

# Call to Prayer

*Ask • Seek • Knock • Matthew 7:7*

**1. Bible Verse:** Romans 8:28, " And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose."

**2. Family of the Week:** Mark Flowers

**3. Glory Family:** Dan Midura, Hurd family, Jackie Johnson, Bob Kangas, Gayle Gilbertson, Josh McGuire, Mary & Larry Nutting, Gloria Carlson, & pastoral search.

**4. Those We Care About:** Becky & family, Ferne Skog, Kevin Flowers, Alissa, Family of Lisa Nix's Father, Family of Lenore Rapoport, & Barb Schroeder's family

**5. Federal, state & local government officials.**

**6. Converge Missionary:** Bob & Debbie Long, Philippines

**7. Glory Missions:**

- Pastor Martin & Anne Shikuku, Eldoret, Kenya
- Pastor Nikolai Kolomiyets, Ukraine
- Bill & Sue Arvan, READ Ministries
- Kristian and Cindy Anderson, Dominican Republic
- Karl, Southeast Asia
- Bruce & Julie, N. America

**8. AIR FORCE:**

MSGT RYAN LEWELLEN, KENNY & BEULAH

WESTVIG'S GRANDSON

MAJ REX VILLA, RICHARD & LISA NIX'S SON-IN-LAW, OMAHA, NE

ARMY: SFC JARED MCGUIRE, DAN & JOEY'S SON, GERMANY

BEN, KIM'S COUSIN

NAVY: TYLER FLOWERS, SON OF BRYAN & GRANDSON OF LILA, SAN DIEGO, CA

**"Two Good Men"**  
**Philippians 2:19-30**  
**Pastor Stan Schultz**

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## Two Good Men

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**This Week at Glory**

**February 16, 2025**

**Today 10:30 am Worship Service**  
**2/16**

Sermon Time Kids: Maddie & Sophie

**Tuesday 9:00 am Quilting**  
**2/18 4:00 pm Missions Committee**

**Wednesday 3:00 pm Bible Study**  
**2/19 5:00 pm Worship Team Practice**  
**5:45 pm Free Meal**  
**6:30 pm KidMin & Youth Group**  
**6:30 pm Pulpit Committee**

**Thursday 5:15 pm Prayer**  
**2/20**

**Next Week 10:30 am Worship Service**  
**2/23 5:00 pm Pizza & Ukraine**

Sermon Time Kids: Sarah & Mylee



*Welcome!*

*We are so*

*glad you*

*are here.*



Join us! Most broomball will be played after church on Sundays or in the evening. There will sometimes be other pickup games as well. If you would like to be kept in the loop as to when games are, talk to Micah Lane:218:670:1276

Have you visited the Glory Library recently? It is an awesome place! There are books, CD's and DVD's there for all ages from preschool through adult. Check it out to see if you can find a treasure! If you have any questions or comments, talk to Joey McGuire, Glory Librarian.



\$73.82 was raised from our fun Chili cook-off event! We'll put it toward the new playground ground cover.

**Prayer Wall** // Requests to be shared during the service: write prayer requests on a tag at the front right of the worship center. Hang your tag on a hook where we will collect them directly before each service.

**Confidential Prayer Requests** // Deposit the tag in the prayer wall metal box or email: [prayer@aitkinchurch.com](mailto:prayer@aitkinchurch.com). Only members of our prayer team will see and be praying for these.

**Prayer Chain** // Want to be able to pray for requests that come through during the week? Email: [prayer@aitkinchurch.com](mailto:prayer@aitkinchurch.com). We'll make sure to add your email to the mailing list.

### Assisted Hearing System

Visit the sound booth for a receiver or to connect to your hearing aid.



### Praise, Prayer, Hospitalization?

To share requests with the prayer chain, please call or text Ruth Egstad at 218-670-0425.

The Infant/Toddler Nursery is located left of the foyer, past the library. Children through age 5 will have "Sermon Time Kids" and are welcome during the sermon each Sunday. We will have a snack, story, and play time.



Next Week 2/23  
5 pm - 7 pm  
@ Glory Baptist Church  
Share in some Pizza + hear from Anita & Olga about what God is doing among the Ukrainian churches under war conditions through AWANAS for Eastern Europe.

## Youth 6th - 12th

**Where: Adventurous Christians**

A Christian wilderness camp on the Gunflint Trail in northern Minnesota.

**When: March 28-30**

**What:** This retreat will be a time of teaching, worship, and fellowship in a setting that highlights the beauty of God's creation. There will be teaching sessions led by Worldview Academy's Nathan Pegors, worship led by Mark and Cameo Skogen, and times of fun fellowship skiing, hiking, playing broomball or board games, and enjoying the sauna (the weather will determine what activities are available). This is a rustic camp with no running water but very nice lodgings.

**Who:** Three youth groups from Glory Baptist Church, Isle Evangelical Free Church, and Jubilee Community Church will join together for this fun weekend in Northern Minnesota.

**Speaker:** Nathan Pegors from Worldview Academy

Bio: <https://www.worldview.org/nathan-pegors>

About Worldview: <https://www.worldview.org/about>

**Cost:** TBA

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**Persecuted Church: Sri Lanka**  
- Christians can openly gather and worship in Sri Lanka, but the government is now pressuring all churches to officially register. Local governments sometimes participate in attacks on pastors and churches. Despite the threats and attacks, Sri Lankan churches are strongly engaged in church-planting and missionary-sending activities. Reliable statistics are unavailable, but roughly 70 percent of Sri Lankans are Buddhist, 10 percent Hindu, 10 percent Muslim and 10 percent Christian. The north of the country is majority Hindu and the south majority Buddhist. Christians are a persecuted minority in both areas.

- Pray that Anuradha will share her faith boldly when brought before police for her Christian witness.
- Pray that a church will be firmly established in a village where Christmas Care Packs were distributed.
- Pray for Pastor Sam, who boldly proclaims the gospel in the face of aggression and opposition.
- Pray that Buddhists and Hindus who persecute Christians will repent and place their faith in Christ.
- Praise God that churches are engaged in church-planting and missionary-sending activities despite threats and attacks!

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