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ONE LIFE
CAN CHANGE
THE WORLD

*Tennessee Valley Community Church
2500 E. Wood Street, Paris, TN 38242
731-641-8822
www.tvcc.us*

*Sunday Celebrations:
8:00 a.m. Classic Worship
9:30 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. Contemporary
For a staff member on call: 731-336-8614
(after hours emergency)*



WELCOME

TO

Tennessee Valley Community Church

Steve Gallimore, Pastor

Thank you for joining us today! We are so glad you came to share in our celebration!

We start with music to give you a lift from a tough week. After the music, you'll hear a message that focuses on real life issues.

We would love to know more about you! Please complete the Connection Card and drop it in the offering.

Offering – The offering is an opportunity for TVCC members and regular attenders to worship God through financial giving. Guests, please do not feel obligated to give. Instead, we hope we are able to give something to you today!

Children's Ministry Information – All children, infants through 5th grade, meet in the lower level.
**Parents, we encourage you to take advantage of our children's department during the worship service. If you choose to bring your small children into the worship service, please sit in the rear of the auditorium. Should they become disruptive, we have provided monitors for your viewing in Connection Point.*

Youth Ministry Information – TVCC Youth Group meets on Wednesday nights from 6:15 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. The youth group welcomes students in 6th through 12th grades.

Discovering How To Connect at TVCC

Why be a member? What difference does membership make? What do we believe at TVCC? Why do we do what we do here? Join Pastor Steve and Marilyn Sunday, February 13, immediately following the 11:00 a.m. service, as they introduce you to TVCC. At the end of the class, you will be given the opportunity to sign up for membership. Lunch and childcare is provided. Please check the Connection Card if you plan to attend.

Discovering How to Grow at TVCC

Why should we grow in our relationship with God? What difference does it make? When the pressure of life comes against you, what do you do? If you have completed "Discovering How to Connect at TVCC," join Ken Wells Sunday, February 13, immediately following the 11:00 a.m. service. Lunch and childcare is provided. Please check the Connection Card if you plan to attend.

TVCC Online During the winter months, we will have church services regardless of the weather unless there is a power outage. If you are unable to make it to church for any reason, be sure to watch the service of your choice, 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., or 11:00 a.m. online at www.tvcc.us. The bulletin and the sermon notes are posted online as well. Also, while watching, click on the viewing screen and once on Livestream, use the Facebook and Twitter links to invite your friends to worship with you. There is also a place on the TVCC website to give online.

Memory Verse

www.tvcc.us

Announcements

Date Night Friday night, February 11, at 6:00 p.m. we will be having a couples dinner and movie night. Make plans now to attend. Dinner is Prime rib. Tickets are \$25 per couple and can be purchased in the bookstore. Seating is limited so get your tickets early. Childcare is provided.

Women's Study A women's step-study is meeting on Tuesdays, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., downstairs in room 204. This step-study is open to anyone in the community. You do not have to attend Celebrate Recovery to go through the steps. If you are interested, please contact Lila Williams at lwilliams@tvcc.us or 731-641-8822. Childcare is provided.

Men's Bible Study Meets on Wednesday mornings at 6:00 a.m. in *Connection Point*, with breakfast beginning at 7:00 a.m. We are currently studying the Gospel of John.

Women's Bible Study There are currently 3 groups to choose from: Mondays at 7:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., and Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. in *Connection Point*. We are currently studying Women of the Old Testament. This week we are studying about Miriam - Numbers 12. Join us before work or on your lunch break. A light breakfast and lunch is served.

Celebrate Recovery Join us on Thursday nights, at 6:30 p.m., for a Biblically based 12 step program. Childcare is provided. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Lila Williams at lwilliams@tvcc.us or 731-641-8822.

Celebration Station Prepare your child to overcome obstacles that could lead to hurts, hang-ups, or habits now and in the future! Celebration Station meets on Thursday nights, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., and is for children ages 5 to 13. Children meet new friends, share ideas, play games, sing songs, create crafts, watch videos, and most important of all, they learn about God's amazing love for them.

Inclement Weather When youth is cancelled due to the school (city or county) being out, there will be no other Wednesday night activities at church. This includes all small groups.

February 8, will be Helping Hands Day for TVCC.

Please have your items at the Enoch Building before 9:00 a.m. or someone will be at the TVCC office between 6:00 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. to receive your items.

Complete the information on the front of this slip, and tape to your item.

Don't forget to listen from 12:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on WTPR AM710. To place a bid call 644-1695.

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TVCC Helping Hand Day – February 8! Items can be baked goods, arts, crafts, meal baskets etc. Use the labels in the bulletin to mark your items. Take your items to the Enoch building before 8:30 a.m. or drop them off at TVCC on your way to work. Someone will be in the office from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. to receive your items. If you have any questions, please call the office at 731-641-8822.

To bid on items, call 644-1695.

