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Mountain View Messenger



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Happy New Year! I pray that this next year is full of the Lord's blessings for you and yours. Let's take the opportunity as we consider new year's resolutions ...to make reading the Word of God and spending time with the Lord in prayer a key goal. A reminder that the "First Friday" of each month the Mountain View Church calls everyone to a day of prayer and fasting for our congregation. There is power when God's people pray together as a church (2 Chronicles 7:14)! A great way to start the year would be to attend the special **Candlelight Communion Service** that will be happening Sabbath, January 2 at 6:00 p.m. at the church. Come enjoy this time of spiritual renewal and fellowship celebrating God's grace and goodness!

On Sabbath, December 12 we welcomed Pastor Ken Losey to the Mountain View Church Pastoral staff. Pastor Ken is actually rejoining the staff as he served as pastor here quite some years back. Pastor Ken is charged with planting a church in the southern part of Las Vegas, organizing small groups, visitation and overseeing the flow of the worship services. We are excited to have Pastor Ken on the team and know that God is going to do great things! As Pastor Ken joins the other four pastors we will be reassessing and redistributing various pastoral responsibilities. When these new roles are finalized we will be sharing them with you in the next newsletter.

One of the key goals in 2016 for our church is to renovate our church facility. This will be a big effort and as details emerge we will be sharing the plans with you. A word of thanks to the Facility Committee for all their hard work in putting together the renovation proposal. The Sacrifice Offering collected over the past couple weeks will go to "kick off" the campaign. The proposal includes a new: roof, audio/visual system, lighting system, projection system, security system, carpet, reupholstering pews, paint and landscaping. All of these are long overdue and we look forward to seeing the wonderful things the Lord is going to do through the faithfulness of His saints.

I have been working on "Sermon Link Sheets" that list all the sermons in a series and include hyperlinks to the edited videoed sermon online. I will be emailing these to those on our "Weekly Focus" email list as they are available. If you would like to be added to the "Weekly Focus" list and receive the Sermon Link Sheet just email me your information to "info@Come2MountainView.com." Also, I will be preaching a few new sermons in the re-preach time during the month of January that are part of my sermon series "Close Encounters. I will be sharing these sermons at 8:45 a.m. on Sabbath mornings and covering the topics of: John the Baptist, Mary & Martha, Nicodemus and Woman at the Well.

The permanent position of Office Manager and Administrative Assistant is currently open at the Mountain View Church. A job description and application packet are available at the information desk in the church lobby and at the church office. Applications are now being accepted with interviews to be conducted the final week of January. We invite all those interested to submit an application. Please keep this process in your prayers.

Your friend and brother in Christ,



Pastor BJ Boles

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CHURCH FINANCE



As we enter a new year, 2016, let us remember the local ministry needs and expenses here at Mountain View Church by covenanting to contribute regularly a faithful offering to the local church budget (*General Fund*). Both tithe and offerings are used for the Lord's work. However, all of our tithe is sent to the Nevada-Utah Conference where it is used to support the work throughout Nevada/Utah and the world church. Our local budget here at Mountain View Church is supported by those contributions received that are marked "*General Fund*" or "*Church Budget*." Thank you so much for your faithfulness in supporting the Lord's work here locally with your offerings as well as around the globe with your tithe.



ANNUAL SACRIFICE OFFERING

We want to express our sincere appreciation for all the contributions that were received for the *Annual Sacrifice Offering*. This money will go to the renovation campaign that we will be doing in 2016 to repair and renovate the church building. If you have not yet had the opportunity to contribute to the *Sacrifice Offering* you may still do so! Mark your contribution "*MVC Sacrifice Offering*".



ONLINE GIVING

You may now easily access the secure website to contribute your tithes and offerings online. Our church has a unique webpage within the "*Adventist Giving*" website that is sponsored by the North American Division. Registration for online giving is simple, free and secure. To go directly to the Mountain View Church online giving page use this link: www.MVCGiving.com.



