

Mission Feast planned for October 25th

Forreston Grove's annual Mission Feast celebration is being planned for Sunday, October 25th. Haddon Anderson with Youth for Christ will speak during the Sunday School hour, and Heath Tibbetts, head of spiritual life at Rockford Christian Schools, will bring the morning message. A potluck meal will follow!

October newsletter available

The church's October newsletter is now available in the narthex. It includes a church calendar and letters from missionaries. Please pick one up at your convenience!

Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes due November 8th

Pioneer Club will be participating in Operation Christmas Child again this year. If you'd like to participate, there are boxes and instructions in the narthex. Boxes are due back November 8th. There's also an opportunity to donate \$10 per box to cover shipping, training, and Gospel materials. Please make these checks payable to Samaritan's Purse and give them to Sandy Williams by November 8th. This is a great opportunity to share the Gospel with kids all over the world!



Forreston Grove Church

Presbyterian Church in America

*"To know Christ and
to make Him known."*

	<i>Flowers</i>	<i>Nursery</i>
October 4	Lauri Plambeck	Jason & Kim
October 11	Lauri Plambeck	Robert & Danielle
October 18	Jan Davis	Carl & Sarah
October 25	Judy Greenfield	Gundersons

For congregational needs, contact...

Lyle Greenfield 815-266-4143
Elders: Butch DeVries, Brian Dncan, Tim Greenfield, Rob Gunderson, Matt Williams

Please contact Kelli Gunderson with announcements or other items to be included in the bulletin.
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Morning Worship

The Lord's Day

October 4, 2026

*Welcome! We're glad you're here.
Please join us in praise and prayer.*

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

- * "Cornerstone"
- * "Before the Throne of God Above"
- * "Lord, Be Glorified"

Invocation & The Lord's Prayer

* **Hymn #341, vs. 1 & 4** – "Come Thou Almighty King"

Prayer of Oversight

*** Tithes and Offerings**

"We Give Thee But Thine Own"

God's Word Today – Chuck Rife

1 Timothy 4:11-16 – "Set Apart Unto the Lord"

Ordination & Installation of Lyle Greenfield

* **Hymn #337**– "Praise the Lord, the Almighty"

*** Benediction**

* **Response** – "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

** Indicates congregation will stand, for those who are able.
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Welcome, visitors!

We extend a sincere welcome to our visitors. It's a privilege to have you with us. As our guest, please do not feel obligated to participate in the morning offering. For those who wish to place an offering, offering plates are available at the back of the sanctuary.

Luncheon following this morning's service

In celebration of Lyle Greenfield's ordination and installation, please make your way downstairs to fellowship hall following this morning's worship service for food and fellowship!

Youth to meet tonight

All youth 6th through 12th grades are invited to meet here at Forreston Grove tonight, October 4th, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Come for fun, food, and fellowship!

Pioneer Club continues

Forreston Grove welcomes youth Kindergarten through 8th grade to Pioneer Club every Wednesday night from 6 to 7:30 p.m. through October 28th.

Communion planned for next Sunday

Forreston Grove will celebrate Holy Communion during the morning worship service next Sunday, October 11th. Please prepare your hearts to partake in the Lord's Supper.

New women's Bible study to begin next Sunday

The book "Calm My Anxious Heart" by Linda Dillow will be the focus of the next women's Bible study session. All ladies are encouraged to attend. The book can be purchased online, or is available on Kindle Unlimited. The first meeting is planned for Sunday, October 11th at 6 p.m., focusing on Chapter 1. Please come if you are able!

Informational session October 18th

All are invited to a brief informational session following the morning worship service on Sunday, October 18th. The purpose of this session will be to inform the congregation of plans to update the church sanctuary.

Men to meet October 18th

All men are invited to a Bible study here at Forreston Grove on Sunday, October 18th, at 6 p.m.

(announcements continued on back...)

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Church matters:

- Pray that Forreaston Grove would overflow with love for God, one another, and our community.
- Pray that we would live beautiful, worthy lives.
- Pray that we would strive to glorify God in all we do, think, and say.
- Pray that the Session would faithfully lead, shepherd, and defend the flock.
- Pray that the deacons and trustees would diligently care for the physical needs of the church.
- Pray that we would be devoted to prayer and reading God's Word.
- Pray that we would—both individually and as one body—joyfully share the good news of Jesus Christ with all who will hear.

Ongoing concerns:

- Tom Virtue (remember him as he starts new medicine for pancreatic cancer)
- Zephaniah Williams (pray for continued growth and health)
- Kevin Erbsen (pray for continued healing and improvement)
- John & Shirley Iben (pray for health, provision, and strength)
- Carlee Tessendorf (pray for health and continued healing)
- Loran & Judy Greenfield (pray for strength and mobility)

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Remember Stateline Area Youth for Christ as they seek to expand their services from Rockford to Freeport. Pray for additional funding for the Freeport initiative, for strong leadership, and that many youth would be reached and impacted by the Gospel.

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