

## REEDLEY MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH

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## **Sunday Worship Services at 9am**

In-Person in the Sanctuary, Live Online  
(YouTube, Facebook, [reedleymbc.org](http://reedleymbc.org))  
On Demand after 1pm on Monday

**Children's Church**  
Ages 3 through Kindergarten  
&  
**Kingdom Kids**  
1st Grade - 3rd Grade

**Fellowship on the Green at 10:20am**

**Adult and Children's Classes at 10:40am**



**The Perk Cafe**  
Order online and skip  
the line! (Sundays only)



Jeff Wheeland, Senior Pastor

Andrew Edmonds, Pastor of Student Ministries

Tami Hawkins, Director of Children's Ministry

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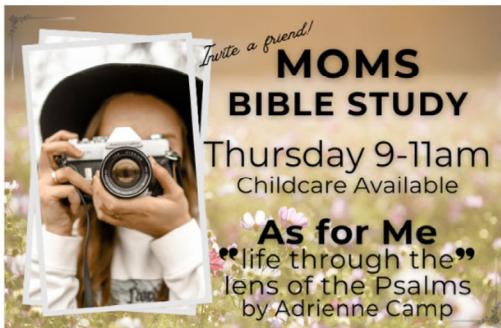
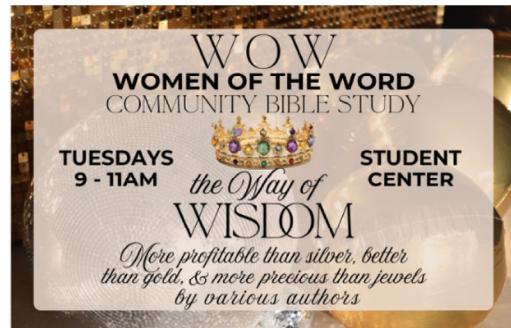
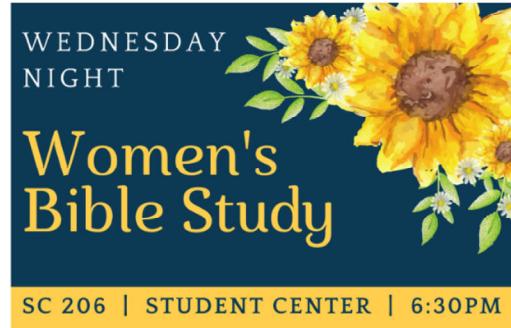
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The Gospel of  
**mark**  
Mark 3



**SC** Student Center

**EC** Education Center (above office)

**FH** Fellowship Hall





## Welcome

Welcome to Reedley MB. We're pleased to have you join us today for our worship service. It's our prayer that you will meet the living God in this place as we hear from the Word of God. We are here to **GLORIFY** God, **GROW** together as equipped disciples of Jesus Christ, and **GO** proclaim His gospel to all. If you have questions, please ask, check our app, scan the digital QR code on the back of the Bulletin, or stop by the Welcome counter in the main foyer of the sanctuary.

## The Perk Cafe

Sunday, 10:20-11am  
Invite a friend to join you for a specialty coffee/drink in the Student Center at The Perk! Skip the Line and order online by 9:30AM.



## Upcoming Events

We have lots of upcoming events! Don't miss out: check [reedleymbc.org](http://reedleymbc.org) or the Info Phone Line at 559-354-6672.

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## WORSHIP TODAY

**Sunday - January 25, 2026**

Today, Pastor Jeff Wheeland will present six compelling reasons for why it is beneficial for us to "follow Jesus." Our scripture passage for today can be found in Mark 3.

## MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

Our Missionary of the week is Johann, serving as Multiply's Regional Team Leader for Europe and Central Asia, resourcing Multiply workers and projects in this region. As a member of the ministry team with ICOMB (International Community of Mennonite Brethren), he mobilizes regional and global partners, churches, and schools for world mission. He also serves on Multiply's Global Lead Team. Please continue to pray for Johann as he travels and in his responsibilities with ministry.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pray for **Jackie Balakian and her family** as her mom, Marilyn Hill, went home to be with the Lord early Monday morning. Pray for God's peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Pray for **the family of Gerald Johnson** who went home to be with the Lord. Pray for comfort and peace for his daughter Greta, and the family during this difficult time. The Graveside service will be January 28 at 10am at the Reedley Cemetery, followed by a memorial service at 11am at RMBC.

### Hymn Sing at Palm Village

You're invited to join others in the Palm Village Chapel on Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at 6pm for an old fashioned hymn sing.

### Special Church Business Meeting

The Church Council and Trustees are calling a Special Church Business Meeting for February 8 at 12pm. This will be concerning the Sanctuary Remodel and will update the Church on where we are financially as well as if we are on track to begin the project this summer. We may need to have Church action to proceed if the funds have not reached the anticipated level.

### Sunday Morning Ministry Month

Please set aside the month of February to pray for new volunteers. We are seeking instrumentalists, vocalists, video mixers, camera operators, sound mixers, and slide operators. Is God calling you to serve on Sunday Mornings? Please contact [raymy.krumrei@reedleymbc.org](mailto:raymy.krumrei@reedleymbc.org) for more details.

