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"TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN"

Aug. 31, 2025

Your Story, God's Glory

Testimony: The Power of a Changed Life
The Samaritan Woman (John 4:1–30, 39–42)
"Many of the Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman's testimony..." – John 4:39

Jesus Meets You Where You Are

John 4:6 – "Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon."

Jesus intentionally went through Samaria—He didn't avoid her story, her shame, or her past (v. 18). You don't need to fix yourself to come to Jesus. He meets you at the well, in the heat of the day, with living water in hand.

Your Story Isn't Too Broken to Be Used

John 4:28–29 – "'Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did.'"

She didn't hide her past—she led with it: "He told me everything I ever did!" Her pain became her platform. Her shame became her sermon. Your testimony is powerful not in spite of your past, but because it shows how Jesus redeems it. Include your before and after. People connect with real stories, not polished performances.

Your Testimony Can Lead Others to Jesus

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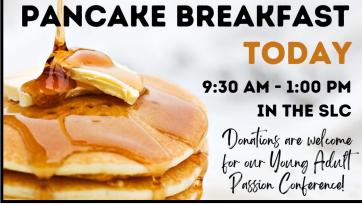
One woman's simple story sparked belief in many. Later, they believed because of His word (v. 42)—but they came because she spoke up. Don't underestimate your influence. One voice, honestly telling a story of redemption, can change a whole town.

Jesus knows your whole story and redeems it. Even your past has power when placed in His hands. Sharing Tip: Include your "before and after." People connect with your struggles when they see the Savior who walked you through them.



New Member + Baptism Sunday Sunday, September 21st, during all services A class with Pastor Jim will be held Sunday, Sept. 14th @ 12:30 p.m. in room 113/115. Lunch will be served.

Please sign up at the Featured Ministries Table

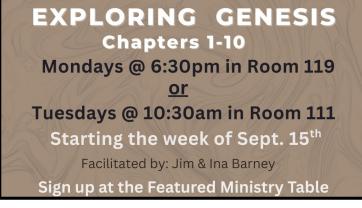




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TREASURER'S REPORT Through Aug. 24, 2025

Main Budget for 2025 \$1,307,101.00
Year To Date Need \$854,642.96
Year To Date Offerings \$838,572.84*
*98% of YTD budget need

Aug. 24 attendance:	<u>8:30</u>	<u>10:00</u>	<u>11:15</u>
In person	174	366	135
Peak Live Views	37	29	-
Total Views	217	210	-

Please remember to pray for our Church Council members

Justin Tucker, chair Randy Brown Vicki DeLong Janet Dunlap Phil Herring Don Hessey

Rob McClure Jim Morris Don Schwenning Josh Spore Kent Zellner Meeting 9/16

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