Sermon
2023 FV Series: God With Us
"God With John the Baptizer" - Part Two
Matthew 3:1-6; 11-17

Continuing our study of Immanuel: God With Us

Let's look at why water was so important to those living under the Old Law.

Reason #1 – Water was there from the very beginning of _____.

Reason #2 – God used the _____ to nourish the Garden of Eden and the world.

Reason #3 – God used water to bring _____ and nourish the Promised Land.

Reason #4 – God used water to describe the coming of the _____.

Reason #5: God flooded the earth but saved Noah and his family _____ the water.

Record for February 19, 2023

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	135
Morning Worship	314
Contribution	$13,263.49
Budget	$15,650.00
Wednesday Evening 2/22	130

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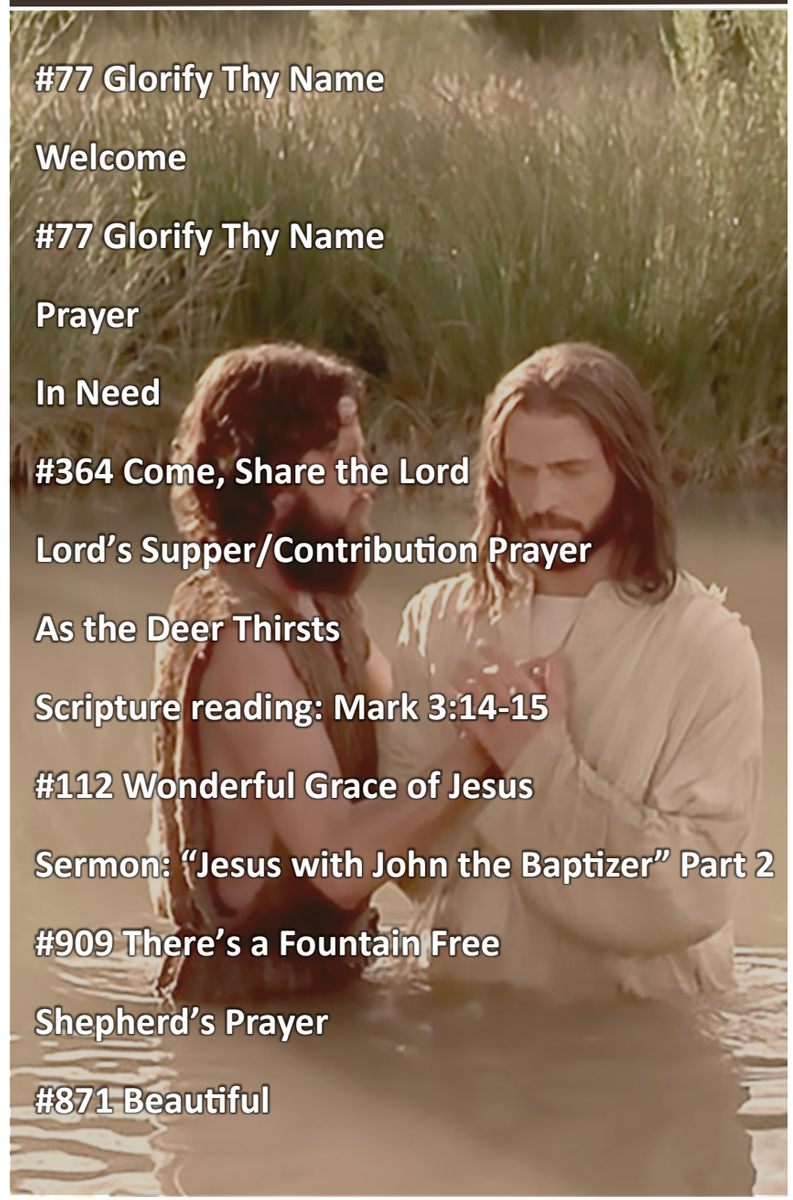
Elder In Charge for the week of:
February 26 -Ken Keiser
March 5 - Rob Moore

Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Classes	7:00 p.m.

Office hours: Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
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FV 2023 GOD WITH US
FAITH VILLAGE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Volume 19, Number 9 Sunday, February 26, 2023



Good Morning!

If this is your first time with us, welcome! Thank you for being our guest today. We're glad you're here.

Scripture Reading
Mark 3:14-15, NIV
14 He appointed twelve that they might be with him and that he might send them out to preach 15 and to have authority to drive out demons.

As February comes to an end...

-The HomeMission January newsletter is available on the Information Center and the tables at each entrance.

