



Don't Give Up at 40

Have you ever noticed how often the number forty appears in the Bible?

It rained for forty days and forty nights during Noah's flood. Moses spent forty days on Mount Sinai. The Israelites wandered in the wilderness for forty years. Goliath taunted Israel for forty days. Jonah warned Nineveh for forty days. Jesus fasted in the wilderness for forty days, and after His resurrection He appeared to His disciples for forty days before ascending into heaven.

In Scripture, forty often represents a season of testing, waiting, preparation, or refinement. Forty is the place where faith is stretched, patience is tested, and perseverance is required.

But there is another number that fascinates me.

Forty-one.

What happened after the forty days of rain? The waters began to recede.

What happened after forty years in the wilderness? Israel entered the Promised Land.

What happened after forty days of Goliath's taunts? David stepped onto the battlefield.

What happened after Jesus' forty days in the wilderness? The devil fled and ministry began.

The lesson is simple but powerful: God does some of His greatest work on Day 41.

Many of us know what it feels like to be stuck in a "Day 40" season. We pray, wait, hope, and wonder when things will change. We ask questions like, "How much longer?" or "Will this ever end?"

The good news of Scripture is that God is never finished at Day 40. What feels like an ending is often preparation for a new beginning.

This summer we will explore some of the Bible's most powerful "40-to-41" stories and discover what they teach us about faith, endurance, hope, and God's perfect timing.

I hope you'll join us as we begin this exciting new series. After all, just because it's Day 40 doesn't mean it's forever.

Don't give up.
Your 41 is coming...

Grace and peace,
Laugh often and Fear not!
David!



Sunday Worship Services
8:30 am – Traditional
10:30 am- Contemporary

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8a-5p M-Th
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Family Ministry News

Youth Group –

No Youth Group Jun. 14th, 21st or 28th
Youth gathering Jun. 16th. See Chris for more details.



Children -

Sunday School Jun. 14th during the second service.

U50s/adults.

Next meeting will be Jun. 14th at 1:00 p.m.



Happy Summer Break!
CJK,III the DFM



Join the MVPC family this Sunday at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
for Virtual Church!

Go to the MVPC webpage @ www.mviewpc.org and select
Facebook or YouTube

CLOSED CAPTION AVAILABLE

Are you missing out on Pastor David's wonderful virtual sermons because you can't hear what is said?
We now know closed caption is available on the YouTube broadcast. Follow the directions below:

On Youtube under the video, where you can start, pause, etc. is a "cc". Click on that to start closed

Temporary Phone Issues at the Church Office

We want to let our church family know that the office is currently experiencing technical difficulties with our phone system. At this time, we're unable to receive or retrieve voicemail messages.

While we work to resolve the issue, the best way to reach us is by email at MVPC@mviewpc.org. We're monitoring the inbox closely and will respond as quickly as possible.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we get everything back up and running.

CHANGE

Divine Dealing
Tuesday's
10am to Noon

JOIN US
 June-July-August

**All are welcome,
 no sign-up required!**

Susan D. Crum

Tapestry Transformation:
 Six Weeks to Strengthen Your G.R.I.T.
(God, Resilience, Inner Drive, and Tenacity)

Informational Meeting

Monday, June 22, 2026
5:30 – 6:00pm | Chapel

All women are invited to attend this meet and greet and learn more about the "Six Weeks to Strengthen Your G.R.I.T." (God, Resilience, Inner Drive, and Tenacity) program.

No commitment, information only.

Sign-up in the Narthex

Questions – email Allison@mviewpc.org

LOAFN Book and Gift Store

Interested in supporting our Youth?
 The LOAFN Book and Gift Store is looking for Volunteers! Great way to meet people

VOLUNTEER

Proceeds from the store support Christian Education programs and Youth Mission trips. The store is open on Sunday after both services. Volunteer for one or two Sundays a month.

Email Chris Kirschman, Dir. of Family Ministry at Chris@mviewpc.org if you are interested in volunteering or have any questions.

Attn: All Single Ladies!

Hosted by: JUST US
 (Ministry Supporting Widows)

Jim the Handyman
HANDYMAN HELP
Q&A

- » Basic Toolkit
- » Basic Repairs
- » Hiring a Handyman

Monday, June 29
1:00 pm
Fellowship Hall
All single ladies welcome!



RightNow Media is a free service offered to MVPC/Guests/Friends. You will have exclusive access to hundreds of Bible studies and topical videos led by world-class teachers along with a multitude of Christian-based videos for your family to enjoy.

