

Paul’s Ultimate Goal in Athens

Understand that your ignorance is inexcusable. (vs 30)

Understand that **God is calling you to repentance.** (vs 30)

Understand that **the (righteousness) judgement day has been set.** (vs 30)

Understand that **God is God.** (He raised Jesus from the dead.) (vs 30)

“Your ignorance is inexcusable.”

“Jesus and the resurrection seem foolish to you.”

“Yet, God has made the truth plainly known to you.”

“However, in ignorance you distort the truth.”

“Understand that your ignorance is inexcusable.”

“You are responsible because you have the truth, and you are guilty because of what you have done with the truth.”



Financial Stewardship/ Previous Week

Tithes	\$ 18,836.50
Missions	\$ 352.86
Total	\$ 19,189.36



DEEPER DIVE

Deeper Dive is a follow up study guide that allows you (*alone or with a small group*) to do a deeper study into the sermon text that is presented on Sunday morning. They will be available at the Welcome Center, on our Facebook Page, and by email if requested. Online discussions and Wednesday night discussions are **COMING SOON**.

SUN NIGHT PRAYER

Church-Wide Sunday Night Prayer will meet tonight at 6:00 pm in the Worship Center. We are officially making this an every Sunday Night Prayer Meeting. These times of prayer have been a very special blessing.

AWANA

AWANA Wednesday Night Kids’ Ministry Program will launch August 28th at 6:30 pm in the Family Ministry Building.

CHAPEL WORSHIP

Chapel Worship is a NEW 9:00 am worship service that has band led music, a coffee house atmosphere and interactive teaching. It meets in the Family Ministry Building Chapel. Soft launch is September 15th. Launch is October 27th (*Fall Fest Weekend*).

August 18, 2024

WORSHIP ARTS MINISTRY

"Our Music Ministry is growing and we need more help!"



1. **Ardella Choir** begins this afternoon and meets almost every Sunday afternoon from 4:30-5:45 pm. Reading music is not a prerequisite but staying on pitch surely would help!

2. **Handbell ringers** needed that would not rehearse every week but reads music well and could be called on to fill in on any bells when the need arises.

3. **Orchestra** needs more instruments: strings, woodwinds, and more trumpets would be a nice addition. All three of those groups lead worship approximately once a month. Other needs include praise band instruments like electric guitar, percussion, keyboards, etc. on a rotation basis. **See Brad Weishaupt for more info.**

EXPERIENCING GOD BIBLE STUDY

Experiencing God is a Bible study that guides you to experience the kind of relationship with God through which you come to know and do His will. Through examination of biblical and contemporary illustrations, you will understand and apply seven realities of experiencing God. You will be helped to better understand how to experience God daily in an intimate way. *Experiencing God* is a 13-week Bible study that **begins on Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 pm in Room 105**. The cost of the course study guide is \$15. **Please sign up in the Foyer this morning.** If you have never experienced this Bible study as part of your spiritual journey, I encourage you to do so. ~ *Pastor Max*



We strive to be a healthy family where all generations grow as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Wednesday Night Meal & Dessert

MENU: HOT DOGS, BAKED BEANS, COLE SLAW AND DESSERT



\$5 per adult, \$3 per child, or \$15 Family (2 adults + kids) **Sign up in the Foyer**

DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES & UPCOMING EVENTS

ARISE 2 READ INTEREST MEETING

After the 10:30 am service in Room 105

CHOIR PRACTICE BEGINS

4:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall

CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER

6:00 PM in the Worship Center



CHILDREN'S / STUDENT MINISTRY

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

MEN'S / WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

BIBLE STUDY: WRITTEN IN RED

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall

BIBLE STUDY: THE NATURE AND FORM OF SCRIPTURE

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in Room 101

AWANA MINISTRY FOR CHILDREN AGE NURSERY - 5TH GRADE

Begins Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 pm