-Sonshine House is in need of underwear for children, women and men

Sunday Morning

-**Nursery (birth to 24 months):** Attendants are available during the Sunday and Wednesday classes and services.

-**Children (pre-k -5th grade)** are dismissed for a Bible lesson in the *Red Room of the Children's Hallway* after the scripture reading.

Sunday Afternoon

-**LTC Practice: 4:30** pm, today, in the Youth Center

This Evening Community Outreach

Tuesday

-**Men's Bible Study**: 6:30 pm, Tuesdays, in the Family Center (28)

The Village Youth Upcoming Events (7th-12th grade)

-Monthly Devotional : 6 pm tonight at the Redding's house. Van will leave from the YC at 5:50 for those needing a ride. Girls bring drinks. Guys bring desserts.

-Coffee Talks: 3-4 pm Monday, Feb. 27th, at Frank & Joes on Kemp!

-Hangout & Dinner: 4-7 pm, Wednesday, March 1st, in the YC! BBQ sandwiches will be served at 6 pm for $3 a student.



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS SUNDAY, MARCH 12.
REMEMBER TO SET YOUR CLOCKS FORWARD **SATURDAY, MARCH 11.**

A new class for ladies, "Sharing Your Story," will begin on Wednesday, March 1st. We hope you'll join us for this special time of Christian sisters sharing inspiring and encouraging stories of faith. There are still spots available for speakers (we will have two 10-15 minute talks each Wednesday evening). If you'd be willing to share your story of how God has impacted and worked in your life, please contact Cheri Rix or LaDonna Fowler.

March begins…

Wednesday, March 1st

(Spring Quarter begins. Watch for more class information to come)

- **Ladies Bible Class**: 10 am in the Family Center
- **FC-3: Men's Class**: 7 pm Various men - "Favorite Bible Passages"
- **FC-1: Women's Class**: 7 pm Various women - "Sharing Your Story"

Sunday morning March 5:

Friend's & Family Day:

All adults meet in the auditorium *for a special Bible class,* followed by our worship assembly, free BBQ luncheon and a devotional which **will serve as our evening service.** *Invite friends and family members to attend!* **FV members please bring a dessert** to the meal.

Sunday Evenings

March 12: Fellowship Families
March 19: 6 pm Worship
March 26: Community Outreach

Monday

Reminder: ***WESTVIEW Boys Home*** pickup date is **March 6.**

Tuesday

Men's Bible Study: 6:30 pm, in the Family Center (March 7, 14, 21, 28)

Wednesday

- Ladies Bible Class: 10 am in the Family Center
- FC-3: Men's Class: 7 pm Various men - "Favorite Bible Passages"
- FC-1: Women's Class: 7 pm Various women - "Sharing Your Story"

Saturday

Team Sew's Sewing Saturday: 10:00 am, in the Family Center (March 18) Team Sew meets every 3rd Saturday of the month.

Information as of cutoff time: *12:00 pm*, *Thursday*, 2/23

Please continue to keep the following in your *prayers, thoughts & deeds and add to your ongoing prayer list.*

Hospitals, Rehab, & Hospice Facilities

-United Regional Health Care System: **Kira Davidson**, 940
Bob Scates, 811

Prayers Requested

-Connie Bangs: Released from rehab and has returned to her Royal Estates apartment.

-Robert Cabe: Recovery from side effects of recent seizure event.

-Kira Davidson: URHCS room 940 (on an insulin drip line, closely monitoring blood pressure and blood sugar)

-Marty Fleming: Continued recovery from recent surgery on Monday, Feb 20.

-Jamie Fulton: Recovery from gamma knife procedure on Feb 22. Pray for good results at her follow up MRI in 3 months.

-Kim Lemons: Continued recovery from recent surgery on Monday, Feb 20.

-Eddie & Linda Martinez: Complete recovery from recent omicron illness

-Sandy Person: Recover and regain strength after recent surgery. (Requests no visitors)

-Milka Rumbo: Continued healing from shingles to the face and eye.

-Vince Vogt: Prayers for recovery from recent oral surgery.

Thanks and Gratitude

My loving family, I want to thank you all for all the cards, thoughts and prayers that have been sent on my behalf during my recent health issues. I feel very blessed to belong to such a loving and caring family. Your sister in Christ, **Robin Noey**

Sympathy

Our sympathy to David & *Debbie* Owen and *Michael* & Suzanne Long and their families in the loss of **Jan Crowley,** who passed away Monday, February 20. Her memorial service will be held Tuesday, February 28 at 6:00 pm at the Owens & Brumley chapel.