



Canyon Bible Church // Prescott

Church Office: 122 N. Cortez Street, Ste. 317

Tues. thru Fri. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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“And in the same region there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with great fear. And the angel said to them, ‘Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger.’ And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, ‘Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!’” Luke 2:8-14

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP GATHERING

December 15, 2019

Join us for a Prayer Meeting with the Elders
9:40 in Mrs. Sobo's Classroom

Welcome & Announcements

Adoration

Scripture Reading: Luke 1:57-80
Pastoral Prayer
Song: Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Confession & Assurance of Pardon

Song: His Mercy is More

Thanksgiving

Song: The First Noel

Petition

Prayer

Instruction

A Final Plea for God-Focused Suffering
1 Peter 5:6-14

Fellowship

Lord's Table
Song & Offering: It Came Upon a Midnight Clear
Prayer & Dismissal

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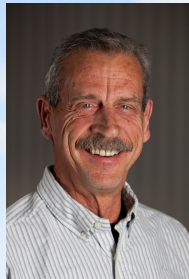
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CANYON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer Requests

Please register your attendance by writing your names and prayer requests in the insert provided in your worship guide. Please then fold the insert and place it in the offering.

College & Career

Our College and Career ministry is launching the Fall semester back on campus again at Yavapai College on Friday nights at 7 pm. For more details, see the Canyon on Campus Instagram feed, email Pastor Jason at jdrumm@canyonprescott.org.

Kids of Canyon

The Kids of Canyon ministry currently serves Children newborn-8 years old. Parents are welcome to drop off as early as 9:45 prior to the service. Please contact Jason Drumm, at jdrumm@canyonprescott.org, with any questions, to schedule a time to observe the classrooms, or if you're interested in serving in the Kids of Canyon ministry.

Small Groups

Our Small Groups are an opportunity for all our members to engage in a close-knit fellowship on another day of the week. It is our prayer that these groups provide fellowship and biblical instruction, leading to growth in holiness as we grow in our love for one another. If you'd like more information, email Dave Lutz at davidrlutz60@gmail.com.

Student Ministry Winter Camp

Each year, the Student Ministry of Canyon Bible Church of Prescott takes the opportunity to get away from the distractions around us and focus on the Lord, His Word, and building relationships with one another. We highly value this opportunity and hope that you will consider joining us for our 2020 winter retreat! Retreat dates are Feb. 7-9, 2020. The cost is \$130. To register see our website at CanyonPrescott.org/Students or for more information contact Student Ministry Director Josh Arellano at jarellano@canyonprescott.org.

CANYON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Student Ministry Break

Student Ministry is now on break and will resume meeting again beginning Wednesday, January 8, 2020.

Men's Discipleship Groups

There are still spots available in our Men's Discipleship Groups. If you are interested in getting involved, please contact Pastor Jason at jdrumm@canyonprescott.org.

Women's Ministry

For girls ages 5 to 105, our annual Christmas Potluck will be Saturday, December 14th, from 6:00-8:15 pm at the Adult Center of Prescott. Tickets are \$5.00 each – Girls 17 and under are free. This year all proceeds will go to the churches we support in Nicaragua.

Purchase tickets, register your guests, and let us know what dish you'll bring in the foyer at the Women's Ministry table November 17th – December 8th. Seating is limited, so reserve your spot soon!

Also, if you would like to hostess a table or serve in some other capacity, see us at the Women's Ministry table.

Christmas Eve Service

Our Christmas Eve service will be held at Prescott High School from 6-7 pm. Childcare will be available for Children 0-2 years. Please join us in Mrs. Sobo's classroom at 5:30 for cookies and fellowship.

Next Members Meeting

Our next Member Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 12, from 5:30 to 7:00 pm.

Updated Address

If you have had a change in address, in the last year, or you feel that the church may not have the most up to date information for please email the updated information to admin@canyonprescott.org.

SERMON APPLICATION

In response to Sunday's sermon pray over and answer the following application questions:

Are there examples to follow?

