



I AM THE VINE, YOU ARE THE BRANCHES.

JOHN 15:5

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*We exist to ignite
a passion in every
person to glorify and
enjoy God everywhere
and in everything.*

Whistle While You Work...Seriously!

I find myself whistling from time to time. A song enters my head as I'm going about my day and eventually, I'm whistling it's tune. I don't know how often I do this because it's subconsciously done until I hear myself making noise. I'm like the dwarves, whistling while I work. You might think that's rather Dopey (pun intended) but I hope it leans toward Happy.

“So I saw that there is nothing better than that a man should rejoice in his work, for that is his lot. Who can bring him to see what will be after him?” Ecclesiastes 3:22

Work existed before the fall. Work, of a sort, seems to exist for all eternity. Work can and should be source of joy now, even though toil has been added to it (Genesis 3). Whether you have your dream job or it's just what has to be done today, it will be a better day if you can enjoy it.

- Household chores
- School
- 9-5 or 4-10s
- Part-Time
- Homework
- Menial Jobs
- Dream Side Hustles
- Every task you can imagine...

Find a way to glorify God in your work and whenever possible, find joy in the task at hand. Life is even better when there are moments you can whistle while you work.

- Pastor James



**THE REAL JESUS
for THE REAL YOU.**
AN EXPOSITION OF THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

**SUNDAY
MORNING SERVICE
9:00am & 10:30am**

*“Jesus *Needed* His ‘Quiet
Times’ (So Do You! Duh!)”
Luke 4:42-44*

<https://youtube.com/live/NYJV0Yz1gVU>

Pastor Benji



Announcements

Our new **2026 CHURCH DIRECTORIES** are available for you to pick up at the Welcome Center!

LEFTOVER WOOD AVAILABLE

We have leftover wood from our restoration project for you to take home for projects or firewood. Bring your trucks and chainsaws and take what you want from the pile in the *back parking lot*, next to the fence by the BBQ. (Wood inside the fence is off limits)

After Sunday 3/15/2026 leftovers will be thrown out.

NEED PRAYER?

Our Elders & Deacons will be available to pray with you after 1st and 2nd service in front of the stage in the sanctuary.



Please enjoy our fellowship lounge in Room 505.

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You Can't Outrun Grace

Street Level Christianity

BEGINNING MARCH 1

gospel culture groups

SUNDAYS

10:45 A.M. IN GRACE COMMONS
W/ KURT MASON

6:00 P.M. IN THE CHAPEL
W/ CHET HARTER

WEDNESDAYS

6:45 P.M. IN GRACE COMMONS
W/ PASTOR BENJI

PAUL TRIPP

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

FRIDAY, APRIL 3
7PM--8PM

Join us for an evening of special music, reflective readings, and prayer that celebrate Christ conquering death on the cross

Enjoying God's word together in 2026

March: Philippians

read + listen to the whole book every day, or a chapter each day, or whatever works for you!



FAMILY FOOD FOLLIES

Beverage, salad, and 2 slices of pizza for only \$1.

March 18 /Gym
Dinner @ 5:20pm before AWANA

Making Disciple - Making Disciples