

A message from Dr. Dennis Episcopo

Joining us today is the senior pastor of Essex Alliance Church in Vermont, Rev. Scott Slocum. For the last 30 years, he's pastored the largest church in the state, and one of the fastest growing churches in New England. Passionate about reaching lost people, especially those who are anti-church and anti-Christian, Scott's emphasis is on demonstrating how the church—and Christianity—are relevant for life today. He has served on a number of boards and committees over the years, and is currently Chairman of the Board at Nyack College and Alliance Theological Seminary.

Scott is happily married to Diane. Together they have 3 children and 4 grandchildren.

NOTES

TODAY IS COMMUNION SUNDAY

AAC serves grape juice instead of wine. Please see an usher or deaconess before the service if you would like a gluten-free cracker.

PICK UP GIVING ENVELOPES

Please stop and pick up your 2018 envelopes in the Hub. If you give online, you will not need envelopes. Sign-up sheets are available to request a set of envelopes. Thank you for your financial support of Appleton Alliance Church.

CHILDREN

Child Dedication Parent Meeting

Monday, Jan. 29 | 6:00-7:00 p.m. Register at **aachur.ch/cpdm12918**

Learn the biblical purpose behind child dedication, and why it is different from infant baptism. Parents who wish to dedicate their child(ren) must attend this class once.

MEN Men's Frat

Begins Jan. 22 | Cost: \$15 before Jan 15 Monday nights or Wednesday mornings

The Bible is a big book. Authors Kyle Idleman and Deron Spoo take us through the Bible, exploring major themes, in their book, *The Good Book* (Participant's Guide). Visit **aacmen.org** for more info or to register.

PLUGGED IN

Adult Ministries Kick-off

Today in the Hub in-between services

Growing spiritually doesn't just happen. It takes intentional steps, one day at a time. We want you to grow in an understanding of who God is and what His plan is for your life—but you have to take action!

Stop and chat with any of our volunteers in the Hub to learn how you can get plugged in. We have Bible studies, small groups, Men's Frat, sports leagues, and more. Whether you're new here or ready to take that next step—today is the day!

MEN & WOMEN XCEL YOUNG ADULTS SENIOR ADULTS SUPPORT GROUPS MISSIONS SMALL GROUPS DINNER 6

XCEL SPORTS

Co-ed Volleyball League

Mondays, Feb. 5-March 26 | 6-9 p.m. Adults 18+ (Post-high school) Cost: \$35 for Xcel members and \$55 for non-members.

Men's Basketball League

Thursdays, Feb. 8—April 5 | 6-9 p.m. Men 18+ (Post-high school) Cost: \$35 for Xcel members and \$55 for non-members

All skill levels are welcome for both leagues. This is a great opportunity to invite your friends and neighbors to participate at Xcel. Register by Jan. 24 at xcelsports.org

WELCOME We're glad you're here!

Stop by the Welcome Center in the Hub. We have a gift for you and would love to connect with you. Find out what's happening at AAC at appletonalliance.org

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Sunday Services: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.