It's easy to sign up, email Tami Samek, Ministry Coordinator at Tami@mviewpc.org and she will set you up and you can start accessing great Bible-based studies/videos today! Happy Father's Day

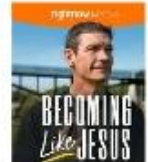
7 Habits of a Godly Father

What is God the Father like, and how can we resemble him better? In this session, Rajiv Chelladurai teaches on the characteristics of God as a father to his children. Rajiv then challenges hearers to demonstrate those same attributes in their own relationships.

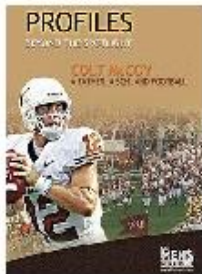


Becoming Like Jesus

The Christian life is not up and to the right but a lifelong series of highs and lows that the Holy Spirit uses to shape us into people who look like Jesus. In this six-session series, pastor and author Matt Chandler guides us through Jesus's beatitudes found in Matthew 5. As we live out our Christian faith, Jesus develops in us a new way of living so we can be people who reflect God's kingdom.



Colt McCoy: A Father, A Son, and Football



In the high-stakes, big-money world of NFL football, players who boldly proclaim their faith in Jesus Christ are not the norm. Then again, Colt McCoy is not your typical player. In *Colt McCoy: A Father, A Son, and Football*, the Cleveland Browns' quarterback puts his

service and commitment to God at the front of the line—even when the going gets tough.

In this original Bible study, the father-son dynamic between Brad and Colt is plainly evident, and it's easy to see how a godly father can influence his son to greatness with the simple knowledge that Christ is the cornerstone. "He's thrown thousands of touchdowns and won so many games, of which I am very proud of ... but to see him grow up and influence people in the world for Christ ... no doubt he's doing kingdom work and I am very proud of that," Brad McCoy said.

Throughout this video, interviewer Chris Schneider's questions reveal this father and son's practical Christian faith in action and show how—no matter what the situation—God can be honored through the circumstances in our lives. Schneider is the sports director and morning drive anchor of 1080 KRLD in Dallas, Texas.

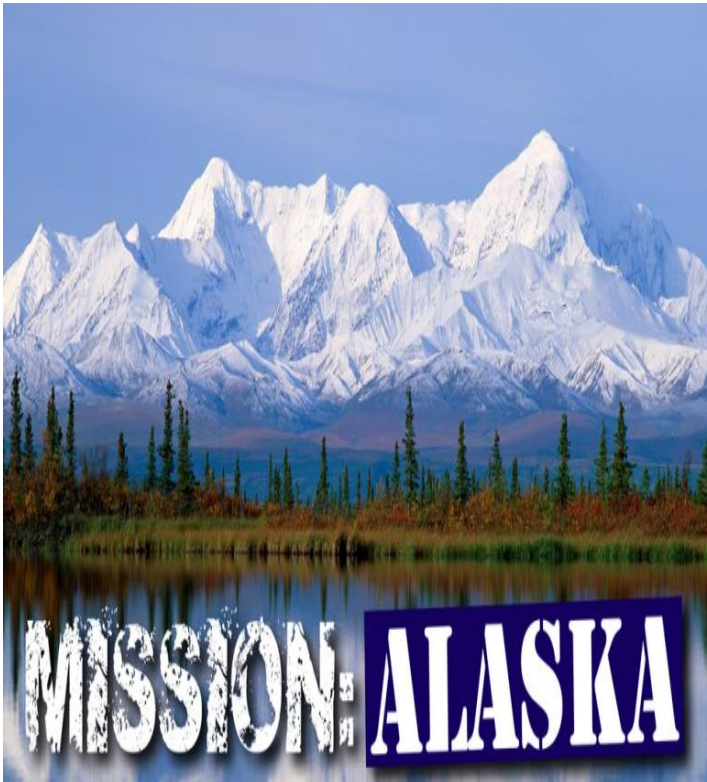
Why Do We Go to Church?

We know that church is important, but why do we need to go to church? With online access to any sermon anywhere in the world with a click of a button, why does it matter that we are connected to a local body of believers? In this five-session series, author and pastor Ben Stuart explores what the church is, the significance of reading the Bible together, the value and purpose of the sacraments, and what genuine and faithful community looks like.



The Bible Made Simple [Overview]

Discover How the Bible Forms One Big Picture – And Transform Your Bible Reading Forever. In just 2 minutes, you'll grasp the core message of the entire Bible, the Old and New Testaments, and every major book category – from the Torah to Revelation. But here's what makes this different: you won't just learn what each section says. You'll see how it all connects to form one coherent big picture.



