

THIS WEEK @ A GLANCE

MAR 4	WED	10:00 AM 6:00 PM	Women's Systematic Theology Finger Food Fellowship— <i>Please bring a hearty snack or dessert to share.</i>
MAR 5	THU	7:15 PM	Women in Touch
MAR 6	FRI	6:30 AM	Men's Breakfast @ Big Apple Bagel on Waverly
MAR 7	SAT	6:30 AM	Men's Training Grounds Classes

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAR 8	Daylight Savings Time begins Discovering Ventura Class
MAR 14	Bridal Shower for Bailee Davito
MAR 15	Missions Emphasis Sunday School
MAR 15	Members' Meeting Safe Haven Training
MAR 19	Women in Touch
MAR 19-21	Elder Intensive
MAR 22	New Adult SS classes begin
MAR 29	Secret Agent Sunday Benevolence Offering Family Night—Evening Service SQUAD/SOWER Debate Night



What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Romans 8:31-32



For more information and future events, please visit our church website at:

www.venturabaptistchurch.com and click on the "Calendar" tab.

MISSIONARY of the MONTH:

Bryan and Heather MacPhail-Fausey

The MacPhail-Fausey's serve with Baptist Mid Missions, planting churches in urban Cameroon. They praise God that they are once again fully funded and ready to return to Cameroon in June 2020. They have been busy the past several months visiting supporting churches here in the US. Please be in prayer with them as they prepare to go back to Cameroon as well as

in all their travels between now and then. We will share more prayer requests throughout the month in our weekly activities and announcements email.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

- ◇ Announcements & Call to Worship Pastor Timothy Durey
Come Praise and Glorify Your Great Name
 - ◇ Song of Praise*
 - ◇ Song of Worship
 - ◇ Prayer of Corporate Confession & Lament Pastor David Pollard
*Grace and Peace
Oh How Good It Is*
 - ◇ Song of Confession
 - ◇ Song of Anticipation
 - ◇ Worship in Giving & Song Sara Johnson
Zach Moore
 - ◇ Children's Time
 - ◇ Message Pastor Timothy
1 Corinthians 1:1-3
"Saints Together by God's Calling"
 - ◇ Communion -Whether or not you are a member of Ventura, it is our desire to celebrate communion with any Christian who is looking to Jesus for forgiveness and for grace to follow Him.
 - ◇ Song of Response *Nothing That My Hands Can Do*
 - ◇ Benediction Romans 15:5-6
- *If you need assistance reading the lyrics for the songs, there are printed copies located under the TV in the Gathering Center.*

THE GOSPEL: The good news of God's love provided through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus; granting forgiveness for sin and eternal life to all who trust in Him for salvation.

EVENING SERVICE

	MAR 1	MAR 8	MAR 15	MAR 22	MAR 29
K – 3 rd Grade	What's in the Bible?	Puppet Ministry	Evening Members' Meeting (5:30)	Children's Choir	Family Night
4 th – 5 th Grade	Prayer Letters				
6 th – 8 th Grade SQUAD	Prayer	Puppet Ministry Help	Safe Haven Training (6:30)	SQUAD & SOWERS Combined	SQUAD & SOWERS DEBATE NIGHT
9 th – 12 th Grade SOWERS	SOWERS	SOWERS			
ADULTS	Pastor Timothy will be preaching a series on the 5 Solas. Tonight's topic is the "Authority of Scripture."				

WELCOME TO VENTURA

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

FIND COMMUNITY

Pursue growth, accountability and unity with other individuals or families through prayer and fellowship in a **Midweek Fellowship Group**. For more information contact Pastor Timothy at durey.vbc@gmail.com.

I AM INTERESTED IN A MWF GROUP

BECOME A MEMBER

Discovering Ventura classes meet several times a year to share Ventura's history and vision, core beliefs, and the meaning of membership. For more information contact Pastor Timothy at durey.vbc@gmail.com.