FAMILY CHRISTMAS

Sabbath, December 19, the Mountain View Church had its annual Family Christmas Program. A special thank you to all the many participants in the program, the Audio/Video/Graphics/Lighting team and to Joan Ryan, 'Chelle Reed and Rebecca Palitang for coordinating the event.



THE WAY



Messenger

“The Way” is relaunching for 2016 on Friday, January 2. This exciting unique worship experience is designed specifically for Young Adults (18-35 years old).

THE WAY

FELLOWSHIP
WORSHIP
GROWTH

A unique worship experience
designed specifically for **Young Adults**

RELAUNCH
January 2

Continues
Fridays
@ 7:30 p.m.

Pastor Angel Heredia will be presenting a series in January entitled “Irresistible”. He will be looking at the topics of: Jesus, the Church, Grace and Salvation!



PATHFINDERS

Pathfinders is a special club focussing on developing youth into Godly young men and women in the model of Christ's character. Its about learning about God and nature and having fun doing it! Youth in grades 5 through 10 are welcome to join the club and have a great time learning about Christ, earning honors and going on exciting outings and campouts! Contact Director Mary Converse at (702) 683-1052 or Deputy Director Arvin Videna at (702) 332-8465 for more information about Pathfinders!



JANUARY SCHEDULE

- January 9 @ 5:30pm (LVJA Classrooms)
- January 16 Fire & Ice Festival (Ely, NV)
- January 30 @ 5:30pm (LVJA Classrooms)
- January 31 ("Ethel M Chocolate" Tour)
Cactus Honor

FEBRUARY SCHEDULE

- February 6 @ 5:30pm (LVJA Classrooms)
"TBA" BIBLE BOWL @ LVJA
- February 15 (Virgin River Gorge Trip)
Dixie Wildlife Museum,
Dinosaur Museum,
Cracker Barrel (St George)
- February 20 @ 5:30pm (LVJA Classrooms)



ADVENTURERS



Adventurers has had a great start to the year with over 40 children enrolled in the club. Adventurers is a special club focussed on Christian family activities and character development for children from age 4 through age 9 (Pre-K - 4th Grade). Families with children in this age group are warmly invited to join and participate in this wonderful activity.



ADVENTURER AGE GROUPS

- Little Lambs - Pre-K (age 4)
- Eager Beavers - Kindergarten (age 5)
- Busy Bees - 1st Grade (age 6)
- Sunbeams - 2nd Grade (age 7)
- Builders - 3rd Grade (age 8)
- Helping Hands - 4th Grade (age 9)

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Misty Luong 951-660-9174
Tania Appel 210-262-6456

SCHEDULE (Check Calendar)

