

Who is YOUR King?!?

Ready for His Return

Matthew 23:29-24:14

Introduction: *End of the woes & the woes of the end*

(cf. 5:10-12; 12:38-39; 16:1-4; Acts 1:6-7)

- literary connections
- logical connections
- fundamental questions:

The beauty and challenge of prophecy:

- poetic descriptions . . .
- comforting messages . . .
- compelling calls . . .
- extensive use of . . .
- translucent details about . . .

Essential lessons from Christ's response:

vv. 4-14

Don't be _____

Don't be _____

[Instead, _____]

vv. 15-31

Prepare for _____!

Look for _____!

[Ignore _____]

vv. 42-44

Watch!

Be ready!

[No one knows the day or hour]

Our response:

WELCOME TO BBC!



Worship Service

Opening Song	Overcome
	You Came
	God of Revival
Offering	O Praise the Name
Sermon	<i>Ready for His Return</i>
	Happy Day

We are here to proclaim Christ to the world until He comes, through our worship and our relationships.

Tom Hocking	Pastor	310-502-3232
Robert Johnson	Assoc. Pastor	562-842-6770
Jason Friese	Assoc. Pastor (Youth)	760-703-8459
Alfredo Vega	Assoc. Pastor (Habla Español)	562-895-5162
Martin Lopez	Assoc. Pastor (Church Planting)	714-820-0659
Allison & Courtney	Wedding Coordinators	562-896-8457
Church Office	Office number	562-925-6561

Youth Camping Trip

We're having a youth camping trip on July 9-11. We have lots of students from our community interested in coming who have never been camping before and do not have any camping equipment. Would you be able to let us borrow a tent or other camping gear? talk with Jason at 760-703-8459.

**JUN.27
2021**



**WEEK
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We Proclaim Christ through generous worship and grace-filled relationships

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Tom Hocking
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Mark Your Calendar

Date/Time	Event	Location
Today 9:00 AM	Worship	Sanctuary
10:45 AM	Sunday School	All over the place!

Attendance	Last Week	Last Year
Morning Worship	150	112
Sunday School	64	0

Special Projects	YTD	Budget
Mexico Mission Trip	\$3,865.42	\$9000

Adult Bible Fellowships

Class:	Tethered in Faith	Couples	Family Focus	Lost & Found	Truth Trekkers
Room #:	wetzel	200	Office	201	110
Topic:	I Corinthians There is hope for the trouble church	Joel	Eternity Is Now in Season	Hebrews	The Minor Prophets
Teacher:	Steve Cohen	Bob Clarke	Al Siebert	Paul Woodward	Jerry Bollinger

	General Fund	Mission Salaries	Mission Projects
Opening Balance 1/1/21	\$37,898	\$5,398	\$5,179
Budgeted Income	\$145,408	\$30,272	\$3,460
Actual Income	\$158,630	\$29,681	\$2,736
Budgeted Expense	\$145,408	\$30,272	\$3,460
Actual Expense**	\$145,089	\$30,872	\$2,396
Closing Balance 5/31/21	\$51,439	\$4,207	\$5,519

Fireworks stand

It's time for our annual youth fundraiser with the fireworks stand. This year our entire youth budget is coming from this fundraiser. We'd love to have your help with selling the fireworks. If you're interested in helping, contact Jason at 760-703-8459.



Mexico Ministry Trip

A mission trip is in the works for July 29-Aug. 4. The team of 15 [including 4 elders] will minister to adult, youth, and children at our daughter churches in San Antonio and Jilquipan. Please pray that God would prepare the hearts of each team member [and supply passports to those who still need them.] Also, pray for those to whom they will be ministering "in word and deed." You can support the team financially by directing your in-person or online gift to "Mexico Mission Trip 2021". If writing a check, make it out to: **Bellflower Brethren Church** and **do not** write anyone's name on the line at the bottom of your check so you will be able to take a tax deduction.. Put **check or cash in a church envelope** and write your name, address, and Mexico Mission Trip 2021. The Mexico Team is led by Pastor Alfredo, Ana, and Freddy Vega. Participants include Natalie Vega, Daniel Vega, David Zambrano, Pastor Robert and Stephanie Johnson with children Kate, Luke, and Chad, Pastor Martin and Patty Lopez, Mark Schrock, and Maria Martinez and her husband, Moises Hernandez & Noemi Vega.

Pie with the Pastor

You can learn about the history and beliefs of Bellflower Brethren Church [and apply for membership] via a membership seminar at Pastor Tom & Tami's home on Sunday night, July 11 from 6-8:30 PM. Text Pastor Tom [310-502-3232] or call the church office [(562) 925-6561] to reserve a spot. You must register in order to attend so that we can prepare the appropriate amount of seminar materials.



Stephen Selvanayagam	1	Bertha Zambrano	17
Theo Friese	1	Alfredo Vega	18
Jacob Zambrano	5	Tony Ballardo	19
Diego Melgar	6	Steve Harte	25
Don Lemke	11	Boaz Lee	27
Zephyr Ferm	11	Steve Farris	28
Von Cashman	11	Doris Villalobos	28
Brett Schulthies	12	Maritza Vega	28
Deanise Rojas	12	Natalie Vega	29
Phyllis Seger	14	Al Siebert	31
Isaac Taylor	14	Mildred Lopez	31
Rodica Cernucan	14		
Melissa Seger	15		



ANNIVERSARIES

Jose Luis & Lourdes Cervantes.....	July 11
Guy & Vicki Johnson.....	July 12
Matthew & Amy Bellomo.....	July 13
Bob & Sue Clarke.....	July 16
Archie & Kris Trammell.....	July 19
Mark & Debby Schrock.....	July 22

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July 12 – 16 from 6 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.

Volunteer Positions that are OPEN! Please sign up by using the SCAN on your phone. (If unable, contact Savannah Wilkinson.)

Snack Leader
Game Helper
1st – 2nd Grade Leader
1st – 2nd Grade Helper
5th – 6th Grade Leader
5th – 6th Grade Helper
Large Group Leader
Large Group Helper

We ALSO need volunteers for the Carnival on July 17th from 10 A.M. – 3 P.M.

5 -Volunteers Carnival Booths
2 -Volunteers Sno-Cone Machine
2 -Volunteers Cotton Candy Machine
2 -Volunteers Jumper/Obstacle Course

The nursery will be open for volunteers' children who are too young for VBS.

If you can't be there but want to help, please Text/Call Savannah (562) 296-7114 and ask for the link to the Donation Spreadsheet to Adopt a Student or Station! Any amount is helpful!

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