



Our Mission

Erieside Church is a Bible-centered congregation, trying passionately to communicate the principles of God's Word in a clear, sensitive, and relevant way. We hope to paint a picture of the world as it is, and a picture of the world as it could be by the grace of God.

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Monday-Thursday
10 a.m.-2 p.m.
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and 6 p.m. Friday through Sunday.)

Phone
440-943-0151

Stopping by?

Please call ahead to
ensure that a staff
member is available to
afford you the time
you need.



A Note to Parents

Erieside Church provides a safe environment and check-in system for your child(ren) allowing you to fully focus on the Worship Service. All teachers and volunteers have passed a background check as well as have had intensive training as required by Erieside.

See more detailed information on the next page under **Family Ministry**.

This Week at Erieside

Sunday, June 19

9:30 a.m., Guided Prayer, Sealy Chapel
9:30 a.m., Singles Ministry, Room 11
10:30 a.m., Worship Service, CLC

Wednesday, June 22

6:30 p.m., Youth Meeting, McDonald Hall
Please arrive at 6:15 p.m. for a snack & fellowship.
Meeting begins promptly at 6:30 p.m.

Coming Soon!

Saturday, June 25th, Men's Breakfast

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**Graduation Recognition - June 26<sup>th</sup>**

If your young person is graduating from high school or college, please send us a baby picture along with the graduation picture or senior picture!

Call the office at 440-943-0151 for more information.

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Super Summer - June 27th-July 1st

Super Summer is an intense week of Bible learning and leadership development for a select group of potential leaders. With special "schools" specifically developed for 7-12th graders, this event is a great opportunity for students from any size church or youth ministry.

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**Later This Summer . . .**

**Baptism - August 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Cedarbrook Camp**

For Girls - July 24<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>  
For Boys - July 31<sup>st</sup>-August 6<sup>th</sup>

**Picnic - August 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Additional Events, Meetings, and Activities**

**Wednesday Night Adult Bible Study**  
will resume in August.

**1st Thursday** of each month, Elders/Missions Meeting

**4th Thursday** of each month, General Board Meeting

**2nd Saturday** of each month, Deacon Work Day

**Please Note: Ladies' Friday Night L.I.F.E. is cancelled for July. Watch the newsletter regarding this meeting for the first Friday in August!**

**Erieside Ministries**

**Men's Ministry**

**Jerry Vrabel**  
**jb.vrabel@gmail.com**

6:30 p.m. on the 1st and 3rd Mondays, Room 21  
**In observance of July 4<sup>th</sup>, the first study will be held on July 11<sup>th</sup>.**

Watch the newsletter for further updates.



**Women's Ministry**  
**womensministry@erieside.org**  
**216-212-2007**

7:30 p.m. on the 1st and 3rd Mondays,  
Ladies' Online Prayer  
All sisters welcome.  
Format follows A.C.T.S. Method

Ladies' "Dig Deeper" & L.I.F.E. Morning Group  
to return in the fall.

Watch the newsletter for further updates.



**Family Ministry**  
**Pastor Geary Lutz - Assistant Pastor**  
**geary.lutz@erieside.org**

**Nursery/Toddler Class**

Erieside Nursery & Toddler rooms are open and fully  
staffed with at least one adult per room  
and two other volunteers.



**Children Pre-K through 5th Grade**  
Classrooms are determined by age/grade.  
The Children's Hour provides a safe environment  
for children whose parents attend the Worship Service,  
affording the opportunity for their children  
to be rooted in the beginnings of their  
spiritual growth and development.  
Bible stories, games, and crafts are used  
for this beginning growth.

**Parents must check all children in at the Promiseland  
Registration Desk where a volunteer can direct them  
to the appropriate classroom, if needed.**

**While masks are not required any longer, please keep  
your children home if they have been sick at any time  
in the last 14 days.**

## Service Opportunities - Community Outreach

### Hands & Feet Ministry

Bev & John Croyle  
440-487-6485

Our outreach is fueled by volunteers in service to our brothers and sisters in need and by your *generous* donations. We are so very humbled. Thank you!

Needs include clothing, toiletries, snacks, etc.

Hands & Feet Ministry's **immediate** needs are as follows:  
Deodorant, socks, and men's pants.

No women's apparel is needed at this time.

### Hospice of the Western Reserve

Are you looking for a way to help individuals in the community? Consider becoming a Hospice of the Western Reserve volunteer. Hospice also needs volunteers to serve as receptionists at our headquarters on St. Clair Avenue in Cleveland and at the David Simpson House.