## STEWARDSHIP

Morning Worship: 1/18/26	555
Morning Worship: 1/11/2023	609
Annual Goal	\$2,208,364
Giving YTD (43%)	\$960,625
Giving Ahead of Budget	\$111,255

## GIVING @ RMBC

- Text reedleymbc to 1-888-364-4483
- [reedleymbc.org](http://reedleymbc.org) > Give
- RMBC App > Giving
- U S Postal Service
- Office, M-F, 8:30-5pm

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Sunday School** - Join us for a morning of learning, fellowship, and spiritual growth. We look forward to seeing you! Children's Center: Ages 3 & 4 in the Mountain Top Room, PreK-K: River Room, Grades 1st & 2nd: Garden Room, Grades 3rd & 4th: Vineyard Room, Student Center: Grades 5th & 6th upstairs in SC 208.

**Nursery (birth through Age 2):** Children's Center, as well as a parent room in the foyer of the sanctuary, next to the Women's Restroom.

**Children's Church (Age 3 through Kindergarten):** Children meet in the breezeway when dismissed from the worship service. Children's Church is in the Tree Top Room in the Children's Center.

**Kingdom Kids (1st - 3rd grade):** Children meet in the breezeway when dismissed from the worship service. Kingdom Kids is in the Vineyard room in the Children's Center.

Contact [tami.hawkins@reedleymbc.org](mailto:tami.hawkins@reedleymbc.org) for more information.

## STUDENT MINISTRIES

**Due to Winter Camp Junior High and High School Sunday School classes are canceled today. Please join the missions presentation in EC 204 as an alternative class.**

**Junior High Wednesday** - Please contact JH Team Leader, Jake Balakian, 559-305-4200 to receive weekly updates through text messages (GroupMe).

**Senior High Wednesday** - Please contact Youth Pastor, Andrew Edmonds at 559-672-8075 to receive weekly updates through text messages (GroupMe).

## COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULT

**Sunday School** is back in our regular class in the Student Center, SC 202 at 10:40am.

**Sunday Nights** - Will meet downstairs in the Student Center at 6pm.

## MEN'S MINISTRY

**Forged Men's Group: Mondays at 7pm in the Student Center.** Hey Men! Our mission is the same: pursue a stronger walk with Jesus. Together, we'll challenge, encourage, and strengthen one another. Real men. Real faith. Real growth.

**Cross Trainers Basketball:** Wed. at 7pm, Immanuel

**Pickleball:** Thursdays at 7pm, at the RMBC Court.

Contact [mike@reedleymbc.org](mailto:mike@reedleymbc.org) for more information.

**Sanctuary Remodel** - Our church family has been blessed with a beautiful campus, and as a body of believers, we are called to faithfully steward and care for our main worship space. We've already taken important steps with the installation of new screens and speakers. To complete the project, we need \$200,000 in addition to pledged funds to move forward with the final phase. We invite you to prayerfully consider giving: every gift, large or small, makes a meaningful difference in creating a space that better supports people as they see, hear, and respond to the good news of Jesus. To view concept images, learn more, or to give or pledge toward the remodel, please scan the QR code.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

**We had a great time at the Soup & Swap last Tuesday!** Many went home with treasures!!

**Never Alone Widow's Ministry** invites all widows of any age and stage to a Valentine's Brunch on Saturday, February 7th, from 10-11:30am. Come enjoy beautifully decorated tables, a delicious brunch, a guest speaker, and special music by the McIntyre girls. No reservation needed.

**WOW Community Bible Study** meets Tuesdays from 9-11am in the Student Center. Join us for an 8 week study on the book of Proverbs called, "The Way of Wisdom" by various authors. Come enjoy coffee, worship, video teaching, small group discussion, and prayer. All ladies are welcome.

**Wednesday Night Women's Bible Study** meets upstairs in the Student Center, Room SC 206, from 6:30-8pm. Women of all ages are welcome to join us for a 10 week study in the Gospel of Mark, "Knowing Jesus as Servant."

**MOMS Bible Study** will meet Thursday, January 29, 9-11am.

We would love to have you join us as we study Session One of "As For Me - Life through the Lens of the Psalms" a video study by Adrienne Camp. Books are available for a suggested donation of \$20. The Perk opens at 8:45. A snack will be provided. Childcare for infants through Kindergarten in the RMBC Nursery. Facilitators are Ann Riddle and Margie McNulty.

**Bible Recap** is a small group of ladies that meet weekly in a home to read and discuss the Bible together. Contact Tonya Goertzen at 559-6859-5138 for time and location.

Contact [michelle.hiett@reedleymbc.org](mailto:michelle.hiett@reedleymbc.org) for more

**Bilingual Sunday Spanish Class:** meets in EC 217, 10:40am, led by Pastor Pablo Castillo.

## SUPPORT A FAMILY SERVING MISSIONS

A Reedley-based MB Missions family is looking for housing arrangements for their son, a senior, who wishes to attend Reedley High School. If you're interested, please contact the church office for more information.



Follow Jesus!

Mark 3 (page 838)

Pastor Jeff Wheeland

January 25, 2026

Reason #1: Follow Jesus because he \_\_\_\_\_  
(1-12)

Reason #2: Follow Jesus because he \_\_\_\_\_  
(13)

Reason #3: Follow Jesus because he \_\_\_\_\_  
(14-21)

Reason #4: Follow Jesus because he \_\_\_\_\_  
(22-27)

Reason #5: Follow Jesus because he \_\_\_\_\_  
(28-30)

Reason #6: Follow Jesus because he \_\_\_\_\_  
(31-35)

Other scriptures:

- Hebrews 13:8
- 1 Corinthians 1:26
- Romans 13:14
- Matthew 28:19-20
- 1 Corinthians 3:5
- Ephesians 2:10
- Mark 3:31-35
- Psalm 32:8
- Romans 10:9