Select Saturdays 5:30-7:30pm
Sunday Field Trips





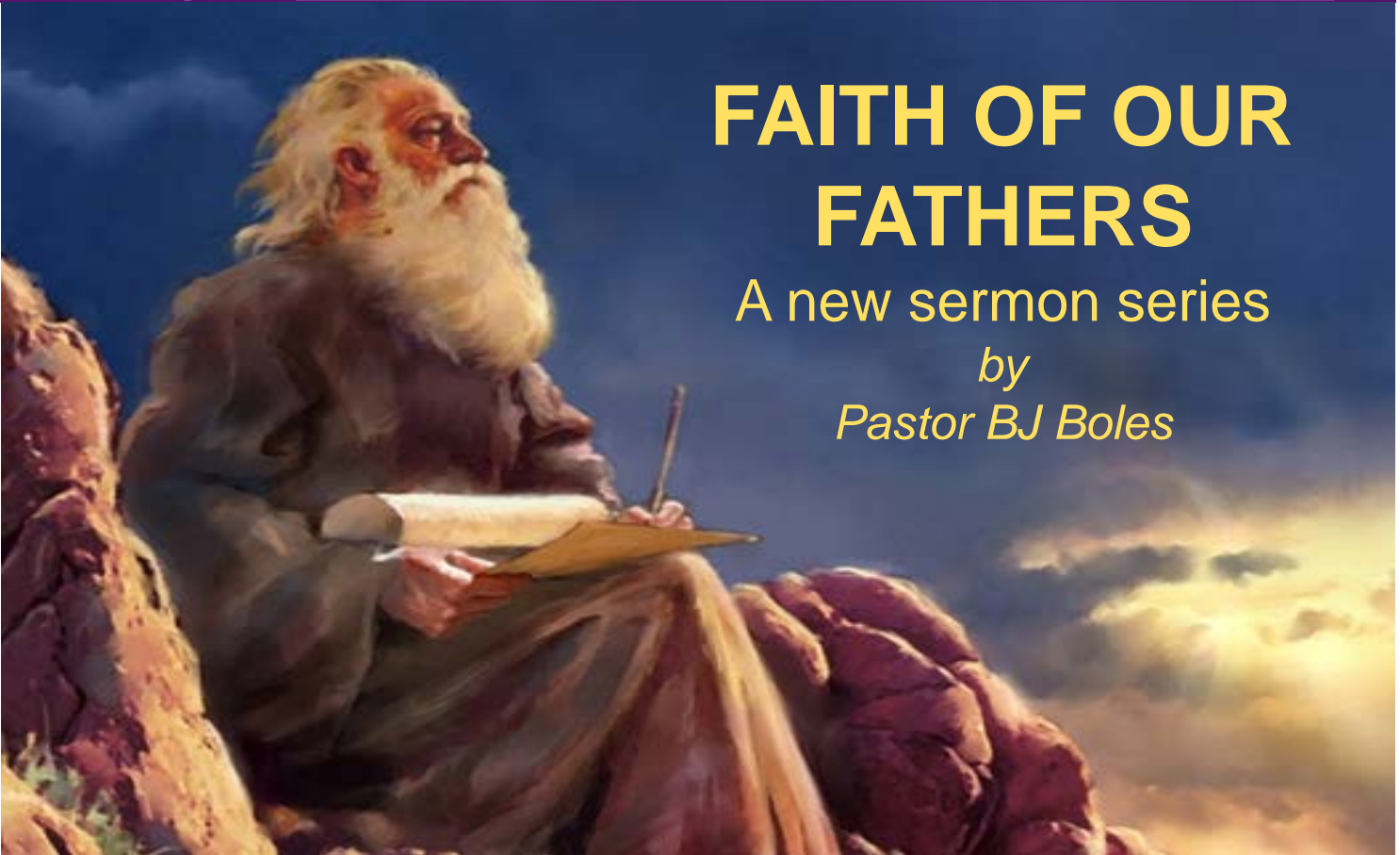
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A new sermon series

