



Jennings Road Church of Christ
 1124 Jennings Road, Van Wert, OH
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 Pastor David Ray, Jr.
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January Sermon Series
Restoring the Rainbow Pt 1

Genesis - The Life of Noah

January begins a new year, and a new study of the life of Noah! We start at the beginning, before he was born to see that we are just like him - born with a purpose larger than we can imagine. Are you ready for the adventure of a lifetime? If so, be warned...the storms are coming, start building your ark!

Jan 1 New Year's Baby Gen 5:28-32

All parents of newborns are excited for the potential that their new baby holds. Noah, on the other hand, was given a very specific future goal that was bigger than he could have wished: to provide hope for the entire Jewish race. Oh, is that all? How do we handle unrealistic expectations of overbearing parents, and more importantly, how do we handle the seemingly unrealistic expectations of our heavenly Father?

Jan 8 One Ugly Baby Gen 6:2-8

Sooooooo...angels have sex with humans, and their babies become heroes...and it makes God mad. Huh? When did the Bible become a prequel for the Game of Thrones? What could we possibly learn from one of the weirdest passages of Scripture? Simple...sin is never something that God tolerates, and wait until you see the plan he sets into motion to solve our problem.

Jan 15 Baby Safe Gen 6:9-22

God tells Noah the bad news: he's going to wipe out humanity from the earth in a massive flood. (Thanks God! Good talk.) The good news: Noah, his family, and two of every animal will be safe. What do you do when everything is falling apart around you? Do what Noah did: "everything the Lord commanded him."

Jan 22 Big Baby Gen 7:6-24

The rains came down. The floods came up. God does exactly as he promised, and wipes out almost all of humanity. Acting like a big baby much? What do we do when it seems like God is punishing us? How do we possibly ride out the storms of life when all is threatening to drown us?

Jan 29 5th Sunday Celebration! Food!



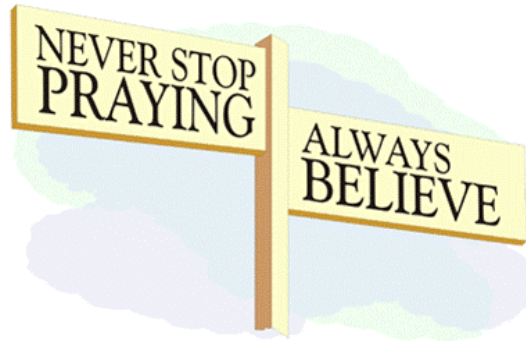
Winter Jam coming in March, are you going? More information coming soon from Matt L. so try to listen next time he is talking! 😊



Overnighter coming this February! Younger kids will be invited to come for the evening and older kids staying the night. We promise to have fun and tire out the kids and then pump them full of sugar before you pick them up to go home to bed!

I want to thank the people who volunteered to teach in January so I can spend the month enjoying church with my wife and family. I enjoy what I do with the Kids very much and I don't want to lose the Joy I get from skipping church. I will be taking a break and then jumping back into teaching about Noah and the Flood in February. Youth Group will start back up January 8th @ 2pm. We have a lot going on this spring and need a commitment from you, the parents, to get the kids to youth group.

We have several kids moving up to Junior High who will be joining the youth group this year! Fundraisers coming up to help kids with activities and trips. Any and all ideas for activities or events are very appreciated!



Prayer Requests & Praises

Pastor Dave - health
Rosie Miracle - health
Jerry Miracle - health
Jerry Smith - health
Christian Niece - cancer
Jenny Glaze - health
Ralph Jesse - health
Kathy Keltner - recovery from a fall
Donna Klinger - Lupus
Deb Bledsoe - recovery from shoulder surgery
Alicia Voors - recovery from heart surgery
Wilma Peterson - Parkinson's disease
Cassie Alvarez - pneumonia
All cancer Patients
Unspoken prayers...

Jeffrey Kinner - Navy - Deployed
Josh Ray - Marines - Camp Lejeune, NC
Ryan Munoz - Marines - San Diego, CA
Please remember all military men, women, Veterans and their families!



***Please let Anita Searl know of any changes needed
to the prayer request list.
Thank you!***



January Birthdays

- 2 Ramon Benavidez
- 5 Olivia Ramos
- 9 Matt Mills
- 15 Sara Sharninghouse
- 17 Caleb Bledsoe
- 22 Celia Diaz
- 30 Vickie Schulte
- 31 Kim Dowdy

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5th Sunday Celebration - Sunday, January 29, 2017

Join us immediately following Worship on Sunday, January 29th for Food and Fellowship!



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1124 Jennings Road - Van Wert, OH 45891 {419} 238-2138
Sunday School 9:00 a.m. / Worship 10:00 a.m.
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Pastor: David Ray, Jr.
Elders: Keith Langdon Earl Bledsoe Matt Langdon

Ministry Leaders:

Music/Worship: Matt Langdon
Administrative: Anita Searl
Maintenance/Servers: Greg Roberts
Financials: Johnna Roberts
Hospitality: Jamie Ramos
Deb Bledsoe

We Believe...

...that Jesus Christ is the one and only Son of God, who died for our sins and rose from the dead.
1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 3:16

...that the Bible is the inspired Word of God - a lamp unto our feet and light unto our path.
2 Timothy 3:16; Psalm 119:105

...that every person has worth in God's eyes, and that all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God.
Romans 3:23

...that forgiveness of sins and the promise of eternal life are available to those who trust in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.
John 3:16

...that those accepting Christ should repent of sin, confess their faith, and be baptized by immersion into Him.
Romans 10:9; Acts 2:38

...that the church is the body of Christ on earth, empowered by the Holy Spirit to bring the lost to Christ and the saved into a nurturing relationship with Jesus.

Ephesians 4:1-16

The Jennings Road Church of Christ exists to glorify God by turning unchurched people into fully devoted followers of Christ.

January Serving Schedule

Communion Meditation

1/01 Dave Ray
1/08 Matt Langdon
1/15 Matt Mills
1/22 Stuart Ramos
1/29 5th Sunday

Prayer Room

1/01 Bernie
1/08 Earl
1/15 Rosie
1/22 Belinda
1/29 Marie

Greeters:

1/01 Ramon & Rosie
1/08 Rick & Lisa
1/15 Lorraine & Brenda
1/22 Stuart & Jamie
1/29 Josh & Sara

Cleaning

1/01 John / Jen
1/08 Travis / Tracy
1/15 Matt L. & family
1/22 Matt L. & family
1/29

Nursery: Sunday School/Worship Service

Fully equipped nursery available.
Staffed as needed.
For questions, please see Deanna Ray.

Toddler Room

1/01 Danielle Ray
1/08 Candy Clay
1/15 Danielle Ray
1/22 Tracy / Travis
1/29 5th Sunday

Brunch/Communion Prep for January:

Debbie Jessee

Servers for January :

Brenda, Ramon, Travis, Greg

Helpers:

Candy Clay, Dalton Hines, Rick Hines,
Derrin Kuhn, Chad Kraner, Johnathon Young
Drake Hitchcock