Other opportunities include veterans serving veterans, attorney, notary, and licensed hairdresser. Also needed are volunteers to serve patients at the Hospice House, in their own homes, and in area nursing homes/assisted living facilities.

Virtual training series are held every month for new volunteers. Prospective volunteers are able to register for training once all prerequisites are met.

For more info, call 216-255-9090 or visit <https://hospicewr.org>.

### The Gathering Place

If you or someone you love is learning to live with cancer or simply struggling to come to terms with that diagnosis, The Gathering Place in Beachwood (a local non-profit) offers a wealth of free information along with support and services. The Gathering Place is only about a 15-20 minute commute from the Eastlake/Willowick area.

Contact them at 216-595-9546 and find further information at <https://touchedbycancer.org>.

**All of the above outreach opportunities  
are a chance to demonstrate  
"The Love That Jesus Taught"**

For I was hungry, and you gave me something to eat,  
I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink,  
I was a stranger and you invited me in,  
I needed clothes and you clothed me,  
I was sick and you looked after me,  
I was in prison and you came to visit me.

**Matthew 25:35-36**

## This Sunday, June 19th, is Father's Day!

So he got up and went to his father. "But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him."

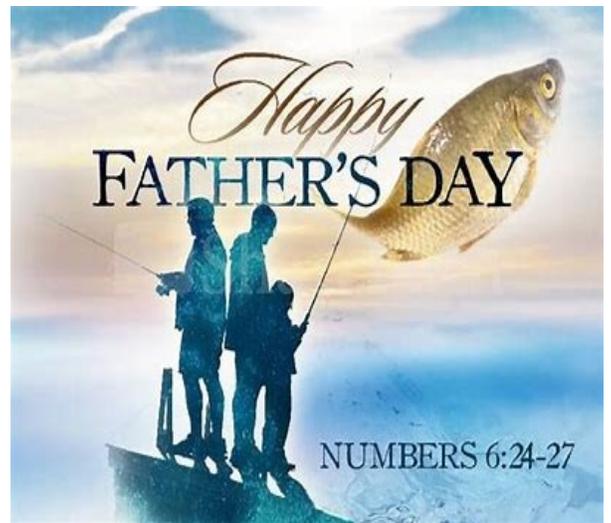
**Luke 15:20**

For you know that we dealt with each of you as a father deals with his own children, encouraging, comforting and urging you to live lives worthy of God, who calls you into his kingdom and glory.

**1 Thessalonians 2:11-12**

There you saw how the LORD your God carried you, as a father carries his son, all the way you went until you reached this place.

**Deuteronomy 1:31**



My father didn't do anything unusual. He only did what dads are supposed to do. Be there.

**Max Lucado**

To be the father of a nation is a great honor, but to be the father of a family is a greater joy.

**Nelson Mandela**

A good father is one of the most unsung, unpraised, unnoticed, and yet one of the most valuable assets in our society.

**Billy Graham**

To All The Fathers  
Thank you for everything  
you do and for everything  
you are!  
Have a WONDERFUL  
Father's Day!

## Employment Opportunities at Erieside

### Bookkeeper

Erieside Church is looking for a part-time (approximately 10 hours/week) bookkeeper to work alongside Treasurer in the office.

Only those with the qualifications listed below should inquire. Please submit a resumé to the attention of Jennie Geraci or email to: [jgeraci@erieside.org](mailto:jgeraci@erieside.org).

MINIMUM - 3-5 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS BOOKKEEPER

EXPERIENCE WITH CHURCH FINANCE A PLUS (BUT NOT NECESSARY)

EXPERIENCE WITH THE FOLLOWING:

- QUICK BOOKS, EXPERIENCE A MUST]
- ACCOUNTS PAYABLE
- ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE
- MICROSOFT OFFICE (EXCEL & WORD)

MUST HAVE GOOD FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT & ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS.

MUST BE ABLE TO DEAL PROFESSIONALLY WITH BANKS, VENDORS, CHURCH MEMBERS, & EMPLOYEES.

MUST BE ABLE TO MULTI-TASK, SWITCH GEARS AND STAY FOCUSED WHILE MAIN OFFICE CONDUCTS BUSINESS.

MUST MAINTAIN CONFIDENTIALITY.

