

Welcome Home!  
Thanks for joining us today

September 25 & 26, 2021

Egypt

Welcome

At Your Name

Build My Life

Even If

Lord's Supper Thought

Oceans

Prayer

Communion

Lesson: The Gospel According to Moses

Part 2: Preparing for Salvation - 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](http://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.



(See Exodus 2:1-9) (03-29-2009)  
NEWS OF THE SUCCESS OF MOSES' MOTHER'S BASKET PLAN SPARKED WHAT WOULD LATER BE KNOWN AS THE GREAT BABY RUSH

### 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](http://www.EagleRiverside.com)

### This Week At Riverside

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

- Small Group Sunday
- FPU on Wednesday
- Bible Study Wednesday
- Thrive Thursday
- Moms in Prayer Meeting Thursday

### 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

**September Service Project** - This month, we're gathering period products to donate to schools and shelters in the community. Period Poverty leaves women worldwide (including here in Eagle River) without enough money to buy period products. That means they may have to miss work or school each month. Donate pads, tampons, menstrual cups, or any other period products here at the church. See Aniela for details.

**Bible Study is Back!** - Meet Wednesdays from 6:30-8ish. We'll be studying Luke. No prior bible study experience needed. See Pastor Ed.

**Boundaries Bible Study** - Coming soon, a bible study centered on the book, Boundaries. The group will be led by a Townsend trained counselor. Please contact Katie Beckwith at 907.862.7990 if you are interested.

**Riverside Small Group** - Sundays at 5pm. Questions? See Tayler or Kyle.

**Financial Peace University** - Financial Peace University is Wednesday. Change the way you think, handle, and communicate about money. Scholarships available. See Ty and Corina with any questions. Sign up for Financial Peace at [fpu.com/1139788](http://fpu.com/1139788).

**Moms in Prayer** - Thursday, September 30th 7:00-8:30pm at Community Covenant Church. Ladies - come pray for our kids in the Back to School Prayer Kickoff. Interested in joining a moms in prayer group? See Aniela.

### Upcoming Youth Events

#### Monday, October 4th 6:00 - 7:30

Ignite and Rev (our two younger youth groups) will combine on Monday nights at Riverside for pizza, games, and a devotional. For 4th - 8th graders. Questions? Like to help? See Tayler or Aniela.

#### Thursday, September 30th 6:00 - 8:00

9th - 12th graders. At Riverside. Pizza, games, and a devotional. Questions? Like to help? See Liz & Kyle, Tayler, or Aniela.

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!

# **The Gospel According To Moses #2.2**

## **Prepping For Salvation**

*Now Joseph and all his brothers and all that generation died, but the Israelites were exceedingly fruitful; they multiplied greatly, increased in numbers and became so numerous that the land was filled with them. Then a new king, to whom Joseph meant nothing, came to power in Egypt.*

*Exodus 1:1-2 (NIV)*

### **3 Observations On "Salvation"**

1. Salvation Is Not About \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Salvation Preparation Is Usually \_\_\_\_\_.

*\* The king of Egypt said to the Hebrew midwives, whose names were Shiphrah and Puah, when you help the Hebrew women as they give birth, watch as they deliver. If the baby is a boy, kill him; if it is a girl, let her live.*

*Exodus 1:16 (NLT)*

*\* Then Pharaoh gave this order to all his people: "Throw every newborn Hebrew boy into the Nile River. But you may let the girls live."*

*Exodus 1:22 (NLT)*

*\* Pharaoh heard what had happened, and he tried to kill Moses. But Moses fled from Pharaoh and went to live in the land of Midian.*

*Exodus 2:15 (NLT)*

*\* These things I plan won't happen right away. Slowly, steadily, surely, the time approaches when the vision will be fulfilled. If it seems slow, wait patiently, for it will surely take place. It will not be delayed.*

*Habakuk 2:3 (NLT)*

*\* Can anything ever separate us from Christ's love? Does it mean he no longer loves us if we have trouble or calamity, or are persecuted, or hungry, or destitute, or in danger, or threatened with death? No, despite all these things, overwhelming victory is ours through Christ, who loved us. And I am convinced that nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow— not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. No power in the sky above or in the earth below—indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord.*

*Romans 8: 35-39 (NLT)*

### 3. Salvation Preparation Is Almost Always \_\_\_\_\_.

*\* But because the midwives feared God, they refused to obey the king's orders. They allowed the boys to live, too. So the king of Egypt called for the midwives. "Why have you done this?" he demanded. "Why have you allowed the boys to live?" "The Hebrew women are not like the Egyptian women," the midwives replied. "They are more vigorous and have their babies so quickly that we cannot get there in time." So God was good to the midwives... and because the midwives feared God, he gave them families of their own.*

Exodus 1:17-21 (NLT)

*\* She saw that he was a special baby and kept him hidden for three months. But when she could no longer hide him, she got a basket made of papyrus reeds and waterproofed it with tar and pitch. She put the baby in the basket and laid it among the reeds along the bank of the Nile River. The baby's sister then stood at a distance, watching to see what would happen to him.*

Exodus 2:2-3 (NLT)

*\* Soon Pharaoh's daughter came down to bathe in the river, and her attendants walked along the riverbank. When the princess saw the basket among the reeds, she sent her maid to get it for her. When the princess opened it, she saw the baby. The little boy was crying, and she felt sorry for him. "This must be one of the Hebrew children," she said. Then the baby's sister approached the princess. "Should I go and find one of the Hebrew women to nurse the baby for you?" she asked. "Yes, do!" the princess replied. So the girl went and called the baby's mother. "Take this baby and nurse him for me," the princess told the baby's mother. "I will pay you for your help." So the woman took her baby home and nursed him. Later, when the boy was older, his mother brought him back to Pharaoh's daughter, who adopted him as her own son. The princess named him Moses,[a] for she explained, "I lifted him out of the water."*

Exodus 2:2-3 (NLT)

*\* Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away from me. But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me... For when I am weak, then I am strong.*

2 Corinthians 12:8-10 (NIV)

*\* About eight days after Jesus said this, he took Peter, John and James with him and went up onto a mountain to pray. As he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became as bright as a flash of lightning. Two men, Moses and Elijah, appeared in glorious splendor, talking with Jesus. They spoke about his departure, which he was about to bring to fulfillment at Jerusalem.*

Luke 9:28-31 (NIV)

Old Testament

# 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.

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- \* 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