

# Get Connected

## Welcome to State College Evangelical Free Church!

9:30am Café Connections *(Feel free to take a cup w/lid into the sanctuary.)*

10:00am Worship Service



Nursery (Ed Wing)

*(Parents will be contacted during service should any need arise.)*

11:00 am Message Discussion on Zoom (<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85744734158>)

### Throughout the Week

Wed Bagel Bunch on Zoom @ 7am on Mark <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89434896532?pwd=alNPUldZK1lRldYNGZmN2xRMklwOT09>

Thurs Moms Playgroup, 9:30-11:30am ;  
Women's Ministry Salad Supper Kickoff, 6pm

Sat Free-cycle, 9am-1pm

*To learn more about any of these events, please go to church website or contact church office Life Groups meet throughout week, in person & online; for info check out [www.scefc.org](http://www.scefc.org)*

### Messages

#### The Miracle of Life Change Series

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| Aug 29      | Miracle      | Overview (Ephesians) |
| Sept 5 & 12 | Blessed!     | Ephesians 1:3-14     |
| Sept 19     | Open My Eyes | Ephesians 1:15-23    |

#### Vision Statement:

**Our vision at SCEFC is to become a transformational community of fully-devoted Christ followers reflecting Him to the world .**

*During this time of COVID safety practices, we are following PA guidelines. Wearing a mask is now optional. However, we appreciate you covering your cough or self-quarantining if you have symptoms. Hand sanitizer is also available at the back table.*

### Coming Events

Aug 29 Back-to-School Sunday/Potluck (indoors) Help is needed for potluck!

Sept 5: Outdoor Service, weather permitting; bring your own chairs.

Sept 12: Equipping the Saints, 9am; Service times start at 10:30am

Sept 26: Outdoor Service, weather permitting; bring your own chairs.

**See church website for more info on upcoming events: [www.scefc.org](http://www.scefc.org)**

**Equipping The Saints:** How can we be “doers of the Word” and not just hearers? How can we live out our faith in our everyday lives? *Equipping the Saints* is designed to give you the skills and principles you need to do just that through interaction and an emphasis on application. More info to come, but make plans to attend Sunday mornings from 9-10am starting **Sept 12**.

**Women's Ministry Salad Supper Kickoff :** Sign up for the Salad Supper this Thurs, Aug. 26th at 6 pm! Contact Jody Maurer [jodymaurer@gmail.com](mailto:jodymaurer@gmail.com) or 814-769-1976. We will eat, fellowship, and hear about upcoming opportunities for Bible studies, prayer and connection. If you are unable to attend but interested in upcoming events, please contact Jody or Annette Martin. Sign up for the Bible studies by Aug. 24th. In-person study starts on Sept. 8 at 9:30 am. Virtual study begins Thurs. evening Sept. 9, time TBD. Our study is *I Peter, a Living Hope in Christ* by Jen Wilkin. You can order your own book or we can order for you from Lifeway for \$15.99. Let us know if you want us to order it.

**FreeCycle, Aug. 28, 9am-1pm:** EFree will host a FreeCycle event to provide our community with free items-serving neighbors, international students, etc. FreeCycle ("recycle for free") depends on donations of unwanted but reusable items such as electronics, clothes, books, household items, etc! Donations can be dropped off in the first classroom as you come through the back door. Volunteers are also needed. Please contact the church office before donating during the week. Contact Joe Violi ([jvioli@outlook.com](mailto:jvioli@outlook.com), 609-319-2438) or the church office to volunteer.

**Back-to-School Sunday/Potluck:** After church on our back-to-school Sunday, Aug 29, we will be having an indoor potluck and enjoy food and fellowship together. Please bring a main dish and if your last name starts with A-L, bring a dessert, if M-Z, bring a side dish. Paper supplies and drinks will be supplied by the church. **If you are available to help with set-up or clean-up, please sign up at:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0c4faca2aa6fb6-potluck1>

**Trip the Bible Museum in Washington D.C.:** Sat. Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> we are taking a group trip to the Bible Museum. This is a make-up for the trip that was canceled in April 2020. We are opening up registration for anyone else who would like to go. Cost is \$13. We will leave at 6:45 am and return by 9 pm. If you would like to find out more or sign up, contact Pastor Chris by Aug 24 at [ChrisGrella@msn.com](mailto:ChrisGrella@msn.com).

### The Weekly Financial Snapshot

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| YTD Budget Plan: | \$170,864. |
| YTD Expenses:    | \$.        |
| YTD Giving:      | \$169,312  |

Offerings can be given by electronic check, by mail, by dropping donation in giving boxes at church or online @ <https://www.scefc.org/domain/61>

Aug 22, 2021

How Can I Love My Neighbor?  
Luke 10:25-37

10:00am

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**Main Point: Because God showed you generous mercy, love your neighbor mercifully.**

**Two ways to read the story**

**Three ways to respond to the story**

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*Mission Statement*

*God calls us to glorify Him by growing a life-changing community of fully devoted Christ-followers in the Centre Region and beyond.*