from Jerusalem and asked, 2 "Why do your disciples break the tradition of the elders? They don't wash their hands before they eat!" 3 Jesus replied, "And why do you break the command of God for the sake of your tradition? 4 For God said, 'Honor your father and mother' and 'Anyone who curses their father or mother is to be put to death.' 5 But you say that if anyone declares that what might have been used to help their father or mother is 'devoted to God,' 6 they are not to 'honor their father or mother' with it. Thus you nullify the word of God for the sake of your tradition. 7 You hypocrites! Isaiah was right when he prophesied about you: 8 "These people honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. 9 They worship me in vain; their teachings are merely human rules." 10 Jesus called the crowd to him and said, "Listen and understand. 11 What goes into someone's mouth does not defile them, but what comes out of their mouth, that is what defiles them." 12 Then the disciples came to him and asked, "Do you know that the Pharisees were offended when they heard this?" 13 He replied, "Every plant that my heavenly Father has not planted will be pulled up by the roots. 14 Leave them; they are blind guides. If the blind lead the blind, both will fall into a pit." 15 Peter said, "Explain the parable to us." 16 "Are you still so dull?" Jesus asked them. 17 "Don't you see that whatever enters the mouth goes into the stomach and then out of the body? 18 But the things that come out of a person's mouth come from the heart, and these defile them. 19 For out of the heart come evil thoughts—murder, adultery, sexual immorality, theft, false testimony, slander. 20 These are what defile a person; but eating with unwashed hands does not defile them."



Welcome Visitors of Terrace Shores

Please feel free to take a visitor bag with you today! In it you'll find an informational brochure and other items we would like you to have for being our guest this morning!

THE CONNECTION TABLE

Fall marks the start of several groups and classes here at Terrace Shores. We encourage you to take a look at what's available for your whole family on the connection table in the lobby.

FOR ADULTS:

3 Sunday School Classes:

Descriptions & sign-up sheets are on the table

Choir:

Practice starts on Oct 2nd at 9:30am in the sanctuary. There's a sign-up if you're interested.

Small Groups:

Small groups are a great way to develop relationships with other Christians while growing in your faith. Look for the small groups brochure on the table which lists all the groups and their info.

Note: There's a sign-up sheet for the Wed Morning Women's Study group for ordering the book.

Celebrate Recovery:

CR is a ministry where truth meets grace. Where you learn to believe that your identity is not in your sin, but in your Savior. Learning how to forgive yourself and others is crucial. You can pull back the storms of you hurts, hang ups, and habits, and start a new and healthy life. If you would like to learn more, check out the CR table that is by church office.

Prayer Ministry:

God hears our prayers! Anyone in need of prayer can come forward after each service and someone will be available to pray over those needs and concerns. If you would like to be a part of the prayer team, there is a sign-up sheet in the lobby.

FOR KIDS:

You can find brochures with info about the Turning Point Youth Ministry and the Kids' Ministries.

"GETTING TO THE HEART OF THE MATTER"

MATTHEW 15:1-20 PASTOR GARY ZACHARIAS

INTRODUCTION

I. The Issue of _____ (15:1-9)

II. The Issue of _____ (15:10-20)

CONCLUSION

Service Time Changes!

Beginning next week, our service times will be at 8am and 10:30am (instead of 10am) Sunday mornings and both services will be held indoors. There will be a Sunday school time for all ages in between services beginning at 9:30am.

Ministry For Prayer

John and Jo Beth Lee serve with EFCA ReachGlobal. Their team is planting churches in the largest city in the world. Tokyo, Japan is one of the wealthiest cities on earth but is spiritually bankrupt. In a city of 37 million people only 0.2% are followers of Christ. They are building a platform of ministry in Tokyo that is rooted in prayer, Kingdom-minded in their partnerships, and provides opportunity to develop interpersonal skills that fit into God's mission. For more info, check out their website: www.jojohn.com.