Commands to obey?

Errors to avoid?

Sins to forsake?

Promises to claim?

Thoughts about God?

OUTREACH PRAYER

Pray for the believers in Nicaragua. Pray that they come to glorify God and seek to become more like Christ. Pray for their hearts to be encouraged and to seek to proclaim the Good News of the Savior.

RESOURCES

Book of the Month:

She Reads Truth | He Reads Truth 2019 Advent

"In this four-week Advent reading plan, we will prepare our hearts for the celebration of Jesus's birth by reading traditional scriptures of the season, approaching anew our need for Christ and celebrating the glory of His arrival."

-She/He Reads Truth

<https://www.shopsheerestruth.com/collections/advent-2019>

Blog/Article/Sermon: *Someone Need to See You Suffer Well*
by Marshall Segal

To read go to: <https://www.desiringgod.org/articles/someone-needs-to-see-you-suffer-well>

Printed copies available in the foyer.

1 Peter 5:6-14

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Prophet Project: Malachi 1:1-5

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As the Lord tells Israel in this passage of his love for them, they look at their circumstances and question his love. God reaffirms his love by rehearsing his election of Israel through Jacob and promises to Israel. He declares that he will not allow the enemies of Israel to rebuild, but that he will one day restore Israel, and the people will see it and declare "Great is the Lord beyond the border of Israel." As Christians, we can identify with Israel in the struggle to sometimes doubt God's love when we become overly focused on our discomfiting circumstances. May we be a people who are quick to come back to the Word of God, reminding ourselves of God's electing love for us and faithfulness to keep his promises.

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Today's passage continues a structure in which Malachi introduces a message, characterizes the people as questioning his message, and offers proof of his original message. Malachi introduces the charge of disrespecting God in verse 6a. Malachi characterizes them as questioning the validity of this charge in verse 6b. This is followed by a lengthy section where Malachi proves that they have "despised" the Lord's name in verses 8–14. God's chosen people had intentionally sinned and sought to deny this sin when confronted by God's messenger. So, the question for you centers on your response to sin when confronted. Do you justify or deny your sin when confronted by God's standard? "Entreat the favor of God that He may be gracious to you" (v.9).

WEDNESDAY

Prophet Project: Malachi 2:1-9

The priests failed to give honor to the Lord's name. They failed to guard the purity of the temple. The result is that the Lord disqualified them for service at the altar. The point is that it was their business to honor God, but instead, there was misconduct. It is our purpose, our business, to honor God. Is there sin in your life that keeps you from honoring God? Pray and ask the Lord to reveal this sin so that you can confess and repent of that sin. Pray and ask the Lord to help you to give greater honor to Him because He is deserving.

FRIDAY

Prophet Project: Malachi 2:17-3:5

God's chosen people had "wearied" the Lord. In today's passage, we see that they had aspired false attributes to God. The Israelites couldn't resolve the tension regarding the prosperity of those who did evil or the lack of justice for those who broke the law. They resolved this tension by charging God with indifference. God didn't care about those who were suffering, and He didn't care about justice. How do you respond when what you feel or experience doesn't line up with the character of God? Do you explain your experience by charging God with indifference? Or do you trust God in the midst of your experience?

THURSDAY

Prophet Project: Malachi 2:10-16

Again we see another passage where the Lord expresses his displeasure with those who are unfaithful to their marriage vows. Though the context and people to whom he was speaking are far removed from our day and time, God's priorities for marriage haven't changed. A passage like this is a great opportunity for those of us who are married to dad slowly, taking our heart through the text and asking the Lord to reveal any ways that our hearts have wandered from our spouse.

SATURDAY

Prophet Project: Malachi 3:6-15

Our faith and hope are based on the aspect of God's character that He does not change. "For I the Lord do not change" (v. 6a). The implication here is that God's character and eternal purposes do not change. It is because He does not change that we can be sure of our salvation. Pray and praise God for this wonderful truth of His character.