

Jesus-Joy in the Middle . . .
Out of the Dark & into His Light!

1 Peter 2:9-10

Text:

⁹ But you *are* a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;¹⁰ who once *were* not a people but now *are* the people of God, who had not obtained mercy but now have obtained mercy.

Introduction:

[cf. 1:1-3; 1 Co. 1:26-29; 15:3-4; Ti. 3:5]

Have I come out of the darkness into His light?

1. New _____

[cf. 1 Co. 6:20; Re. 5:9]

2. New _____

[cf. 2 Co. 5:18-21; He. 7:24-25; Re. 1:4-6]

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Our response:

[Is. 60:19; Ro. 5,8-10; Ep. 5:8]

WELCOME TO BBC!



Opening Songs:

Christ the Lord is Risen
All Hail King Jesus

Baptisms

Welcome

Worship Songs/Offering:

King of Kings
Christ is Risen
Resurrecting

Teaching: *Out of the Dark into His Light!*

Response Song: Living Hope

Baptisms

Closing Song: O Praise the Name

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

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We Proclaim Christ through generous worship and grace-filled relationships

Jesus-Joy in the Middle...

Out of the Dark & into His Light!

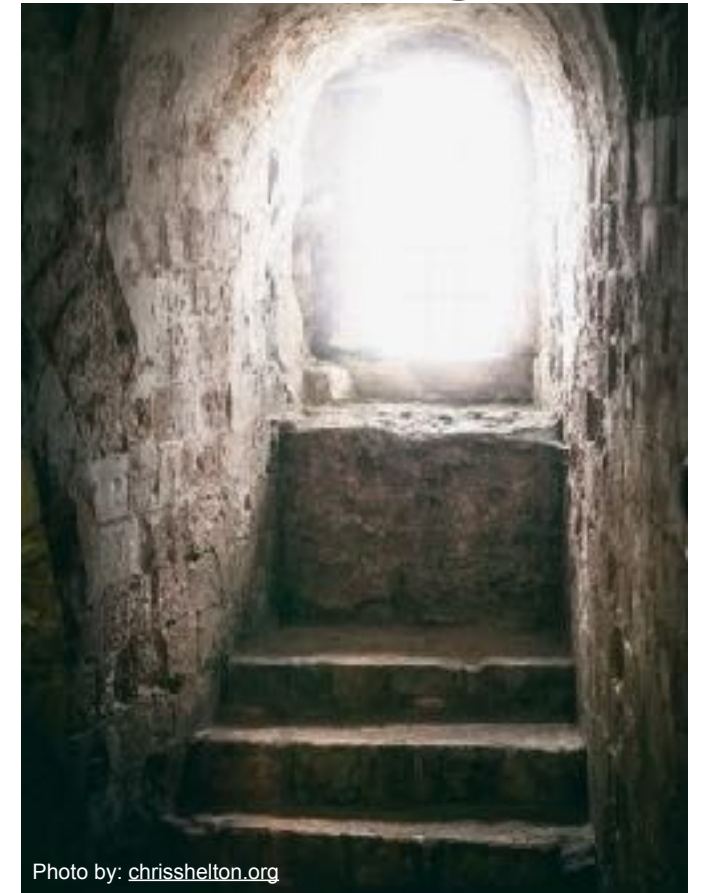


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Pastor Tom Hocking
1 Peter 2:9-10



Mark Your Calendar

Date/Time	Event	Location
Today 10:30 AM	Worship	Sanctuary
M 6:30 PM	Women's Bible Study	@Connie Cashmans

Attendance	Last Week	Last Year
Morning Worship	197	186
Sunday School	134	125

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 1/1/23	\$51,624	\$6,243	\$6,032
Budgeted Income	\$59,937	\$13,643	\$1,212
Actual Income	\$79,435	\$6,482	\$2,050
Budgeted Expense	\$59,937	\$13,643	\$1,212
Actual Expense	\$56,917	\$13,138	\$7,696
Closing Balance 2/28/23	\$74,142	-\$414	\$386

Men's Breakfast

Men's Breakfast
 Start your morning off right with a big helping of Jesus!
 Saturday, April 15th
 8AM-9:30AM



Ramsey Financial Peace



Ramsey+ is a tool that can help you pay off debt faster and save more money. This tool includes Financial Peace University, Ramsey Smart Tax, EveryDollar, On-Demand Courses, Exclusive Livestream Events, Free Group Coaching and more. Check it out. Our hope is that you find this very useful.

Our goal is to help promote good financial stewardship.
<https://www.ramseysolutions.com/ramseyplus/hosts/BellFlower?pc=52837204>

New Sunday Morning Schedule

After consulting with many BBC leaders, the elders decided that beginning on April 16, both the English and Spanish worship services will run from 9:00 - 10:15 AM. The English service will be held in the Worship Center, and the Spanish service in Fellowship Hall. The Sunday School hour will then run from 10:30 - 11:30 AM. Please try to arrive early and sit in the front half of each venue. Thank you!!

Free Pine Wood

Free pine wood for your fireplace. I'll deliver it, but you will have to split it. If interested, contact Bob Crizer.

Save The Date



VBS is coming! As you plan your fun summer activities, we wanted to let you know that VBS is 7/17-7/21. Save the date!! We need YOU to make it happen! More details and sign ups to come!

Discipleship Journey

Great Commission / Commandment

Matthew 28:19 Therefore go and **make disciples** of all nations

Discipleship Journey (Making, Training, and Sending Disciples)

When: Every Monday Afternoon

Where: Pastor Tom's home @ 6703 Dashwood St. in Lakewood

Time: 3:00-4:30 PM

If you are interested in joining a **Discipleship Journey** but are unable to meet on Monday afternoons, contact Steve Bellomo (562/533-2615) and we can make arrangements to meet another day and time.