

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

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**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES



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SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY: 29

SUNDAY AM: 57 SUNDAY PM: 13

WEDNESDAY: 16

OFFERING: \$4,172

November 2, 2025



**Welcome to the
Verde Valley Church of Christ**

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Sermon

***Preaching Through Acts – The Template of the Lord’s Church
Part 20***

Gathering Times

Sunday Bible class 9:30 AM Sunday morning worship 10:30 AM

Sunday evening worship 6:00 PM

Wednesday Bible study 7:00 PM

SERMON SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

..... **Preaching Through Acts – The Temple of the Lord's Church – Part 20**

Overview facts: written 63-80 A.D. by Luke, the Gentile physician and traveling companion of Paul.

-In 41 A.D., Paul and Barnabas are on their first missionary trip, having been set apart by the Holy Spirit from other prophets and teachers to go into other lands and spread the gospel, showing that not everyone has the same gifts and callings. They start out in the regions just north of Israel, always giving the Jews the first chance to enter the Church's salvation before opening the door to the Gentiles. Paul is in the midst of giving a summary of God's people starting from Abraham all the way to Jesus and the Church, so that Jews can see Jesus is the Messiah and Gentiles can have the entire message of God's eternal plan summarized for them. We begin today describing the promises made to king David.

Chapter 13 Verses 22-23

2 Sam. 7:12-16 & 1 Chn. 17:11-14 & 1 Kin. 1:43-47, 8:27 & Eph. 2:19-22 & Ps. 2:7, 110:1-4 & Heb. 4:15 & Eph. 1:22-23, 5:22-32 & Isa. 53:4-6 & 1 John 2:1-2 & Isa. 30:18 & Rom. 6:1-7 & John 14:1-3 (The promise given to David was the "Seed promise" which was originally made to Satan, going through Eve, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Judah to get to David. This would be the One Who would defeat the devil's power over the world, through Whom the entire world would be blessed: Jesus. The promise recorded to David in 2 Sam. and 1 Chron. only speak about Jesus, not Solomon. It is a descendant that arises after David is dead, Jesus, not Solomon who reigned while David still lived. He will build a house for God - the Church that God will actually dwell in, not Solomon's temple that He never could be contained in. The Descendant will be God's Son, with God being His actual Father, which the Messiah was and Solomon was not. His throne will never end, with Jesus reigning at God's right hand forever, while Solomon's throne ended. His body will receive the blows of punishment for what "He" did, which Solomon did not, but Christ was physically punished. Christ did not ever sin, but "His Body" is the Church. The Church is His Body because it is His Bride, and husband and wife become "One Flesh," as God shows from the beginning. Every member comprising the Church has sinned so He was punished for them to forgive their sins. Christ did not die to grant forgiveness of sins to the world. If He had, and it was applied to each person's sin, we would need to do nothing to be saved. However, anyone in the world can use His death to pay for their sins. Without a person demonstrating their *longing* for God to save them by obeying His directions to show faith, the death of Jesus does nothing for them. God is a God of Justice, and the justice for sin is a human death, which anyone can pay by using Christ's death on the cross or their own soul being thrown into Hell. 1 Chron. 17:14 is a sentence not recorded in the promise found in 2 Sam 7, that the Messiah will be in God's house forever, which Jesus is, and Solomon is not.)

Verses 24-25

Exo. 3:14 & John 1:29-34 (John was saying that he was not "Ego Eimi," the "I AM the I AM" in Greek, but that He was coming after him, telling the people plainly that the Messiah was going to be God in the flesh, which he then did after seeing the Holy Spirit land on Him in the form of a dove.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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SERVICES ARE STREAMED ON FACEBOOK LIVE

- ▶ Classes and sermons are available on YouTube.
- ▶ There is a children's Bible study during the sermon.
- ▶ We praise God and rejoice with the angels in heaven that Stephen and Meagan Fought were baptized into Christ last Monday, October 27!!



And, Stephen and Meagan were also married that same day!

Congratulations!

- ▶ Please join us for a potluck fellowship following morning worship today
- ▶ Our diaper pantry is in need of sizes 4 and 5 – please help us restock, if you're able. See Cassandra if you need more information.
- ▶ Norman and Cathy Atchison from Manuelito Navajo Children's Home in Gallup, NM plan to worship with us the morning of Nov. 16th. If you would like to donate to this good work, additional information is on the bulletin board or see Jana with questions – thank you for your support!
- ▶ The next ladies' devotional is scheduled at the building on Saturday, November 15 at 10 a.m. – food will be provided

Sermon Scripture References - cont'd:

Verses 26-43

Ps. 2:7, 16:10 & Heb. 10:4 (2nd Psalm, first reference to psalms being in any order in the Bible. The Messiah was always going to be God's Son, Who would die, then He would rise again so His soul would not stay in Hades, nor His body decay. It is through Jesus's death that sins are both forgiven *and taken away* since animal sacrifices could not take them away.)

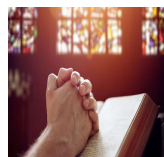
PRAY FOR

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Greg & Wanda Mattson's daughter, Jaime
(recovering from a brain aneurysm)

Gary Bates (recovering from back surgery)

Barbara Parsons (recovering from hip surgery)

Adrion Osborne (macular degeneration treatments)



Shut-ins: Kathie & Eddie Rose, Wally Dickinson