

Sermon Notes:

1. The _____ question:
Why have you _____ me?
He _____ who God is and
what God has _____ in the past.
He felt _____ than human because of the
_____ of his enemies.
In spite of _____ that way, he
remembered how God had taken care of him
since _____.
2. A _____ for help.
I need you to _____ me God!
3. _____ to God!

Welcome to the
Marysville Berean Church

September 30, 2018



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A tape or CD of this morning's message (or previous messages) is available after the service. Write on the Welcome Card if you would like a copy.



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Today's sermon topic:
"Feeling Forsaken by God"

Psalm 22

Our mission as a church is to present Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord to our community and world, and teach His followers from the Bible how to love, serve, and glorify Him.

If you are visiting with us today we are so glad to have you in our service! We have a welcome packet for you on the back table.

Sunday school classes are offered for all ages.

Adult Bible Study Class offered:

"Instructing a Child's Heart" in the upstairs room overlooking the sanctuary led by Ellen Barber

"Every Man a Warrior" in the upstairs youth room led by Frank Shoemaker

"Fear of Man" in the sanctuary led by Jim Musil

Today's Announcements

Children ages 4-3rd grade will be dismissed after the offertory to go upstairs for Children's Church.

New refreshment, nursery, cleaning, and children's church worker schedules are in the mail folders of those involved with those ministries.

A new Sunday school class for women who desire to encourage each other through childrearing and grandparenting, *"Instructing a Child's Heart,"* begins today. See above for class location.

A new Sunday school class for men who desire to encourage each other in discipleship begins today with "Every Man a Warrior" led by Frank Shoemaker. See above for class location.

The Marysville Pro-Life Chain will take place Sunday, October 7, from 2 to 3:30 p.m. at the corner of Hwys. 36 & 77 (10th & Center). Signs will be available on location. For more information call 562-2600 or 744-3203.

Our missionaries, Miguel and Jenny Bejarano, with their two young sons Nathaniel and Benjamin, will be with us on Sunday, Oct. 14. If anyone would like to provide a meal for them on Saturday, either for lunch or supper, contact Pastor Joel or the church office.

If you wish to provide Awana snacks, sign up on the sign up sheet on the refreshment table or contact Nancy Fincham at 562-2436.

We just finished up a series in our adult study on effective ways to keep ourselves pure and our children pure in an age of pornography. If you missed any of the lessons, you can find the helpful resources we used at <https://www.covenanteyes.com>. At the bottom right of their homepage you will find Resources to click on.

Today's Events

4:00 p.m. – *Moms in Prayer group – check with Mona for location*

5:30 p.m. – *Jail Ministry*

6:30 p.m. – *Youth Group meets at the church*

6:30 p.m. – *AWANA at the Armory – Crazy Hair Night*

6:30 p.m. – *Cubbies at the church*

This Week's Events

Bible Study at Elm St. Apts. – Tuesday at 6 p.m.

Bible Study at the Grunds led by Doug Argo – Wed. at 7

Men's Prayer Time at the church – Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Coming Events

Pro-life Chain – Sunday, Oct. 7 from 2-3:30 p.m.

Fall Fest – Oct. 31 from 6-8 p.m.

SUNDAY SERVANTS:

Infant Nursery today: Chad and Rubiel

Oct. 7: Lisa and Jenni

Toddler Nursery today: Musil family

Oct. 7: Aaron and Renee

Sunday School Nursery today: Susan and Lisa

Oct. 7: Brandi and Becky

Children's church workers today: Levi and Talysha

Oct. 7: Pat and Allison

Refreshments for Oct. 7: Regina, Robin, Lisa, Bonnie

Offertory for Oct. 7: Ellen, Rachel, Beth

Greeters for Oct. 7: R. Boeschling

Cleaning for Oct. 7: Boeschling

Attendance Ushers for October: Doug and Greg

Our Persecuted Brothers and Sisters

Mexico - Authorities in Chiapas have forced nearly 30 Christians out of their homes and off their farmland simply because they are Christians. The men and women, who are also losing most of their personal belongings, are being humiliated, beaten and detained for days at a time by local government authorities. A VOM partner is prepared to help with short-term housing and food, but long-term solutions are needed. Please pray that these brothers and sisters will continue to place their trust in Christ as their earthly possessions are taken away. Pray that they will find new housing and sources of income, and that their faith will be a light to those watching their mistreatment.