Do you have any of these Items:

- Small jars of homemade Jam
- An old guitar with hard case

As the Mission Team heads to Alaska they are looking for a few items to enhance the trip.

Please let Chris know by Tuesday if you can help with any of these Items.

As the team travels please keep them in your prayers.

5 Ways to Stay Hydrated This Summer



Set a daily water goal



Start your day with a glass of water



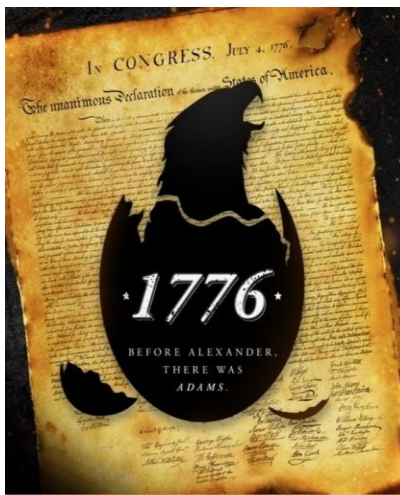
Get a high-quality water bottle



Eat fruits and vegetables



Add electrolytes to your water



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, July 18
8:00pm

Deadline for payment is June 21

"1776", Super Summer Theatre,
Spring Mountain Ranch State Park

- \$38 per person includes ticket, van ride, parking
- \$28 per person includes ticket and drive yourself (additional \$10 at the gate per car for parking)

Sign-up and pay online: www.mviewpc.org

Hosted by Women's Ministry (all church invited)

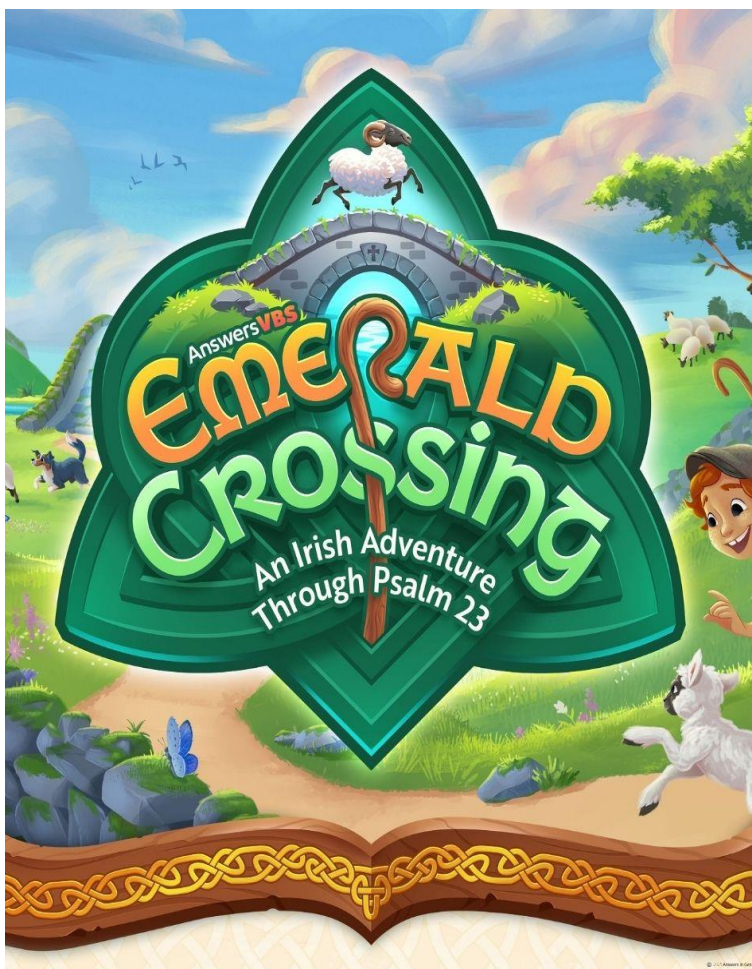
Make your own Sundae

Tuesday, June 23
2:00pm - Fellowship Hall
Sign-up in the Narthex

All women invited!

Invite a friend!

Hosted by Women's Ministry



Vacation Bible School
July 14 - 17 | 9am-3pm
(early drop off 8am)

Register Online: www.mviewpc.org

Mark your calendar and get ready for an Irish adventure through Psalm 23!



\$15 per child

3yrs (potty-trained) to 7th grade

\$30 max per family



**Bring sack lunch & refillable water bottle
Snacks provided**

Hosted by Women's Ministry

"Blessed Bites"

Thurs., June 25

@ Noon



Open to all, invite a friend.
Meet at the restaurant.
Sign up in the Narthex.



