



Sermon Notes Acts 19

When the Gospel Turns a City Upside Down

The S _____ makes the d _____.
Acts 19:1–7

The W _____ must be proclaimed b _____ —
and it will face o _____.
Acts 19:8–20

The G _____ is threatening to u _____.
Acts 19:23–41

When the G _____ is truly p _____, it will be
r _____.

**Kids—Fill out your bulletin notes and bring them to the
Welcome Desk after the service for a prize.**



We are so glad you are here. If you are new or newer, please fill out the Connection Card in front of you and take it to the Welcome Center after the service. We would love to meet you, answer any questions and give you a gift.

Sunday Mornings

No Sunday School May-August

10:00 am Fellowship

10:30 am Worship Service

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Giving:

An offering box is located in the east foyer or you can give online at our website or by scanning here.



MERIDEN Evangelical Free Church

Love God

Love People

*Point People to **Christ***

July 12, 2026

Prelude

“Praise”

Announcements

Exaltation

“Everlasting God”

“King of Kings”

“I Speak Jesus”

Prayer & Offering

Sermon

Pastor Nelson Jenkins

Closing Hymn

“I Surrender All”

Benediction

Prayer partners are available to pray with you in the library after the service.

Prayer Requests

- Pray for Jamie Johnson, David and Donna Baker, and any others with on-going health concerns.
- Pray for our youth going on a mission trip this week with Go-Serve Global to Corning, Iowa to help with storm cleanup: Emily Crowell, Eva Montero, Ella Pulido, Carlee Rexroat, Madie Rupp, and Jaben Younker. Pray also for our leaders, Emilee and Charlie Belden and Pastor Pete.
- Pray our kids at Hidden Acres this week: Kati Belden, Darren Van Houten, Brelee Henke, Charlotte Johnson, Ruth Johnson, and Kyla Arbegast. Pray also for our teens who are serving as counselors at Hidden Acres this summer: Lydia Hart, Eoin Hogg, and Kenzie Younker.
- Pray for our Missionaries of the Month, Alicia and Jorge Ramirez, as they prepare to head back to serving in Mexico. Pray for their fundraising efforts while they are home on furlough.
- Pray for those who are not always able to join us: Dan & Linda Chapman, Anna Christopher, and Jackie Hurd.

For privacy reasons, if you would like something put on our prayer chain, please let the church office know. Thank you!

Please join us for an open house
shower honoring

ANDREA LARSON

Tuesday, July 21st, 5:00-7:30 p.m.

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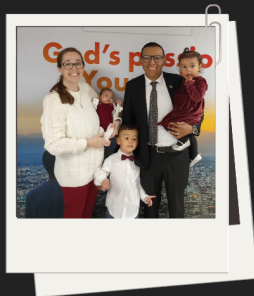


MISSIONARIES OF THE MONTH



ALICIA & JORGE RAMIREZ

SERVING IN MEXICO



There will be an informational
meeting about seating in the
church on Sunday, July 19 at
9:30 AM. Please join us!



Pillar Day *at Carey's Cafe*

Thursday,
July 16
11:30 AM



Hidden Acres Women's Retreat

Sept 18-20, 2026

Retreat Cost **\$120**

or **\$60** for Saturday Only

Register at hacamps.org
and use group name
"Meriden."



Please let Kimber or Emilee know you have registered!

Youth Group Upcoming Events

July 20 - Mud on Main Monday, 2-3pm

Aug 5 - Explorers game, bring \$ for supper, 5 pm

Aug 11 - Mud on Main, 2 pm

Aug 19 - Back to School Bonfire, 6 pm