



COVECHURCH NEWSLETTER

Week of 11/11/2024

Words of Encouragement

Robust biblical theology is always wedded to Scripture, because biblical theology prevents artificial connections that can lead to odd or spurious theological conclusions. Good biblical theology is textual, always rooted in Scripture's soil. A healthy way—perhaps the best way—to do biblical theology is to follow the lead of the apostles and examine how the apostles wed the Old Testament to their discourse. Once we discover these inner-biblical links, we can organically build on them.

-Benjamin Gladd

Doctrine is useless if it is not accompanied by a holy life. It is worse than useless; it does positive harm. Something of 'the image of Christ' must be seen and observed by others in our private life, and habits, and character, and doings.

-J.C. Ryle

Pray for the Unreached

Zaramo People in Tanzania

Population: 1,451,000 | Primary religion: Islam | Percent Evangelical Christian: 2.0%

Pray for this people group to come to God and understand that He will reward them with His truth. There are a few followers of Jesus among the Zaramo. Pray that these Christians would faithfully fellowship together, considering how to spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Pray for them to disciple their families in the ways of Christ. Pray for improved literacy levels for the Zaramo and for strong, loving marriages.

Prayer Requests

- Please pray for Chet during this busy season at work. He has been the only social worker for two months and has multiple hard cases. Please pray for endurance and dependence on the Lord during this time.
- Please pray for John Dillon who had a heart attack a few weeks ago. Please pray for continued recovery and comfort for them all.
- UPDATE: Jeff Mason's scans came back negative for growth with his lung cancer. Praise the Lord! Please pray for continued healing and peace.
- Please pray for the aftermath of Hurricane Helene and the continued recovery efforts.
- Please pray for Cove Shelter and the current season. Please pray for provision and people to serve.
- UPDATE: Please pray for Brad as he begins to prepare for his counseling exam in December. Please pray for him to be able to study well and fight against the lies of the enemy.

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Scripture Reading

Consider reading 1 Peter 4 in preparation for this week's sermon.

Calendar

- Friday: 6:00 PM - Fellowship Meal at the church
- Sunday: 9:45 AM - Prayer Time for the Lost at the church
- Sunday: 10:30 AM - Worship Service