

September 10, 2017



fridley covenant church

Opening Song* Worship Team
Worship Leader Brad Halbersma
Friend of God

Welcome and Announcements

Worship through Song*
Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)
Lord I Need You
One Thing Remains (Your Love Never Fails)

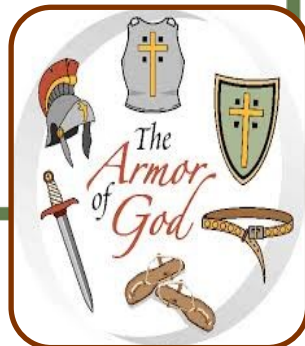
Scripture/Prayer
Ephesians 6:10-18

Offering
You Won't Let Go

Message Pastor Mark Ellingson
The Art of War

Closing
Whom Shall I Fear (God of Angel Armies)

*Always feel free to stand or sit within your comfort level



CHURCH INFORMATION

We believe that genuine love, caring relationships, and inspiring others are the keys to life and ministry.

Staff

Mark Ellingson
Lead Pastor
Dan Brodin
Associate Pastor
Michael Baker
Teaching Pastor

Council

J.R. *Chair*
Juleigh *Vice Chair*
Karen *Secretary*
Michael *Treasurer*
Jerry *Diaconate*
Geoff *Children and Youth*

Diaconate

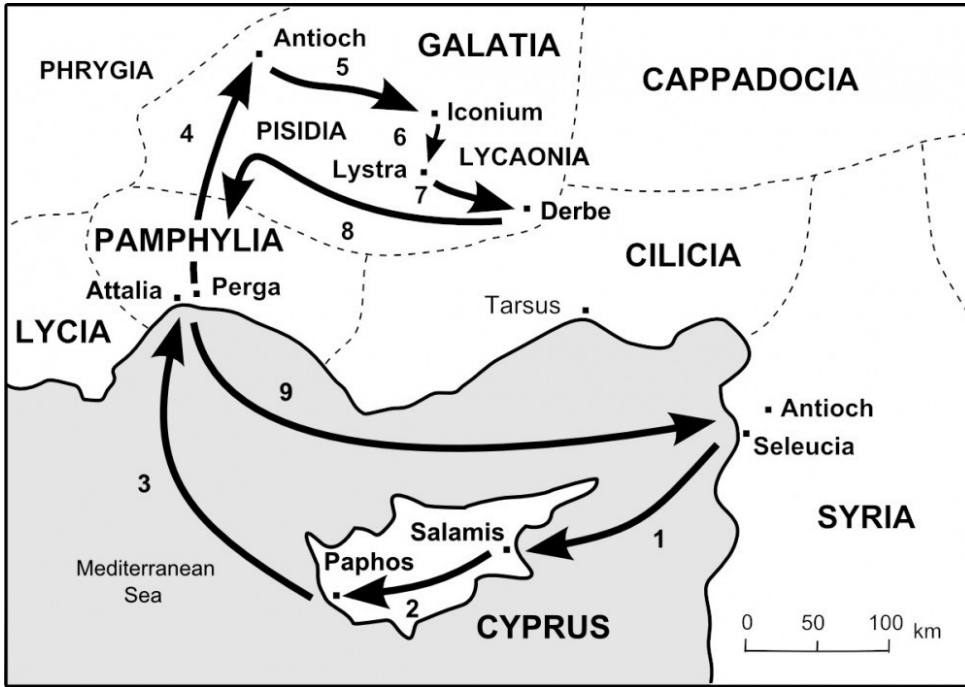
Jerry *Chair*
Petra
Greg
Ron
Lois

Vitality Team

Anne *Vitality Team Lead*
Patti *Prayer Team Lead*
Karen *Relational Covenant Team Lead*
Dora *Communications Team Lead*
Juleigh & Geoff *History and Biblical Story Team Leads*
J.R. & Michael *Internal and External Profile Team Leads*

Care for Prayer: Today after the service, our Pastors or Diaconate would love to talk and pray for you with whatever is on your heart.

The Art of War



Acts 13:1-13

¹ Among the prophets and teachers of the church at Antioch of Syria were Barnabas, Simeon (called “the black man”), Lucius (from Cyrene), Manaen (the childhood companion of King Herod Antipas), and Saul. ² One day as these men were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, “Appoint Barnabas and Saul for the special work to which I have called them.” ³ So after more fasting and prayer, the men laid their hands on them and sent them on their way

⁴ So Barnabas and Saul were sent out by the Holy Spirit. They went down to the seaport of Seleucia and then sailed for the island of Cyprus. ⁵ There, in the town of Salamis, they went to the Jewish synagogues and preached the word of God. John Mark went with them as their assistant.

Welcome to our Guests: We are grateful that you have chosen to Worship God with us today. We hope you stick around for the refreshments after the service and maybe even look into getting plugged into a small group Bible study. Make an impact on your world - come and help out with Manna Market on Tuesdays.

Announcements

- **Fall Kickoff/Potluck:** Sunday, September 17, adult Bible Study at 9:30, Worship at 10:30, inflatables and potluck to follow.
- **AWANA/Youth:** Both groups get started on Wednesday, September 20, 6:30-8 pm.
- **Men’s/Women’s Bible Studies:** Will run every other Monday night for six sessions beginning September 25.
- **Sunday Bible Study:** Were the early heroes of the Bible any different than us? Come and hear how Abraham, Issac, Jacob, and Joseph faced the challenges of finding their faith and following God. Starting Sept. 17th at 9:30am.
- **30’s & 40’s:** October 15 at church for game night.
- **Senior’s lunch:** September 20, 1 pm at Pizza Ranch in Andover.
- **“Behind the Badge”:** All are welcome to the fourth annual event on Wednesday, October 11 at 6:30 pm. Cop cars, cuffs, canines, and a fire truck.

Prayers

- Erica and Nils Clauson, missionaries in Oaxaca, Mexico which experienced a major earthquake.
- Hurricane Harvey & Irma victims.

Praises

- Being able to worship God with fellow believers.
- A great summer of outdoor worship!
- God is stirring up a passion for his work here in Fridley.