

**“The eyes of the LORD are toward the righteous
And His ears are open to their cry.
The face of the LORD is against evildoers,
To cut off the memory of them from the
earth.”**

-- Psalm 34:15,16



Justin Schmiedeke delivering an inspiring stewardship exhortation
Christ's Church
Great Falls, MT

**“But God turned away and delivered them up to
serve the host of heaven; as it is written in the book
of the prophets, ‘It was not to Me that you offered
victims and sacrifices forty years in the wilderness,
was it, O house of Israel? You also took along
the tabernacle of Moloch and the star of the god
Rompha...” -- ACTS 7:42,43**

On Christ our eyes are fixed in 2026 - (Heb. 12:1,2)

July 19, 2026

Christ's Church

Meeting at

30 Red Fox Lane — Bozeman

2902 17th St. S. — Great Falls

LaQuinta Inn — Butte

BOZEMAN - 8:45 - Matthew Wilson

9:00 am - classes

10:00 am - Assembly

St'dship - Bob Edgar

L.S. - Jerry Hoffman

Preaching - Luke Wilson

L.D. EVENING 7:00 PM -

***FULFILLED PROPHECIES - PHIL SUTTON**

L.S. - Cliff Renner

GREAT FALLS - 2:45 - Bobo Womagno

3:00 pm - classes

4:00 pm - Assembly

St'dship - Rick Vaught

L.S. - Levi DuPaul

Preaching - Caleb Wilson

BUTTE - 2:00 pm - Classes

3:00 pm - Assembly

L.S. - Jay Wilson

Preaching - Jay Wilson

Bozeman

Congratulations to **Christian**

Arriaga, born to Daniel and Selma

Arriaga on July 13!!

Congratulations to **Genesis Huitron**,

born to Tony and Evelyn Huitron on

July 15!!

Butte

July 19 - Fellowship dinner following assembly

BOZEMAN -

Wed. night, 7:00 pm:

Luke Wilson - "The
Minor Prophets"

GREAT FALLS -

Wed. night, 7:00 pm:

Caleb Wilson - "Equip-
ping for the work of
service"

The LORD your God
is in your midst...
He will rejoice over you
with joy,
He will be quiet
in His love.

Zephaniah 3:17, NASB

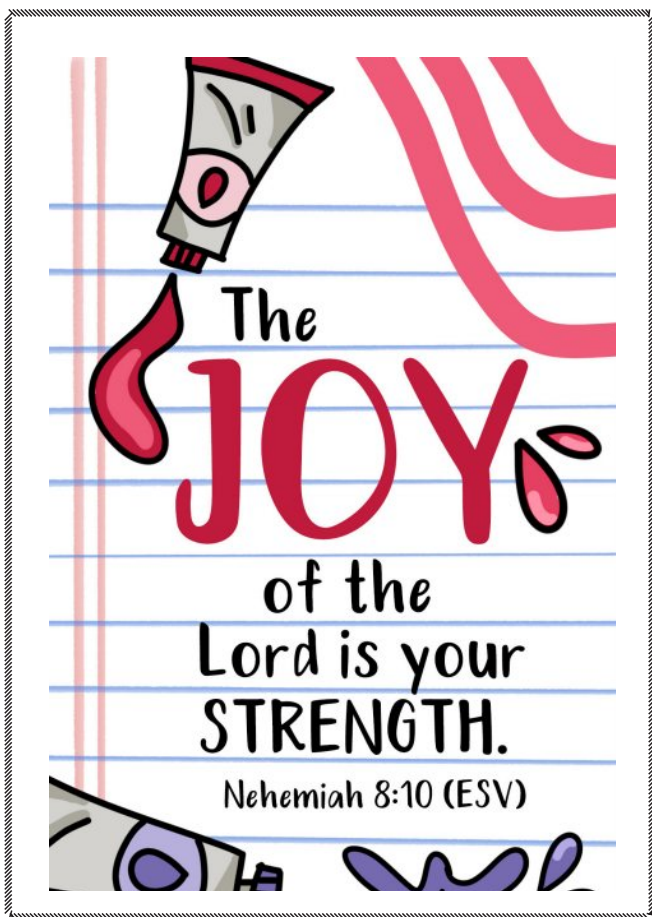
ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Men's Peaks - July 23-25, 2026; "Themes from First
Thessalonians"

Family Camp - Sept. 4-7, 2026; "Awesome Prophe-
cies from Psalms"

