

## THIS WEEK @ A GLANCE

FEB 7	MON	6:00 PM	Elder Meeting
FEB 8	WED	6:30 PM	Midweek Fellowship @ Mast's
FEB 9	WED	10:00 AM	Women's Discipleship Group
		6:00 PM	MWF @ Jepma's, Koedyker's
		7:00 PM	MWF @ Wolters' SQUAD/SOWERS Girls @ Zeinstra's
FEB 10	THU	6:00 AM 7:00 PM	Men's Discipleship Group Women's Discipleship Group
FEB 11	SAT	7:00 AM	Men's Discipleship Group

### ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

February 6—March 20

<b>Pastor Timothy</b>	<b>Discovering Ventura:</b> 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 its history, please let Pastor Timothy ( <a href="mailto:durey.vbc@gmail.com">durey.vbc@gmail.com</a> ) know that you would like to attend.
<b>Devon Scott</b>	<b>Is the Gospel Color Blind?:</b> Throughout the Biblical text, we see God's desire for a renewed people from all nations. What does that look like in terms of racial reconciliation?? Does the Gospel have any implications for how we relate to those of different cultures and ethnicities? Is Critical Race Theory (CRT) a solution to be used, or a problem to be avoided? See Devon with any questions!
<b>David Pollard</b>	<b>Radical Obedience:</b> The purpose of this class is to challenge believers to be distinct from this world in their radical obedience and to worship God by honoring authorities and loving others. Obedience is one of the primary marks of a true believer. Unfortunately, many in the church today not only approve of disobedience but also encourage divisions and dissensions among believers. Christians ought to guard themselves from falling prey to the schemes of the world and ought to demonstrate their love for God in their obedience.

Average Giving \$7,695 Weekly Budget \$7,423

Average Weekly Attendance for Sunday Mornings 214

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

<b>Announcements</b>	Pastor David Pollard
<b>Call to Worship</b>	Pastor Timothy Durey
<b>Song of Worship</b>	<i>God of Wonders</i>
<b>Song of Worship #48</b>	<i>Holy Holy Holy</i>
<b>Prayer of Corporate Confession and Lament</b>	
<b>Song of Lament #60</b>	<i>Be Still My Soul</i>
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Psalm 126
<b>Worship in Giving &amp; Song</b>	<i>We Will Feast in the House of Zion</i>
<b>Sermon</b>	Pastor Timothy
<b>Communion</b>	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.
<b>Doxology</b>	Jude 24-25

**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 ACTIVITIES

<b>Ages 4—5th grade</b>	Children's Annex
<b>SQUAD (grades 6-8) &amp; SOWERS (9-12)</b>	Auditorium
<b>Men's Discipleship Groups</b>	Gathering Center
<b>Women's Discipleship Groups</b>	Classrooms in Auditorium
<b>Choir</b>	Auditorium

### MISSIONARY of the MONTH:

#### Regan & Mellie Martin



The Martins have been serving for the last several years in Cape Town, Africa. In December, they safely returned to America for a year long furlough.

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## 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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:mail@venturabaptistchurch.com)

I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING

List any areas of interest or skills:



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## DISCIPLESHIP & FELLOWSHIP

### CHILDREN'S DISCIPLESHIP

**NURSERY:** We are blessed to assist in the undistracted ministry of the Word and the Gospel by providing a safe and loving environment for little ones to be cared for while their parents worship with the congregation at large. Nursery is available for children ages 2 and under during Sunday school, morning worship and Sunday evening activities.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Each Sunday morning at 9:30 am, we have the opportunity to pray and dive into the Word of God in a small-group context, offering something for all ages. Classes are divided into **Primary 1** - ages 3-4, **Primary 2** - ages 5 -6, **Lower Elementary** - grades 1-3, **Upper Elementary** - grades 4-5, and **SQUAD** - grades 6-8.

**SUNDAY EVENINGS:** We offer a children's program for ages 4 through 5th grade, as well as SQUAD (6th–8th grade) and SOWERS (9th-12th grade) from 5—6:30pm.

### ADULT DISCIPLESHIP

**ADULT SS CLASSES:** We are currently offering 3 classes: *Radical Obedience* (David Pollard), *Discovering Ventura* (Pastor Timothy), and *Is the Gospel Color Blind?* (Devon Scott). These classes will meet through March 20.

**DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS:** Men's & Women's discipleship groups meet on various days and times. If you would like more information about joining a group, please email Mark ([mdbuhl@gmail.com](mailto:mdbuhl@gmail.com)) or Amy ([akbuhl@gmail.com](mailto:akbuhl@gmail.com)) Buhl.

**Available Meeting Times:** Wednesday 10am (women), Thursday 6am (men) and 7pm (women), Saturday 7am (men), Sunday 5pm (men's and women's groups).

**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. For more information or to find out how to join one of these groups, please contact Pastor Timothy.

### CHURCH FAMILY

**CHOIR REHEARSAL:** Choir rehearsals will begin meeting on Sundays from 5:15-6:15pm. If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Mary Price [marylprice@gmail.com](mailto:marylprice@gmail.com).

**BAPTISM:** We look forward to celebrating new life in Christ through the baptizing of Mika Steenwyk on **Sun, Feb 20**. Praise God for his continuing work in our midst.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER TRAINING:** On **Sun, Feb 27** during the Sunday School hour (**9:30am**) in the Gathering Center, we will host an informational meeting on children's Sunday school and how people can get involved. We will be talking about Safe Haven, the Gospel Project Curriculum, and practical help. We will also have some of our current teachers share some of their experiences. Our hope is that this training will show people how they can help and just how easy it can be to get involved.



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