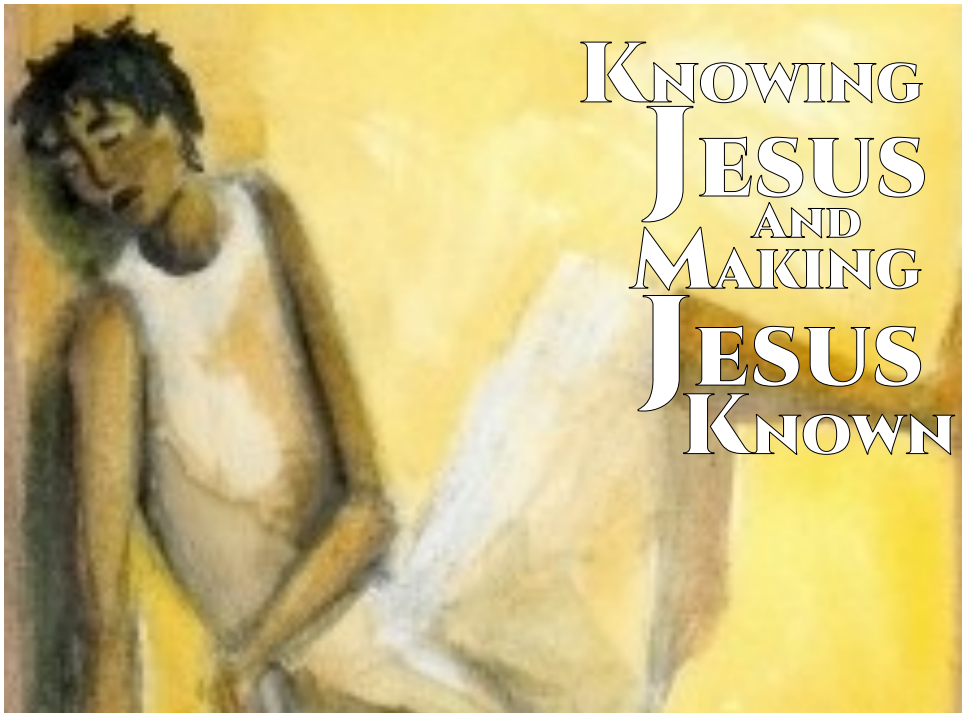


HOLLYWOOD UMC



KNOWING
JESUS
AND
MAKING
JESUS
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WEIRD Stories of the Bible Vol. 1



JULY 20, 2025

WELCOME

JOIN US IN PERSON OR ONLINE AT 10:00 AM

PRELUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* OPENING HYMN

UMH #383

“This is a Day of New Beginnings”

* CALL TO WORSHIP

1 Samuel 2

Leader: My heart exults in the Lord; my strength is exalted in my God.

People: **My mouth derides my enemies because
I rejoice in your victory.**

Leader: There is no Holy One like the Lord, no one besides you;
there is no Rock like our God.

People: **The Lord is a God of knowledge, and
by him actions are weighed.**

Leader: The Lord kills and brings to life; he brings down to Sheol and
raises up.

People: **The Lord makes poor and makes rich;
he brings low; he also exalts.**

Leader: The Lord will guard the feet of his faithful ones, but the wicked
will perish in darkness, for not by might does one prevail.

People: **Search me, O God, and know my heart;
try me and know my thoughts.**

* OPENING PRAYER

Blessed Lord, you have caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Ephesians 2:1–10

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Sunday School Dismissal for pre-K through 5th grade

SPECIAL MUSIC

Heather Gilmore

“Sometimes”

WORSHIP

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A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** UMH #598
"O Word of God Incarnate"

* **NEW TESTAMENT READING** Acts 20:7-12

SERMON Rev. Matthew Tate

THE APOSTLES' CREED UMH #882

TITHES & OFFERINGS

See the back page for a variety of ways to give.

Offertory

Mary Jane Seanor

* Doxology

UMH #95

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION** TFWS #2149
"Living for Jesus"

* **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Mary Jane Seanor

* We stand in body or in spirit to give glory to God.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS = The Faith We Sing

*This morning's altar flowers are given in memory of John T. Porter,
by his sister, Mary Anne Ominski.*



PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the healing of our church family, friends & relatives

Ann Marie Anderson (5/23)

Bonnie Decker (3/20)

Lailon Dorsey (6/30)

Estelle Elmore (4/15)

James Fulkerson (5/27)

Johnny Gatton (4/15)

Jim & Carole Lupis (5/20)

Adam Martin (7/2)

Sofia Poe (5/4)

Pray for our Homebound

Robert & Sharon Hayes

David Roberts

CD & Judy Wood

Pray for those who are battling cancer

Tim Buckheit

Christine Clontz

AJ Davis

Sandy Denison

Bruce Dickinson

Connie Evans

Pam Grace

Curtis Graves

Nathan Gray

Harold Insley

Joe Jones

Mike Knight

Lance Lupis

Bob Napier

Cathy Nash

Leanne Riley

James Rothwell

Rob Sutor

Yvonne Tabor

Janet Taylor

Juniper van Vliet

Gene Wood

Sarah Zsak

Pray for Pastor Matthew & Danielle, and Amelia, Simon, and Ambrose

Names in bold indicate
new prayer requests or
those who need
extra prayer this week.

To request prayer, fill out a **Keeping in Touch** card or call or [email the office](#).
Please keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests.

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

You are invited and encouraged to check out one or all of our Bible Studies.