I AM INTERESTED IN DISCOVERING VENTURA

SERVE

We steward the grace we have received from God by using our gifts to serve. For more info email mail@venturabaptistchurch.com

I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING

List any areas of interest or skills:

CONNECT WITH US

We encourage you to fill out a **Connection Card** below so we can know how to serve you better and help you get plugged in. You can tear off this card and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to any one of our greeters.

I AM A...

- 1st TIME GUEST REGULAR ATTENDEE
 MEMBER OUT OF TOWN GUEST

PRIMARY CONTACT INFO

NAME _____

EMAIL _____

MOBILE # _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY, ST _____ ZIP _____

DOB / / _____ GENDER M F _____

MARITAL STATUS _____

SPOUSE

NAME _____ DOB / / _____

EMAIL _____

MOBILE # _____

CHILDREN

DOB / / _____

PRAYER REQUESTS/COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

- PRIVATE PRAYER CHAIN

DISCIPLESHIP & FELLOWSHIP

WOMEN'S DISCIPLESHIP

WOMEN IN TOUCH PRAYER: Ladies, you are all invited to a time of prayer and connecting with other women this **Thurs., Mar 5 and Mar 19 at 7:15pm** at Heidi Covey's home (16958 Durwood St.). Please see Heidi or Tracy Durey if you have questions.

MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Every **Friday at 6 am**, men are invited to meet together at Big Apple Bagel on Waverly to discuss what God is teaching them and to encourage each other in every area of their lives. All men are welcome! For more info please contact Ben Jacques.

MEN'S TRAINING GROUNDS: We currently have three classes being offered for men on Saturday mornings: **Bible Study & Community** (Jeff Lindell), **Church History & Systematic Theology** (Mike Davito), and **Biblical Theology** (Pastor Timothy—for members only). If you would like more information on these classes, please contact the group leader or call/email the church office.

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP

MIDWEEK FELLOWSHIP GROUPS: Prayer groups gather in various homes during the week for prayer and fellowship. Our desire is to encourage an atmosphere of accountability, spiritual growth, exhortation, and unity among one another. This is a wonderful way to connect with a smaller group within our church family. For more information or to join a group, please contact Pastor Timothy (durey.vbc@gmail.com) or one of the group leaders.

DISCOVERING VENTURA CLASS: Beginning next **Sun, Mar 8** (and **15, 29, and April 5**), Pastor Timothy will again be offering the "Discovering Ventura" class at 9:30 am during the Sunday School hour. If you are new to Ventura and are interested in joining our church family or if you would just like to know more about our church and how God has worked in it's history, please let Pastor Timothy know that you would like to attend (durey.vbc@gmail.com).

CHURCH FAMILY

BRIDAL SHOWER: Ladies, you are invited to a "Pampered Chef" wedding shower for Bailee Davito at the church on **Sat, Mar 14 at 10 am**. If you have not yet RSVP'd, please do so by calling or texting Kendra at (616)218-0568 or email mkdavito@ameritech.net. If you would like to contribute to a group gift, contact Cyndi Hemmes.

MISSIONS EMPHASIS SUNDAY SCHOOL: On **Sun, March 15**, the adult Sunday school classes will combined to hear from Drew and Grace Sanford with Ethnos 360. We hope you will be able to attend and encourage them in their ministry.

MEMBERS' MEETING: Members, please mark your calendars for our next meeting on **March 15 at 5:30 pm**. (There will be **NO** regular evening worship service that night.)

SAFE HAVEN MEETING: **Anyone** who works with children in any way at Ventura — please plan to attend our annual Safe Haven training on **Sun, March 15 at 6:30 pm**.

NEW ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES: New adult Sunday school classes will begin on **Sun, Mar 22**. We will have more information on those classes soon!

TRAINING GROUNDS 2020!: Mark your calendars for Fri evening, **July 17** and Sat, **July 18** for our annual kids' conference! This year's theme is **Power of Praise**. We are in need of lots of volunteers to make this highly anticipated event happen. Please begin praying about how you might get involved. If you have questions or would like more information, please contact Mary Price.

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STRONG
SAVIOR

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