

The Year(s) Of Following Jesus #229 Can You Hear Me Now?

May 23, 2026

*Welcome Home!
Thanks for joining us today*

May 23 & 24, 2026

Honest Offering/I Surrender All

Welcome

Come Jesus Come

We Fall Down

Lord's Supper Thought

Breathe

Prayer

Communion

Lesson: The Year(s) of Following Jesus

#228 - Can You Hear Me Now? - Pastor Ed



Good Stuff To Know

Riverside Services Online- If you aren't in town on the weekend, you can still follow our services. We live stream each service on Facebook! You can also watch them anytime through Facebook by navigating over to <https://www.facebook.com/EagleRiverside>. And you don't need a Facebook account to watch the videos.

Offerings To Riverside - In case you were wondering- We don't pass a collection plate at Riverside. If you'd like to give, there are boxes at the back & envelopes in the information racks for cash donations. If you would like the convenience of giving online, go to www.EagleRiverside.com, click on "Give" and follow the directions. Your donations are an answer to our prayers and are the only means by which Riverside is able to operate.

FAQs - Have questions about why we do what we do and why we don't do what we don't do? Chances are you'll find more about it on our FAQs page. You can access the page from our website or text the word "Guest" to 907-312-2662 and you'll receive a link to the page.



First Time Visitors

The Lord's Supper (Communion)

This is a time when we "commune" with God and remember Jesus' sacrifice. We also "commune" with one another as His church family. You are welcome to participate with us by going to one of the tables set up with trays- each cup is actually 2 cups (bread in bottom and juice on top) so grab a set of cups and take it back to your place. You can eat/drink the cracker and juice whenever you feel ready and then throw the cups away on your way out (there are trash cans at all exits). Ask if you need gluten free. Everyone is welcome to join us if you're interested in remembering Jesus' life & sacrifice with us.

"Welcome To Riverside" brochure available online.
www.EagleRiverside.com

This Week At Riverside

(Specific info about these activities is listed in the "Happenings" section)

- ➔ Bible Study Online Wednesday
- ➔ Thrive Thursday
- ➔ Bring Items for Yard Sale

Need To Talk?...

The church office is not staffed during the week. There is a preschool that uses our building, so Ed, Aniela & Nate work from home. If you would like to contact them directly you can call them or email and set up an appointment.

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Riverside Happenings

Summer Schedule: Riverside's service schedule will change for the summer. For June, July, and August, there will be no Saturday night services. See Pastor Ed.

Bible Study - Meeting online every Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30 pm, led by Jake Belford (660) 233-1099. All are welcome.

Small Groups - Will start up soon, based on interest. See the flyer in the back.

Roof Fundraiser - We're planning a church yard sale fundraiser for the roof fund on May 29 & 30 and are looking for volunteers to help make it a success! If you're interested in helping with organizing donations, pricing items, setup, or working the sale, please sign up on the sheet in the back of the church. And don't forget to start setting aside your gently used items to donate for the yard sale—more details to come!

Riverside Potluck - June 14th, at 12:15 pm. See Jon for details.

Men's Breakfast - Third Saturday of each month. Saturday, June 20th. Show up at 8:30 if you want to help cook. Breakfast is at 9:00. See Pastor Ed for details.

Save the Date - Riverside's VBS will be July 20-23. See Abby or Taylor.

Baptism - Want to get baptized or have questions? Scan the QR code or go to www.EagleRiverside.com/baptism



Kids Move Up - If your kiddo finished 3rd grade, they can now start attending Ignite. If they finished 8th grade, they start Thrive. See Cassie, Taylor, or Aniela for details.

Upcoming Youth Events

Monday, June 1st, 6:00 - 7:30

Ignite and Rev (our two younger youth groups) will combine at Riverside for pizza, games, and a devotional.

For 4th - 8th graders. Questions? Like to help?

See Cassie.



Thursday, May 28th, 6:00 - 8:00

9th - 12th graders. At Riverside. Pizza, games, and a devotional.

Questions? Like to help? See Aniela.



To get updates, text the following to 907.312.2662:

"IGNITE" (4th & 5th) "REV" (6th-8th), -or- "THRIVE" (9th-12th).

Everybody's Welcome...

Nobody's Perfect...

Anything's Possible!

Following

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How Do I Know I'm Hearing From God



If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.

—James 1:5 (NIV)

Don't believe everything you hear just because someone says it is a message from God; Test it first to see if it really is!

—1 John 4:1 (TLB)

Anyone who wants to do God's will can test this teaching and know whether it's from God or whether I'm making it up.

—John 7:17 (MES)

How Do I “Test” An Impression?

1. What Does The Bible Say?

- *Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.*
—1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)
- *The word of God is alive and powerful. It is sharper than the sharpest two-edged sword, cutting between soul and spirit, between joint and marrow.*

It exposes our innermost thoughts and desires.

—Hebrews 4:12 (NLT)

2. Will It Make Me More or Less Like Jesus?

- *We will speak the truth in love, growing in every way more and more like Christ.*

—Ephesians 4:15 (NLT)

- *I keep praying that this faith we hold in common keeps showing up in the good things we do, and that people recognize Christ in all of it.*

—Philemon 1:4 (MES)

3. Do People I Trust Agree?

- *God's intent is that through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known.*

—Ephesians 3:10 (NIV)

- *The wisdom of the righteous can save you.*

—Proverbs 11:9 (GN)

4. What Does My Heart Tell Me?

- *The human heart is the most deceitful of all things, and desperately wicked. Who really knows how bad it is?*

—Jeremiah 17:9 (NLT)

- *Take delight in the LORD, and he will give you your heart's desires.*

—Psalm 37:4 (NLT)

5. Pray & Flip A Coin?

- *We may throw the dice, but the Lord determines how they fall.*

—Proverbs 16:33 (NLT)

- *And they prayed and said, "You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen..." And they cast lots for them, and the*

lot fell on Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

—Acts 1:23-26 (NLT)

Follow Through Step:

Spend some time reflecting on how God speaks to us. What are some “impressions” you’ve had that you believed were straight from God? What do you think of those impressions now?