by
Pastor BJ Boles

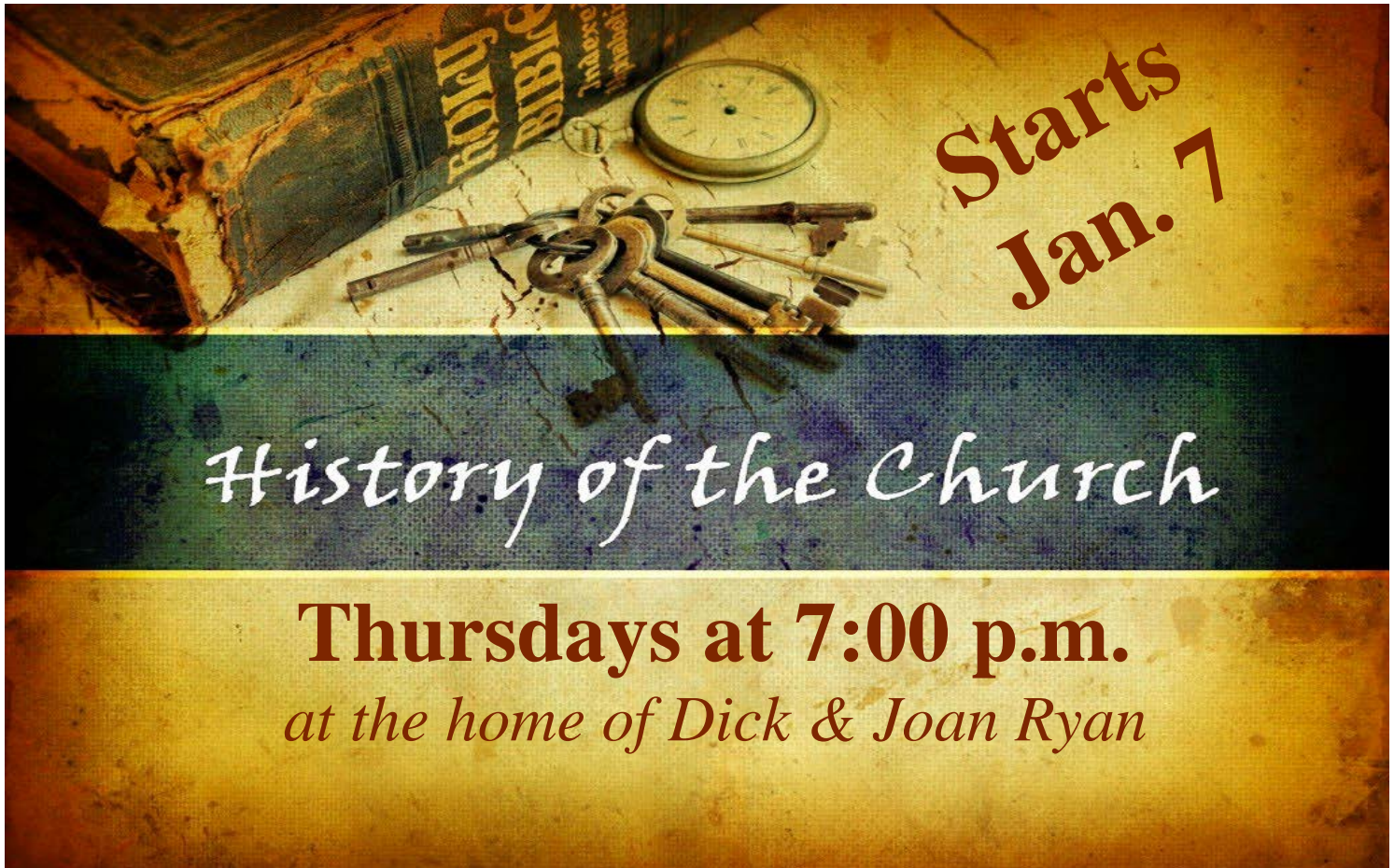


Pastor BJ Boles will be preaching a new sermon series in the first of the new year entitled “Faith of Our Fathers.” These sermons will explore the lives of ten patriarchs of the Old Testament and glean what we can learn from these men of faith for our own spiritual walk with God. There will also be a companion reading guide in the book *Patriarchs and Prophets* by Ellen G. White. The series will be preached at both the Classic (10:20am) and the Main (11:30am) worship services and will also be live streamed and archived on ustream.com

SERMON SERIES SCHEDULE

1. Sabbath, January 23 = “Noah”
2. Sabbath, January 30 = “Abraham”
3. Sabbath, February 6 = “Jacob”
4. Sabbath, February 20 = “Joseph”
5. Sabbath, February 27 = “Moses”
6. Sabbath, March 5 = “Joshua”
7. Sabbath, March 12 = “Samson”
8. Sabbath, April 2 = “Samuel”
9. Sabbath, April 9 = “David”
10. Sabbath, April 23 = “Daniel”

CHURCH HISTORY CLASS



If you have an interest in tracing the Christian Church from the time of the apostles to present day, join the *Church History Class* beginning Thursday, January 7. This weekly fellowship and discussion will be held at *Dick & Joan Ryan's* house at 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays. Call (702) 256-6050 to register for this informative discussion class. Topics that will be covered:

- 1 – End of Apostolic Era
- 2 – Continued Growth
- 3 – Rise of the Papal Power
- 4 – The Great Awakening
- 5 – Reformation and the New World
- 6 – The Missionary Period
- 7 – The End of Time Church (Part 1)
- 8 – The End of Time Church (Part 2)
- 9 – The Disappointment
- 10 – The Sabbath
- 11 – God's Messenger
- 12 – Organized for Service



BIBLE MARKING CLASS

Mark your Bible so its a ready resource to use. We will explore a topic a week and you will use the marking system to mark the verses for that topic. Using the index that will be placed in the front of your Bible you then can study over 30 topics just using your Bible as a Guide. Contact the Church Office or Pastor Amos Mwero to sign up. The class is designed to:

- Go at a slow pace
- Allow for questions
- Teach you how to share the topic with others
- Mark your Bible on the topic

WEDNESDAYS

at 7:00 p.m.

