

The Year Of Following Jesus #30: The Gospel & God's Mysterious Mobile Kingdom

July 23, 2022

*Welcome Home!
Thanks for joining us today*

July 23 & 24, 2022

Friend of God

Welcome

Cornerstone

Speak to the Mountains

Ten Thousand Reasons

Lord's Supper Thought

All Who Are Thirsty

Prayer

Communion

**Lesson: The Year of Following Jesus #30 -
The Kingdom (and the King) Are Near - 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 (and don't forget to social distance). 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). 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)

- ➔ Thrive Thursday
- ➔ Ignite/Rev help - August 1st
- ➔ Service project: school supplies.
- ➔ A/V help needed

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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Website: www.EagleRiverside.com

Facebook: EagleRiverside

Riverside Happenings

Service Project : School Supplies- Help Riverside gather school supplies for local students. Needed items: backpacks, crayons, Kleenex, glue, scissors, notebook paper (LOTS!), binders & dividers, pocket folders, rulers, pencil pouches, erasers and coats.

Ladies Craft Day - Bring your own craft and a dish to share. Saturday, August 13th, 10am-4pm at the church. See Becky 812-449-7004.

Hiking Group - Did you know Riverside has a Facebook hiking group? We hope to post a hike twice a month. Search for "Riverside Eagle River Hiking." Text Melissa with questions: 907-632-5499.

Summer Ignite/Rev Volunteers Needed - The 4th-8th grade youth group needs adult helpers. Events will be scheduled one per month, based on volunteer availability. Please sign up in the lobby and include your #. Our next Ignite/Rev is Monday, August 1st.

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



Write to our missionaries- There is a mailbox hanging under the missions bulletin board in the greeting area. Please pick up a communications pamphlet prior to writing a letter, then place letters unsealed (we have to review them for security phrasing) in the mailbox. If you have any questions, please text Melissa: 9076325499

Upcoming Youth Events

Monday, August 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 Aniela.



Thursday, July 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

The Year Of ^ Jesus #30

The Gospel & God's Mysterious, Mobile Kingdom

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he left Judea and returned to Galilee. He went first to Nazareth, then left there and moved to Capernaum, beside the Sea of Galilee, in the region of Zebulun and Naphtali.

—Matthew 4:12-13 (NIV)

The Grand Opening Announcement:

1. He's The King.

- *Jesus went into Galilee, where he preached [the gospel of God]. "The time promised by God has come at last!" he announced. "The Kingdom of God is near!"*

—Mark 1:14-15 (NLT)

2. He's The King Of My Mind.

- *Jesus and his companions went to the town of Capernaum. When the Sabbath day came, he went into the synagogue and began to teach. The people were amazed at his teaching, for he taught with real authority—quite unlike the teachers of religious law.*

—Mark 1:21-22 (NLT)

3. He's The King Of My Salvation.

- *After John was put in prison, Jesus went into Galilee, proclaiming the [Gospel] of God. "The time has come," he said. "The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the [Gospel]!"*

—Mark 1:14-15 (NLT)

- *The beginning of the [Gospel] about Jesus the Messiah, the Son of God.*

—Mark 1:1 (NIV)

- *For I am not ashamed of this [Gospel] about Christ. It is the power of God at work, saving everyone who believes... This [Gospel] tells us how God*

makes us right in his sight. This is accomplished from start to finish by faith. As the Scriptures say, "It is through faith that a righteous person has life."

—Romans 1:16-17 (NLT)

- *God made him who had no sin to become sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.*

—2 Corinthians 5:21 (NIV)

4. He's The King Of My Journey.

One day as Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew throwing a net into the water, for they fished for a living. Jesus called out to them, "Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!" And they left their nets at once and followed him.

—Mark 1:16-18 (NLT)

- *A little farther up the shore Jesus saw Zebedee's sons, James and John, in a boat repairing their nets. He called them at once, and they also followed him, leaving their father, Zebedee, in the boat with the hired men.*

—Mark 1:19-20 (NLT)

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—Mark 1:19-20 (NLT)

- *Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed. Simon and his companions went to look for him, and when they found him, they exclaimed: "Everyone is looking for you!" Jesus replied, "Let us go somewhere else—to the nearby villages—so I can preach there also. That is why I have come." So he traveled throughout Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and driving out demons.*

—Mark 1:35-39 (NLT)

- *Jesus replied, “You do not realize now what I am doing, but later you will understand.”*

—John 13:27 (NIV)

Follow Through Step #30:

Reflect on whether you’re following Jesus’ “thread” as you attempt to follow Him and ask yourself what you’ll do when that thread leads somewhere you don’t understand at all.

Riverside Info Texting System

At Riverside we aren’t terribly organized- in fact we’re sort of the poster church for “disorganized religion”. So we use a “text for information” system where how much info you get is controlled by you. You will never have someone call you without asking for a call. If you can’t find the info you need or have more questions or need some help reach out to one of the pastors directly- if we don’t answer try texting or emailing us and we may get your message sooner.

Pastor Ed - 907.306.2823, ednjude@gmail.com

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For info on any of the following areas simply text the keyword to 907-312-2662. You’ll get a text in return with a link to the info you asked for.

Frequently Asked Questions About Riverside- keyword= FAQs

Communion Info- keyword= Communion

New To Riverside? keyword= Guest

Want news and updates periodically? keyword= Loop

Want more info about following Jesus? keyword= Shine

Want info on baptism at Riverside? keyword= Baptism

Youth Programs At Riverside:

Want info on 4-5 grade programs? keyword= Ignite

Want info on 6-8 grade programs? keyword= Rev

Want info on high school programs? keyword= Thrive