

We exist to proclaim the excellencies  
of Jesus Christ in word and deed,  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
for the glory of God the Father



january 25, 2026

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**Prelude**

**Call To Worship**

**Congregational Worship**

*Whom Shall Fear* Cash/Cash/Tomlin  
*I Come Running* Altrogge  
*Abide With Me* Monk/Lyte

**Pastoral Reading & Prayer**

**Congregational Worship**

*Good Shepherd of My Soul*  
DeBarra/Townend/Getty/Getty

**Children's Church Dismissed (Ages 4-7)**

**Offertory**

*How Rich A Treasure We Possess* Papa/Boswell

**Sermon**

Pastor Stephen Lonetti

**Communion**

*All The Way My Savior Leads Me*  
Crosby/Lowry/Redman/Tomlin

**Congregational Worship**

*His Forever* Szebel

**Benediction**

# leadership

Any of our church leaders stand ready to talk with you or answer your questions! Please feel free to contact any of us with questions, comments, ideas, or feedback. Email: [info@beaconforthecity.org](mailto:info@beaconforthecity.org)

**Elders:** Pastor Stephen Lonetti, Cha Lo, Marlin Jones, Dave Pederson  
**Deacons:** Brandyn Dykstra, Curtis Gabrielson, Jeremiah Johnson, Michael Pelton, Jonah White, Sai Tho

# staff

**Pastoral Assistant:** Justin Gilbert  
**Director of Operations:** Lori Buller  
**Facility Manager:** Ben Olsen

**Financial Year-to-Date Update**  
**Offering through January 18, 2026**  
**YTD Giving:** \$34,782  
**YTD Budget:** \$33,216  
**Above Budget:** \$ 1,566

# this week

## This Sunday

Coffee & Fellowship 8:30 am  
Sunday School/Fellowship Groups 9:00 am  
Worship Service 10:30 am  
Children's Church dismissed before the offering  
Communion / Deacon's Fund Offering

## Wednesday

Adventure Club 6:30-8:30 pm  
Bible Quizzing 6:30-8:30 pm  
Men's Bible Study 6:30-8:30 pm

## Next Sunday

Coffee & Fellowship 8:30 am  
Sunday School/Fellowship Groups 9:00 am  
Worship Service 10:30 am  
Children's Church dismissed before the offering  
Members Meeting following Worship Service  
Fellowship Meal following Service

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# announcements

## WAYS WE MINISTER TO YOUR YOUNG CHILDREN:

**Nursery** is available for birth through age 3.  
**Children's Church** is offered during the sermon. Please check your child in at the check-in tablets before the service, when the announcement is made before the offering please bring your child to the sign in the Lobby. Designed for age 4 - 1st grade.

## FELLOWSHIP MEAL NEXT SUNDAY:

Next Sunday, February 1, we will gather following the Service for our Quarterly Fellowship Meal. Everyone is invited to attend.  
This is a time of sharing a meal and having great fellowship. Please bring enough food for your family and some additional to share. Plates, napkins, silverware, cups will be provided along with beverages.  
PLEASE make sure your items are marked with your name, bring your own serving ware, and be sure to take your items home when you leave

## NEXT SUNDAY A MEMBERS ONLY MEETING:

Following next Sunday's Worship Service, the Finance Committee ask that all Beacon Members remain in the Worship Center for a brief meeting to review the 2026 Budget.

# sermon notes

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT (PT 2)  
ROMANS 8:12-17

- I **TWO LIFE DOMINATING FORCES – TWO DESTINIES (8:12-13)**
  
- II **THE FIRST SIGN OF LIFE IN THE SPIRIT- KILLING SIN (8:13)**
  
- III **ASSURANCE OF OUR ADOPTION – NO FEAR (8:14-15)**
  
- IV **ASSURANCE OF OUR INHERITANCE - SUFFERING WELL (8:16-17)**