

This Morning's Message
Puzzling Parables
Ready and Waiting



F A M I L Y N E W S

October 1, 2017

When God calls you, does he get a busy signal?

Men Pursuing God kickoff this Thursday – Men of His Place! MPG is kicking off again this Thursday, October 5th. *Men Pursuing God* is a community of men that want to grow in their knowledge of God and their understanding of His Word. This is a great time to connect with God and other guys from His Place. Each week we get refilled, retooled, and refocused for the journey. Join us! We meet every Thursday from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. Come early for fellowship and home-baked goodies.

Arktoberfest helpers needed – Want to be part of one of our biggest community outreach events? Arktoberfest needs you! Carnival games, prizes, pony rides, a cake walk, three huge bounce attractions, good food, and fun for all are coming to Arktoberfest in the Ark, sanctuary, and Youth House area on Halloween night.

To ensure a night full of fun we need 250 volunteers to help set up, decorate, run games the night of the carnival, and clean up after the event. We also need 200 cakes donated for the cake walk. If you are interested in helping in one or more of these areas, please sign up at the table in back or contact Linda Brown at 757-8961 or e-mail lindab@hisplacechurch.com.

Pure Eyes men's group starting soon – Even with the best of intentions, it's easy to find ourselves slipping from God's path for sexual purity into the ruts of the world around us, and suffering the consequences in our lives and relationships. Learning and growing together with an authentic supportive group of brothers pursuing purity is a powerful remedy! A new nine-week group based on the book *Pure Eyes* is starting Wednesday night, October 11th in the Chart House. To learn more or sign up, contact Nick DeRose (360-391-0165; nick_derose@comcast.net) or John Birk (360-420-0415; johnb@hisplacechurch.com). You'll be glad you did!

Keeping it clean – Our big family needs seven more volunteers in order to keep our cleaning tasks bite-sized as we make our church home sparkle. If you can help just twice a month for about an hour any time on Mondays or Fridays, please see Kim Burke at the back table this morning.

FAITHFULNESS IN ACTION: 2017

Budgeted Income	-3.1%	Missions & Outreach Spent	\$134,843	Average Attendance	835
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