

KINGDOM ADVANCEMENT THROUGH EARTHLY RESISTANCE

Pastor Jonathan Armstrong | October 6, 2024

TEXT: Acts 8:1-8

Mark 1:15

The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel.

Acts 1:8

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

#1: THE KINGDOM OF GOD _____ HUMAN PERSECUTION

Acts 22:4; Galatians 1:13

- Persecution + Reservation = Preservation
Matthew 16:18
- Persecution + Proclamation = Multiplication
II Timothy 3:12; II Corinthians 12:9-10; I Thessalonians 3:3-4

#2: THE KINGDOM OF GOD _____ BIBLICAL PROCLAMATION

Galatians 3:28-29; Isaiah 12:4; Luke 4:18-19; Acts 5:42

#3: THE KINGDOM OF GOD _____ EARTHLY SATISFACTION

I Peter 1:8-9; Esther 8:17

LEARNING TO LIVE

- Choose to _____ about Christ.
- Choose to _____ to the countries.
- Choose to _____ to the cause.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Widows and Widowers Luncheon | Today

Enjoy lunch and fellowship following the morning service at Culver's on Broadway and Prudence.

Student Ministry Parent Class | Tonight

Parents of teenagers, join us in the FLC following tonight's service for a brief lesson, snacks and parent discussion for half an hour.

Missions Emphasis Month

Focus on missions with us each Sunday, October 13th-27th as we prepare to commit to another year of faithful missions giving.

Heartfelt Hands Craft Fair | October 12th-13th

Shop for homemade crafts and more while supporting Heartfelt Hands' missions fundraiser at the Angels Too Marketplace located at La Paloma Academy – Lakeside Campus next weekend! Visit the Welcome Tent for a flyer with more details.

Red Cross Blood Drive | October 17th

Our Red Cross Blood Drive is October 17th from 7:00 AM to 12:30 PM in the FLC. Sign up to reserve your appointment. All donors will receive a \$10 gift card.



Project 520 Trunk-or-Treat | October 30th | 5:00 PM

Invite your community to a safe and fun event with lots of candy and an opportunity to hear the gospel! Share the Trunk-or-Treat event on Facebook to help spread the word! Sign up on the church website to decorate your trunk and enter the competition for "Best Overall Design" and "Best Bible Theme." We also would appreciate volunteers to help with the parking team or the greeting team. Donations of individually wrapped candy can be given to the Church Office.

SALT Trip | November 1st

Mark your calendar for the SALT day trip to Phoenix. Signups begin shortly!

Focused on Fitness 5K | November 9th | 9:00 AM

Sign up for the Focused on Fitness 5K to help fundraise for CORE Missions. Be one of the first 100 people to register on the church website and receive a free t-shirt.

Birthdays

6 Joshua Cleary
8 Joseph Guddall
8 Gary Huckleberry
8 Steven Rexford
9 Mavis Coleman
9 Sarah Haines
10 Boston Armah
12 Robbie Edwards
12 Jeanine Lopez

Anniversaries

6 Bob and Kay Crouch
6 Dave and Virginia Deschamps
8 Keith and Belinda Bee
10 Eric and Connie Nelson
11 Ryan and Leah Knight
12 Cade and Amber Newburn