



## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Sunday, October 21

8AM Worship, WC  
252 Street, Children's  
Bible Study, Room 17

9:30AM Worship, WC  
252 Street, Children's  
Bible Study, Rooms 16-19  
Adult Bible Studies,  
Rooms 9-15;101-103  
Youth Bible Study, Rooms 13-14

11AM Worship, WC  
252 Street, Children's  
Bible Study, Rooms 16-19  
Adult Bible Studies, Rooms 9-14  
Spanish Service, SC

1PM Grief Share, Rooms 10-11

4PM Admin Council, Room 103

5PM Summit, SC  
Children's Choir, WC  
Mom's In Prayer, Room 100

### Tuesday, October 23

9AM MAD Needlers, FH

9:30AM Motherhood, SC

6PM Parenting Class, SC

6:30PM Path Walkers, Rooms 18-19  
Women's Bible Study, Room 12  
Men's Bible Study, Rooms 10-11

### Wednesday, October 24

10AM Scripture Quilters, FH

1:30PM Adult Bible Study, Rooms 10-11

6PM Adult Choir, WC  
AWANA  
Mom's Bible Study, Rooms 10-11  
Women's Precepts, Room 100

6:30PM Adult Bible Study, Chapel

### Thursday, October 25

6:45AM Men's Fellowship Breakfast,  
The Cracked Egg Restaurant

9AM Path Walkers, SC

6PM Trek & Journey, Rooms 13-14

6:30PM Men's Bible Study, Room 12  
College/Young Adult Bible Study

### Friday, October 26

6PM Friday Fellowship, Room 100  
Spanish Service, SC

## An Encouraging Word

Have you ever been unjustly harassed or criticized simply because you are a Christian? If you have, you are in good company. They crucified Jesus. They cut off the head of John the Baptist. They stoned Stephen. Around the world, there are thousands of Christians in prison and being murdered simply because they hold to the name of Jesus Christ.

Living in America, we know very little about persecution. We have it easy compared to the rest of the world. But the fact remains that if you are living for Christ, you will be persecuted in this world. It may be tension in the family, discrimination at work, or mocking from unbelievers. Whatever the reason, I encourage you to remember the words of Jesus:

*Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.*  
Matthew 5:10-12

Be encouraged,  
**Pastor Rob**

## Happy are the Harassed

Matthew 5:10-12

For my sermon today, I want to share with you six ways you can respond to people who oppose you because of your faith in Christ.

1. Recognize the \_\_\_\_\_. (Ephesians 6:12)
2. Refuse to \_\_\_\_\_. (Romans 12:17-19)
3. Respond \_\_\_\_\_. (Romans 12:21)
4. Rejoice \_\_\_\_\_ it. (Matthew 5:12)
5. Remember your \_\_\_\_\_. (Matthew 5:12)
6. Remain \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Peter 4:19)



Attendance - October 14, 2018	
Green Valley	942
College Park	121
McDonald Ranch	56
Multi-cultural	108
<b>Total Worship</b>	<b>1,227</b>

<i>Giving for October 14, 2018</i>
<i>Weekly Offering</i>
<b>\$</b>
<i>Weekly Budget</i>
<b>\$48,229.00</b>

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