Begins (January 13)

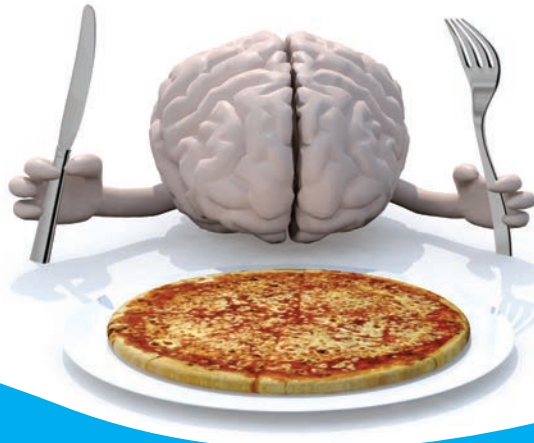
SATURDAYS

at 5:30 p.m.

Begins (January 16)

Topic	Verse	Topic	Verse	Topic	Verse
Abraham	Gen 12:1-13	Abraham	Gen 22:1-18	Abraham	Gen 24:1-26
Abraham	Gen 25:1-11	Abraham	Gen 26:1-11	Abraham	Gen 27:1-29
Abraham	Gen 28:1-22	Abraham	Gen 29:1-30	Abraham	Gen 31:1-12
Abraham	Gen 32:1-32	Abraham	Gen 33:1-7	Abraham	Gen 34:1-12
Abraham	Gen 35:1-15	Abraham	Gen 36:1-43	Abraham	Gen 37:1-36
Abraham	Gen 38:1-30	Abraham	Gen 39:1-23	Abraham	Gen 40:1-23
Abraham	Gen 41:1-57	Abraham	Gen 42:1-35	Abraham	Gen 43:1-34
Abraham	Gen 44:1-34	Abraham	Gen 45:1-28	Abraham	Gen 46:1-27
Abraham	Gen 47:1-26	Abraham	Gen 48:1-22	Abraham	Gen 49:1-28
Abraham	Gen 50:1-26	Abraham	Gen 51:1-58	Abraham	Gen 52:1-32
Abraham	Gen 53:1-34	Abraham	Gen 54:1-32	Abraham	Gen 55:1-34
Abraham	Gen 56:1-32	Abraham	Gen 57:1-30	Abraham	Gen 58:1-28
Abraham	Gen 59:1-26	Abraham	Gen 60:1-24	Abraham	Gen 61:1-22
Abraham	Gen 62:1-20	Abraham	Gen 63:1-18	Abraham	Gen 64:1-16
Abraham	Gen 65:1-14	Abraham	Gen 66:1-12	Abraham	Gen 67:1-10
Abraham	Gen 68:1-8	Abraham	Gen 69:1-6	Abraham	Gen 70:1-4
Abraham	Gen 71:1-2	Abraham	Gen 72:1-17	Abraham	Gen 73:1-17
Abraham	Gen 74:1-10	Abraham	Gen 75:1-10	Abraham	Gen 76:1-12
Abraham	Gen 77:1-12	Abraham	Gen 78:1-11	Abraham	Gen 79:1-15
Abraham	Gen 80:1-13	Abraham	Gen 81:1-11	Abraham	Gen 82:1-14
Abraham	Gen 83:1-11	Abraham	Gen 84:1-10	Abraham	Gen 85:1-12
Abraham	Gen 86:1-11	Abraham	Gen 87:1-10	Abraham	Gen 88:1-13
Abraham	Gen 89:1-14	Abraham	Gen 90:1-17	Abraham	Gen 91:1-13
Abraham	Gen 92:1-11	Abraham	Gen 93:1-10	Abraham	Gen 94:1-12
Abraham	Gen 95:1-11	Abraham	Gen 96:1-10	Abraham	Gen 97:1-12
Abraham	Gen 98:1-11	Abraham	Gen 99:1-10	Abraham	Gen 100:1-12





