

The Enemy

September 1st, 2024

Matthew 6:13 "... but deliver us from the evil one"

Ephesians 2:2 "You used to live in sin, just like the rest of the world, obeying the devil—the commander of the powers in the unseen world. He is the spirit at work in the hearts of those who refuse to obey God."

Ephesians 6:12 "For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places."

We have an enemy... but we also have a way to fight that enemy. **PRAYER!!**

2 Corinthians 10:3-5 "We are human, but we don't wage war as humans do. We use God's mighty weapons, not worldly weapons, to knock down the strongholds of human reasoning and to destroy false arguments..."

Ephesians 6:18 "Pray in the Spirit at all times and on every occasion. Stay alert and be persistent in your prayers for all believers everywhere."

2 Kings 6:8-23 - Elisha is surrounded

vs.18 "And when the Syrians came down against him, **Elisha prayed to the Lord** and said, "Please strike this people with blindness." So he struck them with blindness in accordance with the prayer of Elisha."

Matthew 16:18-19 "...and upon this rock I will build my church, and all the powers of hell will not conquer it. And I will give you the keys of the Kingdom of Heaven. Whatever you forbid on earth will be forbidden in heaven, and whatever you permit on earth will be permitted in heaven."

We are at war! Will we be persistent in using the strategies Jesus has given us to defeat the enemy? Will we be persistent?

NEXT STEPS Today during the Message Learn more about our church and how to get connected with the first of this four week class offered each Sunday during the message in Classroom 2.

LEAD A GROUP THIS FALL September through December Groups meets every week or every other week. Would you consider hosting a group this fall. See Justin or Julie Cardinal to start!

GIVE TO MISSIONS Help us meet our goals Fill out a missions pledge card or scan the QR code to pledge toward one or more of international partners!



this week...

CROSS CURRENT Tonight at 6pm! 7th-12th graders gather every Sunday night here at the church.

FAITH RECOVERY GROUP Fridays at 5:30pm Find healing in your recovery and share a meal with some like-minded folks on Friday nights.

COMMISSIONING NIGHT Friday at 6:30pm Danny & Jamie Schulz are coming back and will be ministering prophetically for our fall kickoff.

coming up...

WEDNESDAY CLASSES Starting next Wednesday! Register today for one of our Wednesday classes including Basic Doctrine, Financial Peace University, Intro to Preaching and Teaching, and our Freedom Class.

ONE DAY MARRIAGE CONFERENCE September 14th in Saranac Lake Go to highpeakschurch.org to learn more!

PRAYER FOR OUR NATION September 9th at 6:30pm in Potsdam A Worship prayer meeting will be held at Ives Park with other churches in the North Country. Bring your own chairs and blankets.

MOMCO BAKE SALE September 15th Go Get some treats after the service on the 15th to support North Country MomCo which will be starting back up again on Thursday, September 19th, at 10am and 6pm here at the church. All moms are invited!

BUILDING FIRM MENS EVENT September 21st in Malone Men 13 and up are invited to our second annual mens event on Saturday, September 21st, from 8:30am-4:30pm. Come and enjoy great food, connection, and breakout sessions.

Open the ChurchCenter App or scan the QR Code to register for an Upcoming Event, sign up for a class or find a Group to Connect to

