

**Real Wisdom for Real Life**  
*Humility: The Doorway to Grace!*  
 Selected Proverbs

**Introduction:**

[30:10-14; cf. 2 Ch. 7:14; Ja 4:10]

**The poisonous characteristics of \_\_\_\_\_**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Consequence:  
[13:10; 14:3; 28:25-26]
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Consequence:  
[6:16-17a; 16:5a; 21:24; 24:9b; 29:8]
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Consequence:  
[21:2-4; 29:23; cf. Ph. 2:3]
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Consequence:  
[15:25a; 16:18f.; 17:19; 18:12; 28:11; Ja 4:1-2, 6]

**The paradoxical benefits of \_\_\_\_\_**

1. Abundant . . .  
[11:2; 15:33; 29:23; cf. Ma. 18:4; 23:12]
2. Infinite . . .  
[22:4; cf. Ja. 4:10; 1 Pe. 5:7]

**The pathway from \_\_\_\_\_**

1. Restrain . . .  
[30:32]
2. Redemptively . . .  
[16:19a; 25:7; 31:20; cf. Mk. 10:43-45]
2. Redirect . . .  
[29:23; cf. Ph. 2:3-5; Co. 3:12; 1 Pe. 5:6-7]
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**Our Response:**



**Worship Service**

Opening Song	I Speak Jesus
	Goodness Of God
	Endless Praise
Offering	In Christ Alone
Sermon	<b><i>Humility: The Doorway to Grace!</i></b>
Closing Song	The Blessing

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

**SEP.04  
2022**



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

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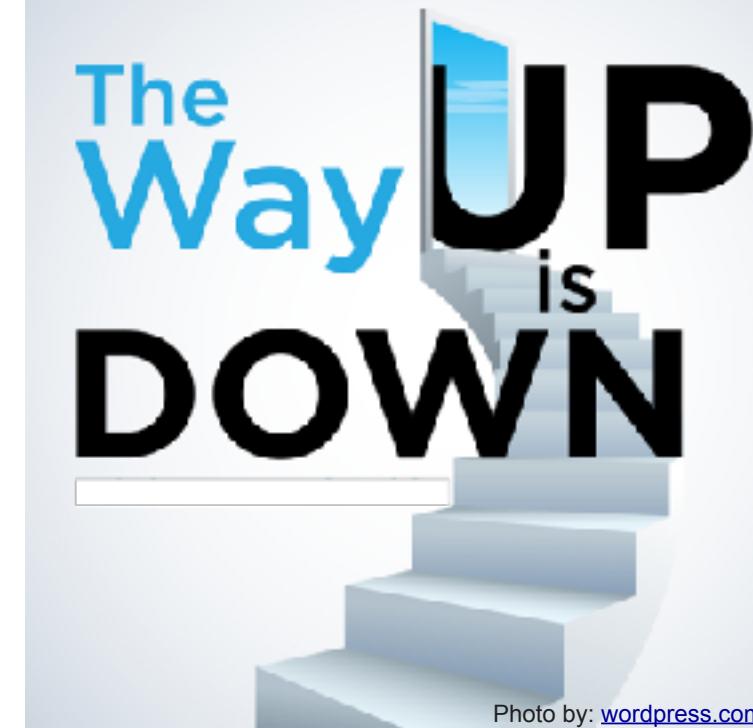


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**Pastor Tom Hocking  
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# Mark Your Calendar

Date/Time		Event	Location
Today	9:00 AM	Worship	Sanctuary
Mon		Church Office Closed	

Attendance		Last Week	Last Year
Morning Worship		193	185
Sunday School		136	60

## Adult Bible Fellowships

Class:	Tethered in Faith	Couples	Family Focus	Lost & Found	Truth Trekkers
Room #:	206	200	Office	201	110
Topic:	1 Timothy	Romans	What If Jesus Was Serious About Prayer?	1st & 2nd Corinthians	The Minor Prophets
Teacher:	Steve Cohen	Bob Clarke	Al Siebert	Paul Woodward	Jerry Bollinger

General Fund		Mission Salaries	Mission Projects
Opening Balance 1/1/22	\$34,683	\$6,781	\$2,463
Budgeted Income	\$219,893	\$47,282	\$4,173
Actual Income	\$238,197	\$46,328	\$12,471
Budgeted Expense	\$219,893	\$47,282	\$4,173
Actual Expense	\$223,739	\$46,065	\$9,650
Closing Balance 7/31/22	\$49,140	\$7,043	\$5,283

# Women's Bible Study

The Monday night Women's Bible Study, which meets at Connie Cashman's home from 6:30-8 PM, will be reading, this fall, the book A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23 by W. Philip Keller. We'd like for you to join us as we travel the Shepherd's path to the green pastures and cool, refreshing waters of Psalm 23 seen through the eyes of Philip Keller, a shepherd himself. He shares his insights into the life and character of sheep and the Good Shepherd who loves and cares for them (and you!) We will begin discussing the book on September 26th. Let Heather Barth or Connie Cashman know if you can join us.

