

Upcoming Events!

January 6: MomCo (formerly known as MOPS) has resumed for the season meeting the 1st & 3rd Mondays of each month from 9:30-11AM in Classroom 101 off the gym. See Pastor Holly for more details.

January 6-10: Week Of Prayer will be each evening from 6:30- 7:30. Join us!

January 7: Connection Point Recovery is taking a break until the New Year. It will meet weekly at 6:30PM, starting in January. It is a Christ-centered, Bible-based, share-group program of recovery that is designed to help people connect with God and heal from life's struggles, pains, or habits.

January 9: Thursday Morning Bible Study is meeting at 10:30AM in the classroom off the gym. If you have questions, please reach out to Rich Mitchell at richandrae@comcast.net.

January 9: Engage is back! This Wednesday from 5:30-7. The cost is \$3/person or \$10/family. Come on out! Let the kids burn off energy, an activity for kids and have a meal made for you and your family!

January 12 - February 2: Men's & Women's Groups will meet on Sundays at 6PM studying Practicing the Way - Sabbath.

February 7: Night To Shine will be here, at our church. This is going to be a big event! We are looking for many volunteers. Check out the website to register and see the list of options.

Food Pantry Needs: We are looking for donations of canned meats, cereals and soups. These can be dropped off on Sundays during church or to the office Monday-Thursday from 9-3. Thank you!

Weekly Gatherings:

Sunday Service: 9AM & 10:30AM

Kids Service: Sundays Both AM Services

Youth Group: Sundays from 6-7:30PM

Things You Should Know!

Connect Cards can be found in the seat-back pocket in front of you! Please fill it out, take it to the Welcome Center in the Foyer and grab a gift! We want guests to feel welcome and we hope to see you again!

Prayer Requests can be submitted via the website under the Ministries tab. These prayer requests go directly to Pastor Aaron and are confidential.

The Bridge the Gap Fund sign is across from the Café. If you are interested in giving above your tithes/offerings, you may do so by putting donations in the box at the back of the sanctuary or by giving online. Please email the church office for more information.

Church Directory App is available now! If you need help accessing it, please contact the church office and we can work on getting you set up!

Bridge The Gap: Spiritually

Further Reflection for 1/5

1. Have you ever made a New Year's resolution? How did it go?
2. Read Matthew 4:18-20
3. What jumps out to you from the text?
4. Jesus' invitation is to follow him. It was understood as an invitation to be his disciple. Describe all that, that entails.
5. What does Jesus mean by fishing for people? How are you supposed to do that in your life?
6. Read Isaiah 43:1-2; 9-19
7. What jumps out to you from the text?
8. What can you gather about God from verses 10-13?
9. Describe what verses 18 and 19 are saying? What are the implications for you today?
10. Ask God to help you overcome whatever from your past is keeping you from becoming who God has called you to be. Begin each day this week asking God where you are called to "fish"?

Further Reading: Nudge: Leonard Sweet; Practicing the Way: John Mark Comer

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