Great Falls

July 19 - Prayer and fasting for
evangelism



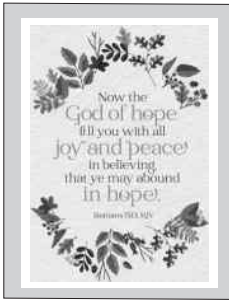
Quotation of the week:

“The word of God tells every Christian that he must be a good listener, sensitive to the obvious and hidden questions of the inquirer. And the word also emphasizes, ‘And the Lord’s bond-servant must ...,’ followed by the list of qualities which make for effective soul-winning. Otherwise the would-be discipler is going over the ground without reaping any of the harvest, and the Lord is going to have to send somebody else in to do the job.” -- *Enthusiasm in Evangelism*, “Caring: Overcoming Honest Objections”

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Bible School – 63
Morning Assembly – 109
Evening Assembly – 61

Wednesday Night (7/15) – 54
Butte Lord’s Day – 22 (ph: 4)
GF Lord’s Day – 55, 92 Wed. - 50



“What then?” - Apostle Paul to the Romans

After the Flood...

Noah and his family stepped off the ark onto a fresh world, washed clean from the evil that had precipitated the Flood. The question is going to be, “How will Noah’s descendants fare spiritually from this fresh beginning?” The answer is going to be: “They are going to plunge headlong down the same destructive path as their pre-Flood forefathers.” God, however, did some things to disperse the destruction a bit, and open a somewhat clearer path for men to look to the true Creator. He decreased the age of longevity, He scattered them at Babel that there might be more opportunity for men to seek God and find Him, and He instituted capital punishment. Eventually, by about 2000 BC, Abraham is going to show up as a faithful man, and God is going to get some traction in His long war against Satanic-driven idolatry. But there is a long trail of spiritual destruction before that happens.

- **Major refusal** – What might be called “human nature” — man who by his own choice steps into sin and the snare of the devil — is consistent, and it is consistently contrary to God’s will. The descendants of Shem, Japheth, and Ham from Babel scattered across the globe, “according to their families, according to their languages, by their lands, by their nations” (Genesis 10:20). As soon as they began planting, harvesting, building, buying and selling, marrying and giving in marriage, they focused downward on earth and turned their heads away from the God who gave them all the good things. “For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God, or give thanks” (Romans 1:21). There was no doubt in the minds of the early generations following Noah that the Flood had occurred (legends of the Flood still show up today in most of the histories of the nations and civilizations). There was no doubt in their minds that the Flood had happened because of man’s descent into violence and rejection of Him and His principles. However, the twin drives of “this is what I want now,” and “I can do this without God” overshadowed the Flood’s lesson, and they refused to honor God or give Him the appropriate thanksgiving. The Creator is not going to be happy about such entitlement!
- **Result** – What happens when a person knows that there is a Creator God to whom he is accountable, but wants to refuse to acknowledge Him? He has to come up with alternative explanations about the origins of life and history in order to have some answers to mankind’s basic questions. The result: “they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish heart was darkened” (Romans 1:21). “Futile in their speculations...” What a statement! Thus the ancient world was driven into an abyss and labyrinth of mythology, worship of idols, and the resultant destruction of morality and decency.

So what about modern man? How fares the “enlightened,” the “most advanced civilization in history,” the one who “has moved past all the superstitions and legends of the past”? He is still being pointed in the direction of Hindu and Buddhist “enlightenment and peace,” he is still being sent down the direction of Mohammed-created “Allah” and its destructions, he is educated in the false narrative of evolution and “deep time” (mythology cloaked in scientific language), and increasingly his attention is being directed toward “aliens.” Anything but the God of the Bible, revealed by the narrative of Jesus Christ and its attendant doctrines! He has also become “futile” in his speculations.

And just like the ancients following the Flood, modern men are rightly described as those whose “foolish heart was darkened.” The “god of this world [Satan]” has blinded their minds, the “prince of the power of the air [Satan]” is working in the minds of the disobedient (2 Corinthians 4:3,4; Ephesians 2:2). They by their own choices have entered “the domain of darkness” and can only be delivered by turning to God in immersion into Christ and thus transferred into the kingdom of Christ (Colossians 1:13,14). May modern saints rise to the challenge, and take the enlightenment of the gospel of the glory of Christ into this world!

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the ancients follow-
ing the Flood, “fool-
ish hearts darkened”**

JAY WILSON