## 2022-2023 Leadership Ballot

In two weeks, BBC members will have the opportunity to affirm the 22-2023 slate of pastors, deacons and elders. Please preview the ballot and, if you spot a concern, contact a pastor or elder as soon as possible. The meeting will be held in the worship center following our 10:30 AM bilingual service and preceding the potluck.

## Church Picnic Postponed to October 2

In light of the extreme temperatures expected this Sunday, the all-church picnic potluck has been postponed until Sunday, October 2. More information to come.

# Preschool Mom's Group

If you have preschool age children and would like to have them have some play time with other children and enjoy some conversation and prayer time with other moms/ grandmoms, please call Patti Lopez [a Christian who lives near our church] at 562-925-1310.

## YFC Events

### YFC Starting Line Pop-up Coffee Stop

This next Saturday 9AM to 10AM @ BBC Annex Come in person or virtually & get a Run-Walk-t-shirt & chance for a door prize.

### YFC Run-Walk For Youth

November 5 Simms Park & BBC sign up at [yfcrun.com](http://yfcrun.com)

## Following Jesus Together

On September 18 we will introduce a special teaching series called "**Following Jesus Together**" that several other area churches will be participating in as well. Our Sunday School classes [youth through adult] will use a corresponding curriculum as we consider 7 key features of what it means to be a true follower or disciple of Jesus. Even our kids will engage with the theme so that families can discuss what we learn. Please use one of the enclosed invitation cards to invite a friend or acquaintance to church, and, most importantly, use the other one as a reminder to pray!

## Spanish Anniversary Bilingual Celebration

Do you remember what you were doing 30 years ago? September of 1992 was a month of great change for BBC. Pastor Cashman and Pastor Tom began changing roles AND we welcomed Pastor Alfredo and our Spanish-speaking congregation into the church. In two weeks (9/18/22) we plan to remember that event and look forward to the next 30 years with a joy-filled bilingual service at **10:30 AM**. Then, after our annual congregational ballot meeting in the worship center, we'll enjoy a terrific potluck lunch in the patio and fellowship hall. More details to follow but save the date to celebrate!! Olé!!

To Our BBC Family,

We want to express our deep appreciation and love for you all as we start a new chapter in our lives and ministry. God has carried us through these last 22+ years with you alongside to support and encourage us in our relationship with Christ for which we are very grateful. We have learned much and have been blessed with beloved brethren who truly love the Lord and serve Him gladly. We strongly believe that at the core of all this is a solid commitment to know God and make Him known, firmly standing on His Word and dedicated to prayer, worship & ministry. We have natural, human sadness as we depart, but we have joy in our hearts because of who we all are in Christ; plus we won't be far. It is our prayer and hope that God will bless and multiply the ministry of BBC in the years to come as you continue to follow and serve Him who loves us with an everlasting love.

With our love and gratitude,

Guy & Vicki Johnson

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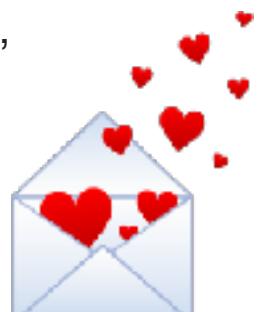
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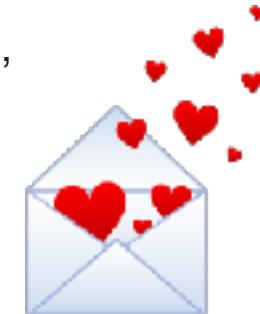
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## Helping One Another

If you have an I phone 6 or better that you aren't using and would be willing to donate, there is a partner in ministry in Cuba that is in need of a phone. Please contact Mark Schrock (phone: 562-458-0909) if you are able to help with this need, thanks!

## September birthday



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Please pray for the upcoming mission trip to Tijuana, Mexico, so we can be a blessing. We're going to visit the Church Emanuel in Tijuana, on October 1st, 2022.

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