



Evangelical Free Church
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
February 1, 2026

Pastor: Greg Hubbard

Elder Leader: Brad Howland

Praise Team: Becky Burgess, Gil Frydendall,
 Matt & Hannah Haack, Greg Hobelmann,
 Lydia Hobelmann, Greg Koelsch, Hannah Nelson,
 Emma Nortjé, Justin & Beca Overmiller,
 and Michelle Stamm

Prelude: Praise Team

Welcome: Brad Howland

Worship with Music:
 "Christus Victor"
 "Behold Our God"

Offering Reminder: There is an offering box on the wall in the entryway to place your offering in.

We Join Our Hearts in Prayer: Elders

Today's Message:

What Should I Pray?
Romans 8:26-27

*Celebration of Communion

Closing Song:
 "Let Us Break Bread Together" #323

Benediction: Brad Howland

Postlude: Praise Team

Childcare is provided in the nursery for newborns through age 3.

Today: Chelsea, Terry, and Janae.

Next week: Lori, Shannon, and Joanna.

*We practice open communion. If you have trusted Jesus Christ as your personal Savior, please feel free to take communion. We partake together.



Sunday School
9:45 a.m.
 Classes for all ages

Sunday Evening Life Groups

Pastor's: 5:30 p.m. at Matt and Hannah Haack's
 Lance's: 6:00 p.m. at Trudy Wehe's
 Galen's: 7:00 p.m. at Galen and Judy Lambert's

Prayer Requests

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Before we begin the service, please pray for the ministries below, and use this time to prepare your heart for worship.



Joel and Veronica Culberson
 AWANA Missionaries

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Colby Kinser  
 Midwest District Superintendent

**February Greeters:** Larry and Annie Lambert  
**Ushers:** Dan Bauman and Kyle Petrik  
**Technicians:** Isaiah Haack and Larry Lambert

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus."

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

# FEBRUARY

**Announcements**

- Today the **Smith County Ministerial Association Soup Lunch** is from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church. Please go and support our ministerial fund.
- The Fellowship committee is having a **Valentine's Dinner for all couples** (married, engaged, dating) on **February 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.** A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

**"With every prayer and request, pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be alert with all perseverance and every request for all the saints."**

**Ephesians 6:18**

**"In prayer it is better to have a heart without words than words without a heart."**  
 ~John Bunyan

All scripture is from the NASB 2020

**What Should I Pray?**  
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Introduction:

**I. <:26a> When I don't know the \_\_\_\_\_ of God I can count on the Spirit of God to help me \_\_\_\_\_.**

1 Peter 3:7

It is the \_\_\_\_\_ of our human condition, so we don't \_\_\_\_\_ what we ought to pray for.

Thus, our inability to \_\_\_\_\_ God's will in some things is where we need some \_\_\_\_\_ help.

**II. <:26b> The Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ on our behalf with \_\_\_\_\_ not uttered.**

It's \_\_\_\_\_ by the \_\_\_\_\_ from within us.

Thus, that He is \_\_\_\_\_ in behalf of us is affirmed through our \_\_\_\_\_ in this promise that He will do it.

**III. <:27a> God who searches our \_\_\_\_\_ knows what the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Spirit is.**

The Spirit works \_\_\_\_\_ as we are \_\_\_\_\_ to God the Father.

*Romans 1:10; 12:2*

*James 1:6-8*

The Father \_\_\_\_\_ our hearts, and the Spirit knows us \_\_\_\_\_ and goes to work for us.

**IV. <:27b> The \_\_\_\_\_ intercedes in our prayers to what the will of God is.**

What is important in \_\_\_\_\_ prayer is the doing of the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

We never have to \_\_\_\_\_ if something is God's will if He has \_\_\_\_\_ it to us.

Applications:

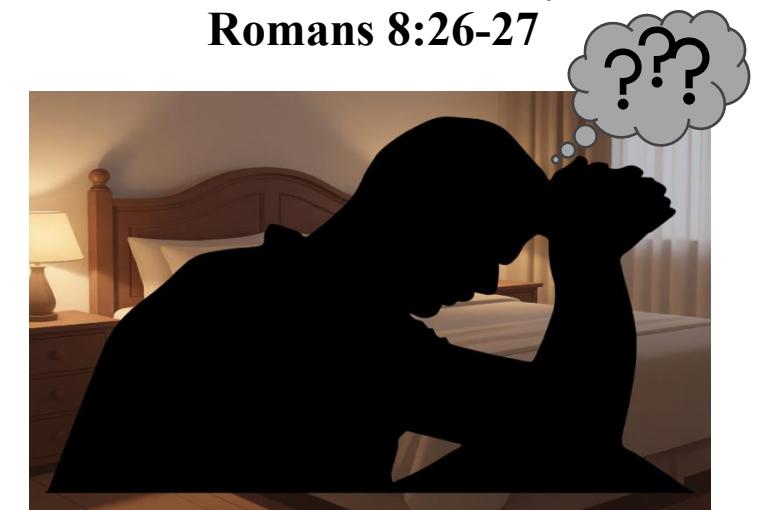
- 1.> The Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ on our behalf with the will of God in a \_\_\_\_\_ situation.
- 2.> Our \_\_\_\_\_ here is not having the ability to \_\_\_\_\_ God's will in every situation. *James 4:3*
- 3.> What happens as a \_\_\_\_\_ of prayer is God's will, even if it isn't what I \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4.> We are all about the will of God getting \_\_\_\_\_ if our will doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ with His.

**Welcome to the  
Evangelical Free Church  
Smith Center, KS**

February 1, 2026

Today's Sermon from the Word

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Romans 8:26-27**



**Pastor Greg H. Hubbard**

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**The purpose of our Church is to train and equip people to become disciples of Jesus Christ.**