Mind Over Eating

A Roadmap to Mindful Eating

Rachel Maciel Handley

Psychotherapist / Internacional Speaker
Specialized in chemical dependency and obesity

ENLIGHTENING LECTURE

DATE: February 13

TIME: 5:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Mountain View SDA Church

MATERIALS: \$40.00

BENEFITS:

- * Learn to stop your self defeating eating habits
- * Understand physical and emotional hunger
- * Learn to take control of your mind
- * Learn to develop a healthy relationship with food
- * Learn how to reach and maintain a healthy weight

(702) 410-8529
LAS VEGAS - NV

rachel@mindovereating.us
www.moe-vt.com



WEEK OF *Prayer*

February 20 - 27

7:00 p.m.

Mountain View SDA Church

Our annual Week of Prayer this year will feature guest speaker LeClaire Litchfield. You will enjoy Pastor Litchfield's energetic and grace based messages. Also, as is our custom each evening we will practice a different creative way to pray. The week will end on a very high note with an anointing service.



PRAYER TOPICS

Contemporary
Sanctuary
Psalm Power
Chain Prayer
Prayer Patterns
Intercessory

LVJA CHRISTMAS



Thursday, December 17, the Las Vegas Junior Academy had its annual Christmas Program. It was an evening filled with beautiful music glorifying the birth of Christ. A huge thank you to all the children and youth from the school representing pre-K through 10th Grade. You all did a wonderful job!





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2016

JANUARY

"FINAL" VERSION

FEBRUARY						
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
31 Pathfinder & Adventurer Outings Senior's Ministry 11:30am @ Ryans	4 Pastor Boles Day Off Health Wellness Project @ 6:30 p.m.	5 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	6 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm "Bible Marking" #1 @ 7pm	7 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home	1 First Friday Fast NEW YEAR'S DAY Worship Practice "The Way"	2 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor BJ Boles "7 Churches: Leodicea" Candlelight Communion @ 6:00 pm
3	4 Pastor Boles Day Off Health Wellness Project @ 6:30 p.m.	5 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	6 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm "Bible Marking" #1 @ 7pm	7 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home	8 Worship Practice @ 5:30/6:15pm "The Way" @ 7:30pm	9 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor Angel Heredia "Jesus" Fellowship Lunch @ 1pm / Elders' Mtg @ 2:30pm
10	11 Health Wellness Project @ 6:30 p.m.	12 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	13 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm "Bible Marking" #1 @ 7pm	14 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home	15 Worship Practice @ 5:30/6:15pm Youth Group @ 6:15pm "The Way" @ 7:30pm	16 Re-Peace (8:45am) - TBA Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor Ken Losey "Come and See" Women's Ministry Lunch @ 1:30pm Bible Marking (B) #1 @ 6:00 pm
17	18 MVC OFFICE CLOSED NO SCHOOL MLK JR Day Health Wellness Project @ 6:30 p.m.	19 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	20 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm Pastor Boles Day Off "Bible Marking" #2 @ 7pm	21 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home Facility Mtg @ 6pm Sch. Board @ 7:15	22 Worship Practice @ 5:30/6:15pm Youth Group @ 6:15pm "The Way" @ 7:30pm	23 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor BJ Boles "Faith of Our Fathers #01: Noah" Bible Marking (B) #2 @ 6:00 pm
24	25 Pastor Boles Day Off Health Wellness Project @ 6:30 p.m.	26 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	27 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm Personnel @ 5:30pm Nominating @ 7pm "Bible Marking" #3 @ 7pm	28 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home	29 Worship Practice @ 5:30/6:15pm Youth Group @ 6:15pm "The Way" @ 7:30pm	30 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor BJ Boles "Faith of Our Fathers #02: Abraham" Bible Marking (B) #3 @ 6:00 pm

