

## I'm new to Downtown

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Best phone: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*By providing your phone number, you are agreeing to receive occasional text communication from Downtown.* CHECK here: GENERAL \_\_\_ PRAYER CHAIN \_\_\_  
To opt out, CHECK here \_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Contact Needs

\_\_\_ I am interested in learning about membership at Downtown Church.

\_\_\_ I would like to be contacted. (Best time to reach me: \_\_\_\_\_)

## Praise and/or Prayer Requests

*(private requests prayed for by staff)*

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Private/Staff only

Bulletin Prayer List



**DOWNTOWN**  
**C H U R C H**

**FOR CHRIST  
FOR EACH OTHER  
FOR THE COMMUNITY**

**Associated with the  
Evangelical Free Church**

## NEW TO DOWNTOWN?

- Welcome! We're glad you're here and would love to have your contact information. Please fill out the back of this bulletin and place in one of the offering boxes.
- Baby changing stations are in restrooms in North corner of the gym by the nursery.
- Kids busy bags are available outside NE side sanctuary door to use during sermon.
- If your child becomes restless, please take them to the the gym area.
- Private restrooms are available across from the kitchen on way to the gym.
- Nursery is available for children up through & including age 4, on north side of the gym.
- Handicap accessible restrooms are located in NW corner of our building thru the gym.

## SUNDAY — March 12, 2023

### **ICE SKATING**

Join us TODAY from 3:30-5:00p at Boji Bay Ice Arena (north of YMCA). Cost for skating is \$5/person or \$15/family.

### **YOUTH GROUP**

There will be NO Junior and Senior High Youth Groups THIS Wednesday, March 15.

### **RISE MINISTRIES EVENT AT ROOF GARDEN IN ARNOLDS PARK**

Enjoy a night filled w/ hope as Rob Roozeboom shares a message and musicians Mark Schultz, Mike Donehey, and Jason Gray share music - Fri. March 24 7:00p (doors open 6p). Tickets \$18/person (10 & under FREE). More info. on bulletin board.

### **TEXT COMMUNICATIONS & DIRECTORY**

We are switching over all text communication to OneChurch beginning this week! We encourage regular attenders to set up an account. Contact church office w/ questions.

### **WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**

Hope Church in Spencer is hosting a one-day women's event THIS Sat. 8:30-3:30. \$10/person; includes a light breakfast & lunch. To register, see flyer on bulletin board.

### **SPORTSMAN'S RETREAT @ HIDDEN ACRES CAMP**

Men & boys (10+) Join us March 24-26. Cost is \$100 (includes food & bed). Funds are available if you need help! For questions, contact one of the staff.

### **RIGHTNOW MEDIA**

We are excited to offer access to RightNow Media for our church! To create your own account, text the key word DOWNTOWNCHURCH to the number 49775.

## IN THE KNOW

**Sunday School** classes for PreK - 8th Grade, Sundays 9:00a.

**Kingdom Explorers (4 yrs - 1st grade)** is an optional time of Bible teaching during the service! *Children are dismissed right before sermon* to the NW room by nursery.

**Women's Bible Study:** Tuesdays 6:30-8p in the church \*\* NO meeting 2nd Tuesday of the month. Contact Sharon Hoerichs with questions (712)339-1443.

**Men's Bible Study** - Tuesdays 6:30p in the library/conference room.

**Youth Groups for 6th-8th grade and Senior High** meet Wednesdays at 6:15p. (usually take off the last week of the month) Contact church for more info.

**P23 mental health support group:** Tuesdays, 4-6p- Atlas building: 56N Hwy 71, Arnolds Park. Contact Robin Duhn (712)291-6293 or Dave Butterworth 332-6390.

**If you'd like to be on our church Remind "Announcements" text chain:** in the message, type: @fg6gdc to the phone number: 81010.

**If you would like to be on our church "PRAYER" text chain,** in the message, type: @86fc72 to the phone number: 81010 (this is NOT our announcement texts).

**If you would like to be a volunteer for our Meals Ministry,** make note in bulletin and place in offering box or talk to Laurie Simington 712-330-1932.

**Moms in Prayer:** Thursdays, 1:30-2:30p. For info & address, contact Allison Antoine: allison.antoine@gmail.com or 605-212-2731. Or visit: momsinprayer.org.

**Lost & Found** is located above the coat racks by NE entryway.

## PRAISE & PRAYER

- Pray for Martín Mendez who is on a mission trip in Spain. Pray for travel mercies and a fruitful time of ministry.
- Pray continued healing & encouragement for Don Chaffin after heart surgery.
- Pray for Nick Hibma, who is in Ukraine this week helping with the "Arise Ukraine" mission, as they seek to share the gospel & resources with those in need.
- Pray for Shekinah McCarthy, who leaves for Kona, HI this week. She'll be on staff with Youth with a Mission (YWAM), helping lead Discipleship Bible school.
- Pray for healing for Steven (& Lu) Clark who is receiving various treatments for cancer.
- Continued prayers for Jaya Fever and family: strength, healing & encouragement.

### HOW TO GIVE

**Offering Boxes** - located at main entrance, sanctuary, and office

**Online** - [www.downtownchurch.info](http://www.downtownchurch.info)

**Mailing Address:** PO Box 181, Milford IA 51351

**Email:** [downtownchurchlakes@gmail.com](mailto:downtownchurchlakes@gmail.com) **Phone:** (712)338-4740

**Website:** [www.downtownchurch.info](http://www.downtownchurch.info)

**Downtown Text Updates:** Text: @fg6gdc to: 81010