



Bow Island
Evangelical Free
Church



February 15, 2026

To Know, Live, and Share Christ.

Today at BIEFC

Sunday School for All Ages: 9:30am

Kids: Age 3-Grade 12 meet upstairs.

Adults: *Adult Class* in the basement and
Women's Class upstairs in the nursery.

Prayer & Reflection Time 10:00am-10:15am

A quiet time of personal prayer and reflection in the sanctuary.

Worship Service: 10:30am

Music: Reg & Team

Message: Pastor George – Jesus' Arrest and the Will of God:
Matthew 26:47-56

This Week

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting @ 9:30am

Youth Bible Study @ 7pm at the Todds

Friday: Youth Event: NERF Night @ 7pm

Sunday: Sunday School @ 9:30am

Service @ 10:30am

Coming Up...

February 28: Men's Prayer Breakfast – 7am @ the church

March 1: Communion

March 8: Daylight Savings Begins

March 8&9: Weekend In The Word with Creation Ministries

March 20-22: Ladies Retreat @ SABC

March 15: Alfred Egan & Extended Care Services @ 3pm

March 26: Pleasant View Lodge Service @7pm

Upcoming Pastor's Vacation Time

Pastor Dave: Feb. 14-16

Pastor George: Feb. 16-22, March 16-17 (*Staff & Spouse Retreat*)

For Your Information

Sunday Morning Programs/Service Times

Sunday School – 9:30am

Prayer & Reflection Time – 10:00-10:15am

Worship Service – 10:30am

Child Care During the Service:

Ages 0-3: Staffed nursery available upstairs during the service.

Age 3-Gr. 2: Junior church upstairs during the message. *Busy boxes and sermon notes* are available in the cupboard at the back with activities they can do sitting in the service.

The Library is open after the service on Sunday mornings. (Located upstairs)

Church Office Hours

Monday 10:15-12:30 and 1:30-4:30

Tuesday & Thursday 9-12:30 and 1:30-4:30

Friday 10:15-12:30

New to the Church? We would love to help you connect with your new church family. Contact the church office for any questions or if you would like to have a church mailbox and/or copy of our photo directory.

Have Prayer Requests? We have a prayer chain that regularly lifts requests up in prayer. Contact the church office if you have a request you would like us to share or would like to be part of this email group.

Small Groups Ministry

*Dekker/Burdett – Wed. *Gross – Wed.

*B&C Reimer – Wed. *Mills – Wed.

*Freiberg – Wed. *Vanderspruit –

*Serfas – Thurs. Wed. AM (Ladies)

*Holland – Wed.

Contact Pastor George to join a group!

Church Family Notes

Student Care Packages! The Deaconesses are once again organizing care packages to send to 5 students who are attending post-secondary education this year. (Dyllan Thurston, Elody Weatherhead, Grace Mills, Mary Reusser, Sadie Lockhart) We are collecting **cash and gift card donations** to send to the students. *Box is in the foyer. Deadline to give is TODAY!*



Weekend in the Word is March 8-9th! Join us as Creation Ministries International comes to share about a Biblical view of science, creation, and how the Bible can be trusted from the first verse! *See bulletin board for details.* **Meal Hosting Opportunity!** If you are interested in hosting Creation Ministries speaker Richard Fangrad for any meals on Sunday or Monday, please contact Sonja Wikkerink.



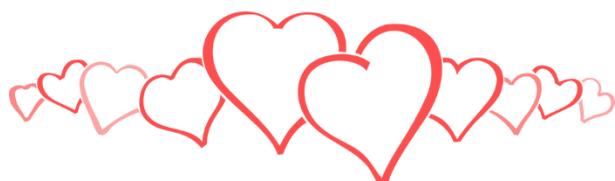
Missions Opportunity! There is a team being put together to serve on a mission trip in Hermosillo Mexico in February of 2027. If you are interested, please talk to Pastor George by the end of March.

VBS is looking for a **program coordinator** (resources to get the program started will be provided) as well as a song leader. Please reach out to Jamie Pahl at 403-952-9255 if interested or for more info. (VBS dates- July 13-17)

Thank you church family for all your prayers, visits, and support during Bruno's recovery from his complete knee surgery! We are truly grateful for God's amazing grace and faithfulness. ~Bruno & Laura Gross



Meals on Wheels drivers needed for March! Deliver dinner to members of our community – week-long (Mon.-Fri.) or partial week commitments both possible. 2 routes – Bow Island & Burdett with both starting with meal pickup at 4:30pm in Bow Island. Contact the church office if you would like to be a part of our church serving the community in this way!



Missionary of the Week

Franklin & Kaitlyn Sequera

Serving in: Spain with SEND International

Franklin was offered a position on the leadership team last fall, and after praying about it, he graciously accepted. This week, he has officially begun his work with the SEND Spain leadership team. He continues to work with the church and is taking a break from his theology studies.



We have also been invited to organize a room for the Young Adults at Mision Posible, a Spain-wide youth conference in April. Please pray for us as we plan and prepare the hearts of the young people who will attend.

Kaitlyn is currently taking another course for her masters of counselling. She continues to work with Amar Dragoste and goes out to the streets 2-3 times per week. Kaitlyn and Franklin are also organizing courses with a local academy for the women to take. We hope to have our first lady start in February.

Camila and Fabiana are doing well in their studies. Bella continues to grow and learn. She is trying to talk lots and is FINALLY sleeping through the night. We are looking at options of childcare for Bella this spring and or fall. Please pray with us about this.

Volunteers of the Week

Take the opportunity to thank a volunteer for all their work today!



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"Nuts and Bolts"

Deadline for Bulletin Submissions is Thursday at noon. Contact the office if you have something to include in next week's bulletin.

Giving

Online: atbcares.com – "Cause" Name: "The Bow Island Evangelical Free Church". (3% fee)

E-transfer: finance@bowislandefc.com **

In Person: Place it in the offering box in the foyer.**

****New donors please include your full name including middle initial and mailing address.** CRA requires this information for receipts.

Finances as of February 10th

Income: \$55,063.00
Actual Expenses: \$21,179.69
Budget Balance: \$33,883.31

Cash on Hand

General Fund: \$87,463.93
GIC: \$275,581.48