OTHER WEEKLY ACTIVITIES
 Daily (7:30 a.m.) = Everlasting Gospel Radio Program (1060AM)
 Monday-Friday (9am - 4pm) = MVC Office Hours
 Mondays & Wednesdays (12-4pm) = Community Food Bank
 Wednesdays (12:30-3:30pm) = Staff Worship & Pastors' Mtg
 Fridays = Choir Practice (6:00 pm), MVC Multi-purpose Room
 Sabbaths = Small Group Study (2:00 p.m.), MVC Multi-purpose Rm
 Sabbaths = Pathfinders (5:30-7:30pm Jan. 9, 30)
 Adventurers (5:30-7:30pm Jan. 9 & 23)

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES
 MVC Church Office Closed = Jan. 1, 18
 LVJA CHRISTMAS BREAK Dec 20 - Jan 3
 Pastor Boles Out of Town = Jan. 11-20
Bible Marking Topics
 #1 = "Bible" #2 = "God"
 #3 = "Origin of Evil" #4 = "Messiah"

Sunset = 4:38 pm
 Sunset = 4:44 pm
 Sunset = 4:51 pm
 Sunset = 4:58 pm
 Sunset = 5:05 pm
 Sunset = 5:07 pm



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FEBRUARY

"TENTATIVE" VERSION

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sabbath
Valentine's Gala 4-9pm	1 Pastor Boles Day Off	2 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	3 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm "Bible Marking" #4 @ 7pm	4 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home	5 First Friday Fast Worship Practice Youth Group "The Way"	6 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor BJ Boles "Faith of Our Fathers #03: Jacob" Bible Marking (B) #4 @ 6:00 pm
7	8 Pastor Boles Day Off	9 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	10 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm "Bible Marking" #5 @ 7pm	11 LVJA Chapel Finance Mtg @ 5:45 Church Board 7:15 p.m.	12 Worship Practice @ 5:30/6:15pm Youth Group @ 6:15pm "The Way" @ 7:30pm	13 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Rachel Handley "Mind Over Eating" Elders' Lunch & Meeting "Mind Over Eating" Health Sem. @ 5pm
14	15 MVC OFFICE CLOSED Pathfinder Outing PRESIDENT'S DAY Health Wellness Project @ 6:30 p.m.	16 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off	17 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm Pastor Boles Day Off "Bible Marking" #6 @ 7pm	18 LVJA Chapel Church History Class 7pm @ Ryan Home Facility Mtg @ 6pm Sch. Board @ 7:15	19 Worship Practice @ 5:30/6:15pm Youth Group @ 6:15pm "The Way" @ 7:30pm	20 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor BJ Boles "Faith of Our Fathers #04 Joseph" Bible Marking Class #5 @ 6:00 p.m. Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm
21	22 Pastor Boles Day Off Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm	23 Pastors Darrow & Heredia Day Off Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm	24 Women's Bible Study @ 5pm Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm	25 LVJA Chapel Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm	26 Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm	27 Re-Peace (8:45am) - Pastor Boles Family Worship (9:30am) Sabbath School (10:20am) Classic/Main Workshops (10:20/11:30) Speaker: Pastor BJ Boles "Faith of Our Fathers #05: Moses" Bible Marking Class #6 @ 6:00 p.m. Week of Prayer @ 7:00 pm
28	29 Pastor Boles Day Off					
Senior's Ministry 11:30am @ Ryan Home						

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Sabbaths = Pathfinders (5:30-7:30pm Feb. 6 & 20)
Adventurers (5:30-7:30pm Feb. 6 & 20)

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

LVJA Valentine's Fundraiser = Feb. 13
MVC Church Office Closed = Feb. 15
LVJA No School = Feb. 15

Bible Marking Topics
#4 = "Messiah"
#5 = "Divinity of Christ"
#6 = "Salvation"
#7 = "Confession & Forgiveness"