Prayer requests for September 30, 2018



Pray that our church would have an increasing burden to go to every person with the Gospel, bring people to Christ, and train them to train others in this mission.

News from Our Missionaries

MarE Whitson, serving with FCA, **the Lunows**, serving in Indonesia, and **the Heizers**, serving with Biblical Ministries Worldwide, have sent their October updates. These have been emailed to the congregation, but hard copies are on the back table.

Updates

Rob Pinnick – is in Omaha undergoing more testing.

Ongoing Health Concerns

Mindi Heizer – numerous health issues have arisen – pray they will be accurately diagnosed and treated.

Kevin Thom – is undergoing therapy on his knee and is still experiencing some pain.

Tim Fuller – family friend of the O'Neils, pray he stays healthy for a year in order to qualify for a liver transplant.

Shaun O'Neil – Jodi's brother-in-law, is undergoing daily radiation treatments for seven weeks.

Dennis Kraemer – Jenni Perry's dad, is in the last stages of cancer and has been placed on hospice. Pray he can be kept comfortable during this time.

Deb Lambert - Andy Kwapnioski's mother, is battling cancer as well as an infection that is not responding to antibiotics.

Caleb Pinnick – undergoing therapy on his shoulder.

Haylee Whitson – her headaches are not as severe or as frequent. Continue praying they will completely subside.

Other Concerns

Pray for **Eric and Sylvia Clacio** as they work toward becoming U.S. citizens that it would go through quickly.

Our Church

Pray for those in the military: Nick Boeschling stationed in Washington state.

Elder: Jim Musil; Deacon: John Hula; Family: Joe Zimmerman

Our Country/State/County/Town

*Pray for president Trump, his cabinet, vice president Pence, Supreme Court Justices, our US Senators and Representatives, our governor, state senators and representatives, city administrator, our mayor, city council, county commissioners, county and city attorney, law enforcement, school administrators and teachers.

*Pray for revival.

Pray for those who were and are still being affected by Hurricane Florence.

Our Sister Church in Carmathe, Haiti

Plans to dig the well have been postponed until November.

Our Persecuted Brothers and Sisters

Palestinian Territories is #36 on the 2018 Open Doors persecution watch list. Palestinian Christians are caught in the middle of the ongoing Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Their faith makes them minorities within the Muslim-majority Palestinian community, and their Arab ethnicity results in numerous restrictions on the Israeli side. In the West Bank, laws generally protect religious freedom while Gaza is more restrictive. In general, Palestinian society considers conversion from Islam to Christianity to be unacceptable. Pressure has escalated in the territories due to increasing political instability.

Pray for peace and stability to enter the region.

Pray with Christians in this region for courage to live out their faith and foster Christ's peace in the country.

Pray that Christians would be salt and light in their communities, especially by loving their Muslim neighbors.

India - Two pastors have been detained since July 22, when they were arrested on accusations of running a 13-year "conversion racket." The men were teaching a discipleship lesson to 18 believers when members of the Hindutva youth movement interrupted their class and accused them of converting people by allurement. Police held the entire group overnight, releasing everyone but the pastors and two other believers the following morning. A local newspaper published the story as "conversion racket exposed," reporting that the two pastors had been converting Hindus from the area for the past 13 years and that police had sealed their office. The children of the imprisoned Christians have been left without means of support or even daily food. Please pray for the pastors and for the provision of their families.