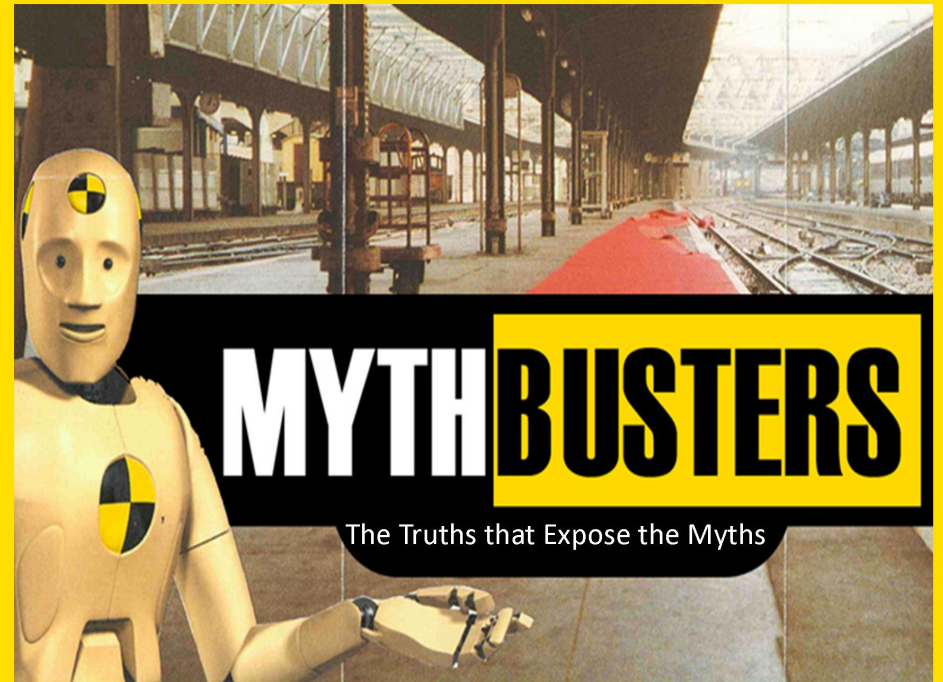


NOTES:



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Sunday Celebrations:

8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., or 11:00 a.m.

For a staff member on call: 731-336-8614

Week 1 - The Truth About the Resurrection

Week 2 - The Truth About God

Week 3 - The Truth About Your Pain

Week 4 - The Truth About Satan

Week 5 - The Truth About the Church

Week 6 - The Truth About What You Believe

"Have nothing to do with irreverent, silly myths. Rather train yourself for godliness." 1 Timothy 4:7 (ESV)

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.

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TOMORROW'S HOPE PREGNANCY HELP CENTER

Walk for Life will be Saturday, May 14, in the parking lot of Tomorrow's Hope on Brewer Street. You can participate in the 2 mile walk or the 5k run or bike ride. For additional information or to sign up, please see Angie James after each service in ***Connection Point***.



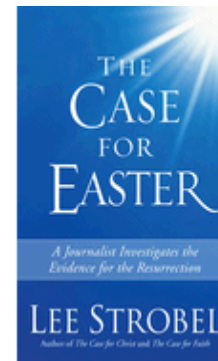
MOTHER'S DAY is NEXT SUNDAY!!!

As our gift to you, we would like to provide each family with a complimentary 5x7 family portrait or children's portrait for Mother's Day. The portraits will be taken on Mother's Day, May 8. We will be taking pictures downstairs in the Life

Group rooms from 9:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Please allow time, before or after your normal service time, to bring your family downstairs for their picture to be taken. We will not be taking pictures after 10:45 a.m. so that the volunteers can enjoy Mother's Day with their families. Pictures will be available in two weeks in ***Connections Bookstore!***

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Discovery



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 Marylin **TODAY**, as they introduce you to TVCC. At the end of the class, you will be given the opportunity to sign up for membership. We will meet immediately following the 11:00 a.m. service. Lunch and childcare provided.

Ordination Service TVCC will celebrate another first in our church history as we ordain Carlton Gerrell and Ken Wells in a special service, May 15, at 6:00 p.m. This act follows the Biblical mandate of “laying on of hands,” which was to be done by the pastors/elders to affirm their suitability for and acceptance into public ministry. Ordination was to be carried out, only after a period of testing, being affirmed in their walk as followers of Christ, which these men have certainly done. Paul writes in Titus 1:5 to “...appoint elders in every town.” They were instructed in Acts 13:2 to “set them apart,” and in 1 Timothy 4:14 to “...lay hands on them.” We hope you will all plan on being here at 6:00 p.m., May 15, for this very special service. If you have been ordained and still maintain the qualifications of ordination, we invite you to be a part of the ordaining council at 5:00 p.m.

