

Thanks for being here today! We welcome you to Ventura Baptist Church and pray that God would draw you closer to Himself through your time with us.

Our Mission is to *Pursue Jesus Together*.

“Christ died, and He died for all, so that those who live would no longer live for themselves, but for Him Who for their sake died and was raised” (2 Cor. 5:15). Believing in this truth compels us to live in three simple ways:



Exalting God



Edifying His Church



Evangelizing the World

Today's Message:

Steadfast Thanksgiving
Pastor Timothy Durey

Romans 16:21-27

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MORNING SERVICE

- ◇ Announcements
- ◇ New Member Celebration
- ◇ *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*
- ◇ *Great Are You, Lord*
- ◇ Prayer of Confession and Lament
- ◇ Testimony of Grace—Devon Scott
- ◇ *Jesus, Thank You*
- ◇ *I Stand Amazed*
- ◇ Worship in Giving & Song
- ◇ Children's Time
- ◇ Sermon
- ◇ *My Heart is Filled*
- ◇ Closing Benediction

EVENING SERVICE

- Youth Ministry
- K-5th grade—Puppets
- SQUAD— Assist with Puppets
- SOWERS— Room 103 (@5:45 pm)
- Adults
- ◇ Message: “Is Jesus God?”
I AM the Resurrection and the Life—John 11:25
- ◇ Testimony of Grace: Abby Mast
- ◇ Corporate Prayer



Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. James 4:7-8

THIS WEEK

MON	6:30 PM	Elder Meeting
TUES	6:30 PM	Midweek Fellowships @ Mast's
WED	6:30 PM	Midweek Fellowships @ Jepma's, Koedyker's, Pollard's
WED	7:00 PM	Hemmes's, Moeller's, & Wolters'
THU	7:15 PM	Women in Touch Prayer @ Heidi Covey's
FRI	6:00 AM	Men's Breakfast
SAT	6:30 AM	Men's Training Grounds
	9:30 AM	Christmas Program Rehearsal

LAST WEEK

Average Morning Attendance	235
Average Evening Attendance	95
Average Giving	\$6,182
Weekly Budget	\$5,219

UPCOMING

NOV 24	Secret Agent Sunday
DEC 1	No Sunday School or Evening Service
DEC 7	Final Christmas Program Rehearsal
DEC 8	Missions Emphasis SS Christmas Program
DEC 14	Caroling & Chili Supper

EVENTS & INFORMATION

THANKSGIVING BANQUET: We hope you are planning to join us next **Wed, Nov 20 at 6:00 pm** for our annual banquet. THANK YOU to all who volunteered to cook the meat! We are currently all set as far as the main dish goes. In an effort to have a bit of balance with side dishes, **please sign up** for a specific item on the clipboards in the Gathering Center. You can also sign up to help with set up/tear down. ALL SQUAD members are specifically invited to come at 4:30 to help with set up. If you have any questions, please contact Bethany Jacques at bjacques18@gmail.com.

MEMBERS' MEETING: Our next meeting will be **Sun, Nov 17 at 5:30 pm**. This is a time for us to discuss “family life” and help us grow in like-mindedness as we pursue Jesus together. We will also be voting on the proposed 2020 budget. Thank you for making these meetings a priority. (There will be no regular evening worship service that night.)

LADIES BIBLE STUDY Ladies Bible study groups will be starting a new book (God with Us – the Advent of Christ) beginning on Nov 19/20 (and meeting Dec 3/4 & 17/18), please contact Cara Thompson or Amy Buhl if you would like to join.

THANK YOU! Dear Ventura Family, what a tremendous gift and blessing you are to our families! The pastor appreciation gifts you gave us are greatly appreciated. We love you so much and are daily grateful to God for each one of you. Love, Timothy, Tracy, Isaiah, Samuel, Elisha, Elyse, Karis and David, Jamie, Brady and Dillon



Please continue to pray for our missionaries, Antonio & Diana Navarette. More updates and prayer requests will be sent in the weekly announcements email.



For more information and future events, please visit our church website at www.venturabaptistchurch.com and click on the “Calendar” tab.