6850 W. Cheyenne Ave

Church van first come, first served
Separate checks

Join your church family and friends for
a time of fellowship and great food!

Women's Breakfast



Devotion & Prayer by Barbara Mickelson

Free-will offering for Olive Crest

June 20, 2026 @ 9:00am

Cost is \$20.00 (tax & tip included).

The Summit Restaurant

2215 Thomas W Ryan Blvd.

Sign-up in the Narthex



Do you love to read and make new friends? Come join us as we discuss the selected book for the month ... June 26, 2026 - Don't Forget to Write by Sara Goodman Confino

We meet in the Chapel here at MVPC on the last Friday of every month from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. This month is scheduled as outlined above. All are most welcome to join us as we discuss the book and form close faith based friendships and insights. Hope to see you there!



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SUBSCRIBE



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

There will be a congregational meeting on Sunday, Jun 21st at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please mark your calendars to attend this important event.

Celebrate America's 250th Birthday

with a special selection of Americana-themed items available at the LOAFN Book and Gift Shop! these limited-time offerings honor our nation's rich history and spirit.

Be sure to visit soon—once they're gone, they're gone!



MEN'S CASUAL CLOTHING DRIVE



AS PART OF OUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF PROJECT 150 WE ARE COLLECTING GENTLY USED AND NEW CASUAL CLOTHING FOR MALE TEENS ON **SUNDAY 06/21**.

PROJECT 150 SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED CASUAL CLOTHES, SO GENTLEMEN MAKE SURE TO CHECK THE BACK OF YOUR CLOSET FOR SHORTS, T-SHIRTS, AND TENNIS SHOES!

PLEASE PLACE ITEMS IN THE LARGE WHITE BIN IN THE NARTHEx. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED CARE OF THIS WONDERFUL CHARITY.



Our Vision

LOVE
God

LOVE
People

KNOW
God

KNOW
People

SERVE
God

SERVE
People

It's what we do!

**LAUGH OFTEN
& FEAR NOT!**

Happy Birthday!!



Jerry Mondene – Jun. 13th
Patricia Luthy – Jun. 14th
David Gray – Jun. 15th
Peg Albrecht – Jun. 16th
Edward Walther – Jun. 18th
Gerald Borowski – Jun. 19th
Isaac Singleton – Jun. 19th

This Week's Events

Sun., Jun. 14

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship, SC
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship, SC
1:00 p.m. U50's, Mark
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting, CH

Mon., Jun. 15

9:00 a.m. Quilters, FH
10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting, CH
7:00 p.m. Gamblers Anon., CH

Tues., Jun. 16

10:00 a.m. Divine Dealing, FH
12:30 p.m. Youth Gathering, FH
5:30 p.m. Narcotics Anon., CH

Wed., Jun. 17

5:00 p.m. Bell Choir, CH
7:00 p.m. Choir, SC
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting, FH

Thurs., Jun. 18

10:00 a.m. Caregiver Support Group, CH
5:00 p.m. Redeemed Worship Rehearsal, SC
6:30 p.m. Compassionate Friends, FH
7:00 p.m. Al Anon, FH

Fri., Jun. 19

2:00 p.m. Knitting Group, FH

Sat., Jun. 20

9:00 a.m. Women's Breakfast, Summit
5:00 p.m. AA Meeting, FH

Happy Anniversary!

Tony and Anya Fontes – Jun. 17th

There will be a congregational meeting on Sunday, Jun 21st at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please mark your calendars to attend this important event.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING



Messenger articles and Sunday announcement requests are due in the Church office by **Wednesday** at **noon** each week! Thank you for your cooperation!

LET THE PEOPLE PRAY

Pray without Ceasing. (1 Thessalonians 5:17)

Our Members

- The Carlisle Family
- The Castagnino Family
- Kathy Champley
- Ana-Maria Chaves
- Jeanie Christiansen
- The Clark Family
- Lorelee Clause
- Ginny Conner

Our World

- People of Northern Ireland
- Middle East Tensions
- Sudan conflict

Our Nation

- Tornado season
- Summer fire prevention
- FIFA World Cup

Our City

- Summer temperatures
- Traffic Safety
- Tourism numbers

Our Congregation

Linda Feuerstein, Marilyn Kopp,
Janet Jones, Pat Malfara,

- Elders: Jeff Patterson
- Deacons: Melody Edwards-Becker,
Alane Ehrhardt

Our Churches

1. Summerlin Lutheran Church
2. Summerlin Community Baptist
3. Sun City Community Church

Other Prayer Concerns...

Sympathy to the family of Betty Kirschman