Memory Verse



Announcements

Youth Skate Night The youth will be meeting at the Paris Skating Rink on Wednesday, May 11. The cost for this event is \$6 which includes skates and food. The youth are responsible for their own transportation. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Kim Walden, cell 731-234-0214, email kwalden@tvcc.us, or by calling the church office at 731-641-8822.

Men’s Bible Study A 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 3 groups to choose from: Mondays at 7:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. and Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. The Monday groups will be studying Biblical Role Model & Expectations. The Tuesday group will be studying the Proverbs 31 Woman. Join us in *Connection Point* before work or on your lunch break. A light breakfast or 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.

Celebrate Recovery Step–Study A women’s step-study meets on Wednesday nights from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., downstairs. If you are interested, please contact Lila Williams at lwilliams@tvcc.us or 731-641-8822. Childcare will be provided.



TVCC Food Drive The TVCC semi-annual Food Drive to benefit the Henry County Food Bank will be Friday, and Saturday, May 13, and 14. Please call the office at 731-641-8822 to sign-up.

THE TRUTH ABOUT GOD

Myth Busters: The truths that Expose the Myths - Part 2

Steve Gallimore | pastorsteve@tvcc.us

May 1, 2011

1. MYTH #1: "GOD IS UNREASONABLE"

(God) *"You may freely eat the fruit of every tree in the garden—except the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. If you eat its fruit, you are sure to die." . . .*

Gen. 2:16-17 (NLT)

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(Satan) *"Did God really say that you must not eat fruit from ANY tree in the garden?" Gen. 3:1 (NCV)*

THE TRUTH: GOD IS A _____ FATHER.

"God is good to everyone, and his compassion is intertwined with everything he does." Ps. 145:9 (LB)

"God's compassion never ends. It is only his mercies that have kept us from complete destruction." Lam. 3:22 (LB)

"Delight yourself in the Lord and he will give you the desires of your heart." Ps. 37:4 (ESV)

". . . God richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment." 1 Tim. 6:17(NIV)

"Since he did not spare even his own Son for us . . . won't God also surely give us everything else?" Rom 8:32 (LB)

2. MYTH #2: "GOD IS UNRELIABLE"

(Eve) *"God says we must not eat it ...or we'll die." (Satan)*

"That's a lie! You'll not die! God knows very well the instant you eat it you'll become like him ..." Gen 3:3-5 (LB)

THE TRUTH: GOD IS A _____ FATHER.

". . . God will never go back on his promises." Rom. 11:29 (LB)

"My God is changeless in his love for me ..." Ps. 59:10 (LB)

3. MYTH #3: "GOD IS UNCONCERNED WITH ME"

THE TRUTH: GOD IS A _____ FATHER.

"Not one sparrow can fall to the ground without your Father knowing it." Matt 10:29 (NCV)

"God even knows how many hairs are on your head. So don't worry. You're worth much more than many sparrows."

Matt 10:30-31 (NCV)

(Jesus) *"If anyone loves me, he will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him." John 14:23 (NIV)*

"Don't worry 'What will we eat . . . or drink . . . or wear? People who don't know God keep trying to get these things, and your Father in heaven knows you need them. The thing you should want most is God's kingdom and doing what God wants. Then all these other things you need will be given to you." Matt 6:31-33 (NCV)

4. MYTH #4: "GOD IS UNPLEASABLE"

THE TRUTH: GOD IS A _____ FATHER.

". . . God has accepted you because of what the Lord Jesus Christ and the Spirit have done for you." 1 Cor 6:11 (LB)

"Long ago, even before he made the world, God chose us to be his very own through what Christ would do for us; he decided then to make us holy in his eyes, without a single fault - - we who stand before him covered with his love." Eph 1:4 (LB)

Now God says he will accept and acquit us—declare us "not guilty"—if we trust Jesus Christ to take away our sins. And we all can be saved in this same way, by coming to Christ, no matter who we are or what we have been like.

Romans 3:22 (LB)

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO...

- Memorize Psalms 37:4 (ESV).
- Today, knowing God loves me, I receive Jesus Christ as Lord & Savior of my life.
- Sign me up for the Mother's Day pictures.
- I'm not in a small group but would like to help with the food drive.