

August 30, 2026

# Welcome

*We're Glad You're Here!*



REFUGE  
AN EVANGELICAL FREE  
CHURCH

*“We will glorify God by aligning everything we  
do with Jesus' call to discipleship”*

# THIS WEEK AT REFUGE

August 30 - September 5, 2026

## Sunday

|         |                                                       |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| 7:30am  | Measure of a Man Class (Chapel)                       |
| 9:00am  | Sunday Morning Service                                |
| 9:00am  | Kids Church, Preschool-5 <sup>th</sup> Grade (Chapel) |
| 10:30am | Sunday School                                         |
| 3:00pm  | Refuge Fun Fest TODAY                                 |

## Wednesday

|         |                              |
|---------|------------------------------|
| 12:00pm | Noon Prayer                  |
| 1:00pm  | Moms In Prayer, Room 202     |
| 6:45pm  | Bible Study and Prayer Group |
| 6:00pm  | AWANA Volunteer Training     |

## Thursday

|        |                      |
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| 6:30pm | Praise Band Practice |
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## GET CONNECTED

***G**rowth Groups! Ministry Teams!*

Please consider joining a Growth Group or becoming a Growth Group Leader.

**See Welcome Desk for more information.**

## WELCOME!

If you are a guest, we would like to give you a special gift. Please visit the Welcome Desk in the foyer following the service.



## REFUGE GIVING

Aug 17-Aug 23, 2026



|          | Weekly       | Year-to-date |
|----------|--------------|--------------|
| Budget   | \$9,615.38   | \$326,922.92 |
| Received | \$7,722.50   | \$332,934.86 |
|          | (\$1,892.88) | \$6,011.94   |

# INFORMATION



## Summer Office Hours:

Monday Closed  
Tuesday-Thursday 9am-4pm  
Friday 9am-Noon

## CONTACT US!

### Pastoral Staff

Lead Pastor Dirk Jasperse - [Dirk@refugefc.org](mailto:Dirk@refugefc.org)

Pastor of NextGen Ministries Pastor Kevin Christian-[kevin@refugefc.org](mailto:kevin@refugefc.org)

### Prayer Request

Three ways to submit a prayer request:

\*Fill out a Welcome Card (back of chair holder)

\*Contact Dara Shank, [daradelane@msn.com](mailto:daradelane@msn.com),  
763-441-5681

\*Contact Church Office, 763-856-2237, [www.refugefc.org](http://www.refugefc.org)



## GLOBAL PARTNERS



AWANA MISSIONARY  
BRENDA COLE

I have been working as a missionary for about 6 years now and one of my favorite things is the people. I love the people I work with and the ones I serve in the churches. Going to visit churches and seeing and working with the kiddos is such a joy. I love it when I see a church really reaching out to kids with tougher home lives and being that caring church and adult in their lives. Sparks letters make me smile really big. Pray for our churches as they start Awana again this Fall. I pray many churches will see the need to disciple kids to be resilient disciples that will be able to stand in our culture and share the Love of Jesus around them.

## KIDS

### AWANA CLUBS

**AWANA Volunteer Training: Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:30-8:00PM**

AWANA Clubs resume September 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM

Register before September 1<sup>st</sup> for early bird discounts.



Scan the QR code  
to register



### Be Part of a Child's Christmas Story

This fall, we're joining thousands of churches around the world to pack shoeboxes for *Operation Christmas Child*. For many, this will be the very first gift they've ever received, along with the message of God's love.

You can be part of this mission! Visit the foyer table for details and a list of needed items. Together, we can bring joy, hope, and the love of Jesus to children across the globe.

## YOUTH

**Refuge Student Ministries (RSM)**  
**Sundays - 6 - 8 pm (6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

## NEXTGEN MINISTRY



**REFUGE Family Fest**  
**TODAY!!**

**Sunday, August 30th**  
**3:00pm - 7:00pm**



**Petting Zoo, Food Trucks, Music and More**