

Does the Bible apply to our time?

Introduction. Never before in thirty-plus years of preaching have I witnessed such blatant disregard for God and the Bible. Not only has much of America turned its back on biblical teaching, but also organized religion has increasingly come to believe the Bible is not an authoritative book.

The authority of the Bible. Individuals and religions which scoff at God's Book being authoritative are in rebellion to God! We are commanded to "speak as the oracles of God", understand the will of God, and handle aright God's word (1 Pet. 4: 11, Eph. 5: 17, 2 Tim. 2: 15). God's word is the means of determining whom the Christian fellowships (2 John 9-11).

The applicability of the scriptures is seen in their completeness. The one faith, the gospel system, has been once for all delivered (Jude 3, Eph. 4: 4). The scriptures are "profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works" (2 Tim. 3: 16, 17). Every human creed is condemned and constitutes vain worship (Mk. 7: 1 ff.).

What the Bible says is right, is right today and what the Bible pronounces is wrong, is wrong today. For instance, the Bible teaches pure speech, putting spiritual things first, and living a holy life (Eph. 4: 29, Matt. 6: 33, 2 Cor. 7: 1). Lying, stealing, and fornication are just as wrong today as they were in the First Century (Rev. 21: 8, Eph. 4: 28, 1 Cor. 6: 18). God's moral pronouncements are not dispensational. "The way of transgressors is hard," the wise man wrote (Prov. 13: 15). Man desperately needs guidance because man cannot guide himself (Jere. 10: 23). Furthermore, we shall be judged by Jesus' words (the scriptures, John 12: 48). Yes, the Bible applies to our day!



Order of Worship



Reminder: Prayer Requests can be submitted via the "chat" feature on Zoom during the service.

Songleaders

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song # 300 -
Praise Him! Praise Him! (EC)

Song # 366 -
By Christ Redeemed (EC)

Lord's Supper

Kids 4 Kids (Duane)
Children Dismissed for Bible Hour
(3 yrs. old thru the 3rd grade)

Prayer Requests

Song # 478 - Nearer, Still Nearer (JT)

Scripture Reading -
Psalms 46

Sermon by: Darryl Darden

"God is Our Refuge"

Song of Invitation # 905 -
Yield Not to Temptation (JH)

Song # 490 -
It Is Well with My Soul (ST)

Closing & Contribution Prayer



This Week's Schedule of Events

** (In person & Zoom)

TODAY

****9:00 a.m. - Bible Class**

(New) 9:00 a.m. - Teen Girls Class
(located in the library)

****10:00 a.m. - Sunday Worship**

****10:00 a.m. - En Linea Servicio de Adoracion (via Facebook Live)**

Monday, June 12, 2023

7:00 p.m. - Spanish Night of Prayer (Zoom)

Wednesday, June 13, 2023

3:00 p.m. Grief Share

Bible Study on Zoom

7:00 p.m. - Adult Bible Study
"Life of Christ in Stereo"

7:00 p.m. - En Linea
Clase Biblica

8:00 p.m. - Youth Bible Study

JUNE

This Week's Birthdays

12th - Mark White

13th - Kendel Lindsey

16th - Michlle Reitmeier

17th - Tristen Rose

17th - Nathaniel Thompson

Father's
Day
June
18th

Pray For Our Military

Brandon Applegate; Matison Brown; Andre Canady; Zack Cantu; Danny Eickmeyer; Robert Farrell; Anthony Guess; Raymond Holguin; Jaehyeong Park; and Robert Rygoza.



Victor Valley Church of Christ Celebrations for 2023

To all of our Church of Christ Children,
we are very proud of you.

Congratulations on all of your awards
and promotions.



Tayden Anouma

Tayden has received the Principal's Honor Roll in both semesters of 6th grade with a 3.9 GPA, i-Ready Award for testing Above Grade Level, and Mock Trial Leadership Award.

Tayden participates as a City League Volleyball Champion for Ages: 10-12. Tayden has been promoted to the 7th grade.



Joshua Cimuchowski

Joshua was recognized for his great attitude and attendance this year. Joshua has been promoted to a new level and program.



Izaya Stoute

Izaya received an award in Track and Field. He was JV Sprinter running the 100, 200 & 400 meters. He also received a Marching Band Certificate & Pin (He played the trumpet.) Izaya maintained his grades though out the year. He attends Granite Hills High School and has been promoted to a Senior next year.

Ja Sean Gramling

Ja Sean was awarded Certification of Recognition - Red Ribbon Week, the Great Kid Award - positive attitude, kind and respectful, and the Teacher Award - Outstanding classroom behavior JaSean has been promoted to the first grade.



Ky Airy Macray

Ky has been promoted to a Sophomore next year.



Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it..

Proverbs 22:6

Yosemite Bible Camp
hosted by West Visalia COC



July 2nd-8th.
Details on the
community board
located in the lobby.

PANTRY NEEDS

Corn Bread and Mac & Cheese.

SAVE THESE DATES

Vacation Bible School

June 27th-29th

Friends & Family Weekend

Sept. 8th-10th

Calico Family Campout

Sept 29th-Oct 1st

Information located in the lobby
on the community board.

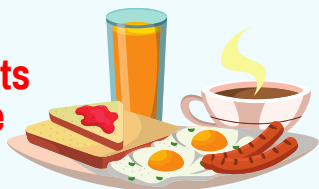
Save the date

Men's Breakfast

All men ages
16 and up are
welcome
to come.

Saturday,
June 17, 2023
@ 8:30 a.m.

Sign-up and
volunteer sheets
located in the
lobby.



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER

Please help fill bags for the children
residing in our local shelter.

We need: toothpaste, toothbrushes, travel-size shampoo & body wash, coloring books & crayons, mini hair brushes, small toys, towels, wash clothes, books, stuffed animals, and they take cash donations. (For cash donation, mark envelope "DVS Bags")

Prayer Requests



Please pray for our church leaders; our congregation; the homeless, and the veterans. Also for our country's leaders, our troops; and the future of our country.

Shut-Ins

Barbara Tidwell; Ida Crawford;
Mattie McCarthy; Sandy Wooten; and Shirley Fales.

Continual Prayers

The Ahumada's; Anthony Avalos; Anthony Hale Jr.; Bette Henderson; Bonnie Klockenteger; Charlie & LaVonne Powell; Chris Lopez; Don Vencill; Felicia Ganaway; Francisco Sr. & Jr.; Gennie Lorenz; Marilyn Heil; Marvin Mason Jr.; Melanie Gammage; and Tyson Crawford.

For those further away

Christina Wityczak (down the hill); Dorothy Condos (Coeur D'alene, ID); Hosia Ford (AR); Marie Guess (NC); Raymond Holguin (CO); Vicki Brown (NM); and Yvonne McClinton (Murrieta, CA).

General

Adella Sanchez; Barbra & Cydney Holliday; Betty Thomas; Carol Gass; Cindy Pelliseir; David & Chelsea Monroy; Dorinda Green; Dorothy Condos; Jerry Owens; Rita Greene; Shirley Fales; Vicki Brown; for the wars to stop; all the children; the vets; and the homeless.

Health

Dan & Jan Hook; Dan Bagley
Don & Melinda Vencill; Leisa Pond; Lynn Rose; Patton Family;
and all who are ill.

Thanksgiving

Eva Wityczak; and Steve & Rose Bliss.

Traveling

Mark & Maua McClellan; Garret & Stephanie White; West Side CofC Mission Group; and the Turner family.

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Eric Cimuchowski - Involvement Minister

Darryl Darden - Pulpit Minister

Carlos Orrala - Spanish Minister

Deacons

Benjamin Lopez - Spanish Ministry

Craig Beck - Security

TBA - Benevolence

Mark White - Greeters & Ushers

Chris Schow - Interior Bldg. Maint.

Mark Gruwell - Teens,

Steve Bliss - Song Leading, Singing

Ministries and Coordinators

Audio Visual

Jake Tess

AVPAC/Lucerne Valley

Johnny Latham

Building Décor

Tianna Smith & Tammy Turner

Calling Ministry

C. Richardson & E. Wityczak

Call Out Ministry

M. Basnight; E. Cimuchowski;
T. Rose; & S. Suba

Children's Bible Hour

TBA

Greif Support

Strech Suba

Historian

Kasie Schow

Kitchen

Pauletta Hobson

Ladies' Ministry

Kim Cimuchowski

Military

Pauletta Hobson & Leisa Pond

Bulletin Mailouts

Marilyn Owens

Worship Coordinator

Jeff Najera

Savior's Kids

Jake & Danelle Tess

Teacher's Workroom

Nina Sutton

Youth Group

Mark & Renee Gruwell

Last Week's Statistics

Financial

Contribution	6/4/23	\$	4,690.01
Contribution	5/28/23	\$	3,711.40
Special Contributions		\$	398.00
Y.T.D. Contribution		\$	181,993.81
Teen Fund		\$	5,106.96
Mission Fund		\$	1,625.55
Scholarship Fund		\$	2,061.09
Kids 4 Kids		\$	118.00

Attendance

A.M. Bible Class	N/A
A.M. Worship	
In Person	124
Via Zoom	12
Wed. P.M. Bible Class	N/A
Mid Week Bible Studies	N/A