



Matthew 4:1-11

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Jesus In The Wilderness

Context: The build up to Jesus public ministry.

Premise: Resisting the devil's testing was necessary to prove Jesus' holiness.

Jesus placed God's word over physical needs

Jesus placed obedience over extravagant signs

Jesus placed long-term faithfulness over shortcuts

Takeaways:

Obedience will lead to spiritual breakthroughs.

Obedience over a long period of time will always bear fruit.

Obedience is proof of our faith.



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DINNER8: There is still time to join a group for good food and fellowship. Please sign-up in the lobby.

ADULT EDUCATION: **Sunday at 8:30am** in **room 82**. Join us for a look at the **Foundations of the Faith** lead by Pastor Alex Vander Weide and Jacob Speer.

MIDWEEK: **The Gospel Way—Wednesday, September 23th, 6:30pm.** A 10-month study. Books are available \$6. It is not necessary to have the book. Nursery, Children's AWANA Program, & High School Ministries will be meeting.

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AWANA: Located in the Children's Chapel at **6:30pm** each **Wednesday** during the Midweek Service. For children Pre-K to 5th grade, & 6th-8th.

CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP: Lead by Pam Montenegro, meeting every other **Thursday** in the **SW Conference Room**. The meeting dates for **October** are the **1st, 15th, and 29th**.

2026 WOMEN'S RETREAT: - humility - Isaiah 66:1-2. **November 6-8th** at **Ironwood Christian Camp**. Come join us as we gather to worship, fellowship, and explore God's word about true humility, and what it means to cultivate it practically in our lives. Cost is \$250 and includes five meals. Cash payment plans available, see Krystal Battisti.

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FINANCIAL UPDATE 2026-2027 FISCAL YEAR

YTD Budget:	\$ 108,334	"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7 ESV)
Aug YTD Total:	\$ 107,830	

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