

The Year(s) Of Following Jesus

#244: How Does God's Guidance System Work?

September 5, 2026

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.



Welcome Home!
Thanks for joining us today

September 6, 2026

Honey in the Rock

Welcome

Survivor

Even If

Lord's Supper Thought

It Is Well

Prayer

Communion

Lesson: The Year(s) of Following Jesus

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— Pastor Ed



Riverside Happenings

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 Tuesday
- Small Group Starts Wednesday
- Thrive Thursday
- Craft Group Saturday

Need To Talk?...

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

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Website: www.EagleRiverside.com

Facebook: EagleRiverside

Summer Schedule: Riverside's Saturday night services will restart on Saturday, September 12th.

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

Small Groups - A new round of small groups will begin September 9th and will run every Wednesday at 6 pm at the church. The new series is called "One at a Time." See Pastor Ed or Aniela for details.

Ladies Craft Day - Bring your own craft and a dish to share. Saturday, September 12th, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the church. Call Becky at 812-449-7004.

Riverside Potluck - September 13th, at 12:15 pm. Theme: cookout. Bring a side, salad, or dessert to share. See Jon for details.

Men's Breakfast - Third Saturday of each month. September 19th. Show up at 8:30 if you want to help cook. Breakfast is at 9:00. See Pastor Ed for details.

Riverside Moms in Prayer: We are moms filled with God's hope who no longer worry, but instead unite together with the POWER of prayer for our children. Call or text Teri Rose at 940-473-7171, or check out Riverside's bulletin board.

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

Riverside App - Did you know Riverside has its own app? Download here.



Upcoming Youth Events

Monday, September 14th, 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, September 10th, 6:00 - 8:00

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

Questions? Like to help? See Taylor.

To get updates, text the following to 907.312.2662:

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

IGNITE

REV

THRIVE

Everybody's Welcome...

Nobody's Perfect...

Anything's Possible!

Following

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How Does God's Guidance System Work?

HOW DOES
GOD'S GUIDANCE
WORK?

The Lord says, "I will make you wise and show you where to go. I will guide you and watch over you.

—Psalm 32:8 (NCV)

Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

—Matthew 11:28-30 (NRSV)

How Do I “Get” Guidance From God?

1. Turn To Jesus.

- *Come to me , all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.*

—Matthew 11:28 (NRSV)

- *I run in the path of your commands. For you have set my heart free.*

—Psalm 119:32 (WEB)

- *Nations are in uproar, kingdoms fall; he lifts his voice, the earth melts. The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Come and see what the Lord has done... He says, "Be still, and know that I am God.*

—Psalm 46:6-10 (NIV)

- *We can make our plans, but the LORD determines our steps.*

—Proverbs 16:9 (NLT)

2. Give Up Command.

- *Take my yoke upon you... For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.*

—Matthew 11:29 (NRSV)

- *We can make our plans, but the final outcome is in*

God's hands.

—Proverbs 16:1 (TLB)

- *The LORD works out everything for his own ends—even the wicked.*

—Proverbs 16:4 (NIV)

- *Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.*

—Galatians 5:25 (NLT)

Follow Through Step:

Spend some time reflecting on how God guides us. How do you see the metaphor of the yoke playing out in your life? How do you see your role playing out in all of this and how do you see God's hand in all of this?