#### EXPERIENCE NEEDED:

Bookkeeper will work closely with Treasurer to train and learn various aspects of church finance. Bookkeeper will also work together with the Treasurer on various projects. For example: Prepare records/files annually for new fiscal year, including reports for budget planning, prepare year-end contribution statements, etc.

#### DUTIES INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

Prepare offering deposits weekly (regular offering & online offering), take deposits to the bank weekly, enter contributions on software, monitor the following: ACH Giving, Building Campaign (Legacy), Missions Receipts & Monthly Report to Mission Chair, monitor Petty cash, periodically print reports as needed by department chairs, check mail weekly for mail in offering,



### Custodian

Church members and visitors alike are accustomed to our clean and very nicely kept church and we want to keep it that way.

Erieside currently has a need for a Custodian. Some duties are once a month, some once or twice a week. Altogether, this role would be approximately 12 hours per week.

The job description is available at the Church Office and you can obtain one by emailing us at [churchadmin@erieside.org](mailto:churchadmin@erieside.org) or by calling 440-943-0151 between the hours of 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

If you, or someone you know, has a desire to serve the church while earning extra money, this could be a great fit!

Thank you!

## Recent Prayer Requests

Pray for Lindsey (coworker of Brandy's) and husband Ben. They are expecting their first child in October and the baby has been diagnosed with heart issues and will likely need surgery shortly after birth, and possibly subsequent surgeries as well. - 6/15

Please remember in prayer the Nawrocki Family, friends of Sam Wardwell and Brandy, whose home burned and are now living in a hotel. - 6/15

Please remember in prayer our students and leaders who will be attending and participating in Super Summer next week.

The Clint Simons family, friends of Cathe Besselman, is in desperate need of prayer. Clint, 42, had brain surgery in October of 2021 and three days later, his oldest son passed away. Clint is currently in a rehab center in Columbus but has recently taken a drastic turn for the worse and the family needs to get him back to Lake County where he can be seen by Hospice of the Western Reserve. The other boys in the family are Bret, Travis, and Sawyer, who are coping with the loss of their brother and are now facing the loss of their father. Please pray that the logistics of moving Clint from Columbus to Lake County will go swiftly and smoothly and remember his wife, Amie, in prayer as well. - 6/13

Please keep Joe and Lynne Marchinchin in your prayers. Currently, Joe is in the ICU at Lake West Hospital. - 6/13

Please pray for Pastor Jason's Aunt, Melody Willis. She has experienced many health challenges recently and is in the hospital awaiting test results. Please keep her and Pastor in your prayers. - 6/6

Please continue to pray for Douglas Jacobson, son of David and Theresa Jacobson. He has had two recent surgeries, and has a long road ahead of him. He lives in Philadelphia and his parents are unable to travel to see him so also keep them in your prayers. **Also**, David and Theresa's nephew, Mike Kenosh, needs prayer for his wife, Kristin. She has been put on palliative care. Kristin's Mother passed away on Sunday, June 12th so this family has a lot of heartache to deal with at this time. 6/10

## Updates

We mentioned last week that Beth Ruggiero's Mom is now in remission! She and Beth are grateful for our continued prayers. - 6/6

Judy Harcar's coworker, Kathy, is showing improvement! Recently, her liver scan was totally clear and the doctor says the cancer is shrinking. Kathy wants to thank everyone for their prayers. Judy is also praying that God will move in Kathy's heart and in her husband's, Joe's heart, and that they will draw close to Him. - 6/11

Max Morcelle is doing well at home and Karissa requests continued prayer. Karissa also reported that VBS went very well last week and is grateful for our prayers. - 6/13

## Continued Prayer Requested

Please keep the Bissell/Blanchette families in prayer as they mourn the death of Bev. - 5/23

Let's keep Bob Stephens in prayer as he navigates this journey of mourning for Jake (Janet), and remember to keep Jake's daughter, Elizabeth, in prayer, as well. - 5/16

Continue to pray for the Drenski family as they recently lost their Mom and Grandmother. - 5/11

Let us remember Bob Dew's friend, Jim Cudnik, in prayer. Following heart surgery, he developed pneumonia and continues to face various health problems. - 6/6

Please continue to pray for Amber Chapman's daughter, Tatum Gluck, for protection and strength. Also, Amber has an unspoken prayer request. - 6/6

And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up.  
**James 5:15**

Please email [churchadmin@erieside.org](mailto:churchadmin@erieside.org) with your prayer requests and updates,  
or, you may call the church office at 440-943-0151.

Thank you!