Good NEWS Today Ladies Bible Study

Tuesdays @ 7:00 PM

Youth Room

This week's topic:

Stay Tuned!

Tuesdays @ 3:30 PM

Library

Madeleine L'Engle's

Walking on Water

Kathryn's Class Adult Bible Study

Wednesdays @ 11:00 AM

Galilee Hall

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School will continue throughout the summer. We invite our kids, Pre-K through 5th Grade, to join our Children's Ministry Team for their own Sunday morning Bible exploration. Children begin the worship service with their parents and are generally dismissed after the pastor's children's moment.

Children will return to the sanctuary during the Benediction, or in time for communion. As always, children are more than welcome to remain with their parents throughout the service if you prefer.

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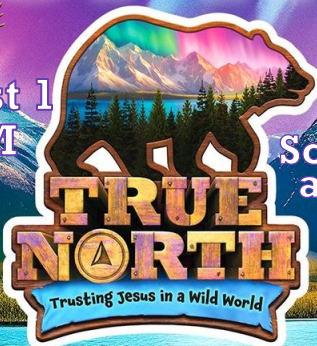
VBS 2025

July 28–August 1
6:00–8:45 PM

SPREAD THE
WORD!

Scan the QR code
and register for
VBS TODAY!

Open to kids
4 years old
to rising
6th graders.



REGISTRATION DEADLINE: THIS WEDNESDAY, JULY 23



VBS DONATION LIST

Visit our Sign Up Genius to see the list of items we need for a successful VBS! Type the address below in your browser, or click it in our bulletin PDF, or scan the QR Code.

Non-perishable items are due next Sunday, July 20. Perishable items are due the following Sunday, July 27. Remaining needed items range from graham crackers to donut holes to bags of ice to sponges.

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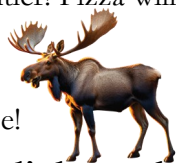
VBS DECORATING

If you've not seen our church decorated for VBS, we'll warn you:

we go **A L L O U T**

Please, plan to stay after worship on Sunday, July 27, to help us transform the sanctuary and the rest of the building into the Alaskan frontier! Pizza will be provided for all who help!

Then on Sunday, August 3,
we'll take it all down following the worship service!



Many hands make light work!



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Pray for our CAMP JOY participants as they prepare to share their stories from the week with us next Sunday.

Abigail
Alden
Alden
Alex
Aynalem
Baylor
Brenden
Caleb
Candy
Christine
Derek
Dusty

Elinor
Faylynn
Greg
Ian
Jeffrey
Kirk
Malia
Olivia
Ryan
Scott
Sunny

HOLLYWOOD YOUTH GROUP

Next Sunday evening, July 27, we will have an offsite scavenger hunt. Stay tuned for updates.

PJ CONNECTION

We are collecting backpacks and school supplies to help needy kids start the school year with everything they need! Place your donations in the Amen Corner. Contact Danielle Tate if you have any questions.



Monday, July 21
OUTBACK



Let Terri Van Asdlen or Janet Cook know if you plan to attend.

SPECIAL MUSIC

See Mary Jane or email her at mjseanor@yahoo.com to schedule a time this summer to share your musical talents with us during worship.

PRAYER SQUARES

Prayer squares are small squares knitted or crocheted prayerfully with love. They are reminders that others are praying for you and with you. Prayer Squares are an adjunct to the Prayer Shawl ministry. If you would like a prayer square, please see Terri Van Asdlen.

Music & Lyrics by Phil Collins Book by David Henry Hwang

TARZAN

THE STAGE MUSICAL
BASED ON THE Disney FILM

Swinging your way this summer!

PERFORMANCES
JULY 18-20 & 25-27
Chocton High School

Tickets on Sale July 1st and at the door!

www.stmaryscountymd.gov/recreate/summerstock

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays	10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service (In-Person/ YouTube)
	6:00 PM	Youth Group
Mondays		Pastor's Sabbath
Tuesdays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)
	3:30 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Youth Room)
	7:00 PM	Good News Today Bible Study (Youth Room)
Wednesdays	11:00 AM	Kathryn's Class Bible Study (GH)
	6:30-8:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursdays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)
	10:00 AM	Deadline for Bulletin Info for Next Sunday
Fridays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)

~~Event~~ indicates a weekly event that will not be held this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, July 20	3:00 PM	Summerstock's TARZAN (CHOPTICON HS)
July 21-24		HUMP&K Summer Camp—Science Experiments Week
Monday, July 21	Noon	Ladies Lunch at Outback
Friday, July 25		
	4:30—7:00 PM	Food Truck Friday (HVFD)
	7:00 PM	Summerstock's TARZAN (CHOPTICON HS)
Saturday, July 26		
	1:00 & 7:00 PM	Summerstock's TARZAN (CHOPTICON HS)
Sunday, July 27		CAMP JOY SUNDAY
	After Worship	VBS Decorating
	3:00 PM	Summerstock's TARZAN (CHOPTICON HS)
	6:00 PM	Youth Group Scavenger Hunt (Location TBA)
Monday, July 28		
	6:00-8:45 PM	Vacation Bible School
Tuesday, July 28		
	6:00-8:45 PM	Vacation Bible School
Wednesday, July 28		
	6:00-8:45 PM	Vacation Bible School
Thursday, July 28		
	6:00-8:45 PM	Vacation Bible School
Friday, July 28		
	6:00-8:45 PM	Vacation Bible School



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