Small Groups New small groups will be starting in February to go along with the new series: Roommates, Bad Dates, & Great Mates. Following is a list of the new groups:

1. A Military Group for active duty and drill reservists will meet on Tuesday nights beginning February 15 at 6:00 p.m. in room 203.
2. A Dresden group for anyone that lives in the Dresden area. They will meet on Sunday night at 6:00 p.m.
3. A Huntingdon group for anyone that lives in the Huntingdon area. They will meet on Wednesday nights at 6:00 p.m.
4. A TVCC small group is meeting on Tuesday nights at 6:00 p.m. in room 205.
5. A Paris group meets on Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m.
6. A Singles small group will begin meeting on Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m. in room 3

Please check the Connection Card for the appropriate group you are interested in and someone will contact you.

Truth Project Two new groups are going to be starting the Truth Project. One will meet on Sunday nights at 6:00 p.m. and the other group will meet on Tuesday nights at 6:00 p.m. Both groups will be at TVCC. Please check the Connection Card if you are interested in any of these groups.

The Map If you feel like you have lost your way in life and need direction, or just want to grow deeper in your relationship with Christ, we have something for you, “The Map”. This is a nine week class beginning Tuesday, February 8, from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in room 204. This class is limited to the first ten individuals that sign-up. Check the Connection Card to sign-up.



DATE: _____

ITEM: _____

NAME: _____

COMPLETE DESCRIPTION: _____



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• **THE MORALITY LADDER**

“God says he will accept and acquit us – declare us ‘not guilty’ – if we trust Jesus Christ to take away our sins... no matter who we are or what we have been like.”
Romans 3:22 (LB)

• **THE INVITATION** (next Sunday)

Today:

“And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he (Jesus) is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”
Acts 10:42-43 (ESV)

“Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.” **Acts 2:38 (ESV)**

“That if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.”
Romans 10:9-10 (NKJV)

“You, however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him.”
Romans 8:9 (ESV)

“...They should repent and turn to God, performing deeds in keeping with their repentance.”
Acts 26:20 (ESV)

NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO...

- Memorize Colossians 4:5-6.
 - Pray and commit to God to be "ready" to share my faith at any time.
 - Attend Discovering How to Connect @ TVCC - February 13
 - Attend Discovering How to Grow @ TVCC - February 13
 - I will support TVCC Helping Hand day, February 8 by baking & bidding
- Sign-up for: Dresden small group Military small group Singles small group
 Huntingdon small group TVCC small group
 Paris small group Truth Project Sunday Night
 Truth Project on Tuesday night Map Class

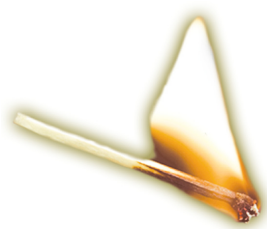


MY READINESS CAN CHANGE THE WORLD

Steve Gallimore — Senior Pastor — pastorsteve@tvcc.us

Acts 8:26-38 – The Story of Philip & the Ethiopian

²⁶ Now an angel of the Lord said to Philip, “Rise and go toward the south to the road that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza.” This is a desert place. ²⁷ And he rose and went. And there was an Ethiopian, a eunuch, a court official of Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, who was in charge of all her treasure. He had come to Jerusalem to worship ²⁸ and was returning, seated in his chariot, and he was reading the prophet Isaiah. ²⁹ And the Spirit said to Philip, “Go over and join this chariot.” ³⁰ So Philip ran to him and heard him reading Isaiah the prophet and asked, “Do you understand what you are reading?” ³¹ And he said, “How can I, unless someone guides me?” And he invited Philip to come up and sit with him. ³² Now the passage of the Scripture that he was reading was this: “Like a sheep he was led to the slaughter and like a lamb before its shearer is silent, so he opens not his mouth. ³³ In his humiliation justice was denied him. Who can describe his generation? For his life is taken away from the earth.” ³⁴ And the eunuch said to Philip, “About whom, I ask you, does the prophet say this, about himself or about someone else?” ³⁵ Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning with this Scripture he told him the good news about Jesus. ³⁶ And as they were going along the road they came to some water, and the eunuch said, “See, here is water! What prevents me from being baptized?” ³⁷ ³⁸ And he commanded the chariot to stop, and they both went down into the water, Philip and the eunuch, and he baptized him.
Acts 8:26-38 (ESV)



Ignite Principle

God uses me when I am prepared to be used!

3 STEPS TO BEING READY TO CHANGE THE WORLD

1. BE _____ GOD WANTS ME TO BE.

(Physical Readiness)

And the Spirit said to Philip, "Go over and join this chariot."

Acts 8:29

2. BE _____ OF WHO GOD WANTS ME TO INVEST IN. *(Spiritual Readiness)*

So Philip ran to him and heard him reading Isaiah the prophet and asked, "Do you understand what you are reading?"

And he said, "How can I, unless someone guides me?" And he invited Philip to come up and sit with him.

Acts 8:30-31

3. BE _____ TO SHARE MY FAITH AT ANY TIME. *(Intellectual Readiness)*

And the eunuch said to Philip, "About whom, I ask you, does the prophet say this, about himself or about someone else?"

Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning with this Scripture he told him the good news about Jesus.

Acts 8:34-35

5 WAYS TO BE READY TO SHARE MY FAITH AT ANYTIME:

- **MY STORY** (Listen to Ignite Week 1 "My Story Can Change the World" at tvcc.us)
- **THE BRIDGE**

"Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life."

John 5:24 (ESV)

- **DO VERSUS DONE**

"For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast."

Ephesians 2:8-9 (ESV)