

#### THIS WEEKEND

The holidays are upon us and everything that comes with them – the fun, nostalgia, busyness, stress, difficult family dynamics – but also unique opportunities. To make the most of this season, we need a pregame plan. Join us for this sermon that will help us not just survive but THRIVE.

# NOVEMBER 23/24 PREGAME

## CHIP UHRMACHER

CEDAR FALLS CAMPUS PASTOR

# NEXT STEPS

## SERVE PURPOSEFULLY

One of the best ways to meet people, develop relationships and grow as a No Matter follower of Jesus is to serve the local church.

#### prairielakeschurch.org/serve

### **CONNECT** RELATIONALLY

We are designed for relationships. When you connect relationally, you develop genuine, authentic friendships because you have people you can depend on and who can depend on you.

# prairielakeschurch.org/groups

#### GIVE GENEROUSLY

Money is the number one competitor for our hearts and often our biggest source of stress. When you give generously, your heart and priorities change because you place your security and trust first in God. **prairielakeschurch.org/give** 

#### BAPTISM

If you've stepped over the Faith Line and are a follower of Christ, baptism is the next step in your spiritual journey. JAN 25/26 DURING SERVICES

#### MEMBERSHIP

Learn about who we are, our beliefs and mission and how you can partner with us. JANUARY 14, 6:00-9:00PM

#### CHILD DEDICATION

A great opportunity to celebrate the newest member of your family, decide what you value and what you can do today to have the greatest impact on your child's future.

Orientation MON, MAR 2 @ 6:30PM Dedication SAT, MAR 7 @ 3:30PM

# **READY TO TAKE A STEP?** STOP AT THE CONNECTION DESK OR prairielakeschurch.org/next-steps

# WHAT'S COMING UP

#### NEW SERMON SERIES: LIGHT & GLORY Beginning November 31/December 1

**Light is glorious.** It drives out the darkness and illuminates everything so we see clearly. Our Advent series will explore how Jesus casts light on the dark places in our lives, helps us sense

# something bigger than ourselves and invites us into a personal relationship with Him.

## SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

Sunday, November 24, 1:00-2:30PM | Chapel A warm and encouraging event designed to help you deal with the intense pain of grief during the holiday season featuring video instruction and group discussion. Cost is \$5/person for materials. Sign up on the events page at **prairielakeschurch.org**.

#### CHRISTMAS STORE

Saturday, December 7, 9:00AM-12:00PM | CF Campus Please return donations **unwrapped** to the Cedar Falls Campus and sign up to serve at the store by this Sunday, November 24. Visit the events page at **prairielakeschurch.org**.

## STAFF OFFICE CLOSED

The PLC office will be closed November 28-29 for Thanksgiving.

## NO KIDVENTURE NEXT WEEKEND

There will be no Kidventure November 30/December 1.

#### PLC SWAG

Snag some PLC swag! Available through **December 1** at **prairielakes.org/swag**. Orders will be delivered by Christmas.

#### **ELECTRONIC BUSINESS MEETING**

Votes due by 5:00PM on December 8 Members of Prairie Lakes Church are invited to our business meeting for the purpose of voting on new members. Current members may vote by electronic ballot [sent via email] or absentee ballot available at the Connection Desk.

#### FINALS STUDY NIGHTS

December 15-17, 6:00PM-12:00AM | CF Campus Bless college students by donating snacks and/or volunteering in the kitchen. Sign up in the Lobby.

# JOB OPPORTUNITIES prairielakeschurch.org/employment

CHIP UHRMACHER, CAMPUS PASTOR | 1907 VIKING ROAD, CEDAR FALLS | 319.266.2655 | SAT @ 5:30PM & SUN @ 9 & 11AM

## **KIDS • STUDENTS • COLLEGE • WOMEN • MEN** SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE AT PRAIRIELAKESCHURCH.ORG

# CONNECTION CARD

We're so glad you're here! Please fill out this card and bring it to the Get Started banner, Connection Desk or text "PLC" to 797979. We'll follow up with you early this week.

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY		THOUGHTS, QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS? LET US KNOW!
☐ I'm new here!	EMAIL	
□ I stepped over the Faith Line today!	PHONE	
🔲 I want to get baptized.	ADDRESS	
I want to get connected to: a group	CITY ZIP	
☐ volunteering	BIRTHDAY /	