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**OCTOBER THEMES:** 

4 JESUS
10 - 11 OTHERS
10 - 18 THANKFUL
10 - 25 PERSPECTIVE

# SERMON SERIES: Sunday Morning: Building Lasting

Relationships Present Series: 10 - 4 Appreciated? 10 - 11 Sharing Good News

10 – 18 Right Relationship

10 – 25 Help Yourself

# **Sunday Evening:**

- Making a Positive Impact in our World 10 - 4 Changing the World
- 10 11 Helping the Helpless
- 10 18 NO SERVICE
- 10 25 Who to Believe

Yearlong Emphasis:





Financial Peace University by Dave Ramsey comes to Pine Run on Monday Nights starting on October 5 from 7 - 9 pm. This 9 week seminar teaches God's principles for money. It covers: Getting out of debt, Savings, Insurance, College, Retirement, and much more.

Dave Ramsey has been through the trials of handling money, at one point facing bankruptcy. He has learned from his mistakes and helps us to benefit from God's principles that will help us to regain control of our finances and lives.

Over 2 million people have been through this course and the AVERAGE result is an \$8000 turn around within the first 90 days (reduced debt and savings).

This is available to anyone in the community. There is a \$95 charge for the materials (workbook, guides, budget system and more!). Encourage family and friends to start changing their life for the better, by signing up and joining us! We still have room and can get materials within a week!



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Join with us as we begin our reading of John's Gospel. John states that "Jesus did many other miraculous signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name." (John 20:30, 31) Strengthen your faith as you spend time every day learning about Jesus.

This is a good opportunity to encourage family and friends to read along with you. You can pick up a copy of the Bible Reading Plan at the church, share the church calendar or check it out online at http://www.pinerunchurch.org/r eading-his-word.html. Discuss with them the day's reading. Sharing in this manner will help you to learn God's Word and help all of you to grow in Jesus!

# <u>Bible</u> Basics



Our Tuesday evening study (7 pm) covers "basics" which are helpful. extremely but rarely covered. One participant shared, "I've learned so much from this one class", while another, "this is exactly what I've been wanting to learn... what all the different books are about." We also discuss how to study, ways to get more out of your study, ways to change up your studying and will emphasize continue to what all the books are about and how they fit together to provide God's message to man that can thoroughly equip us for every good work!

# Bible Bowl is Coming!!



Our youth are discovering how much work goes in to preparing for a Bible Bowl competition. This is more intense then anything they have done up to this point (which is saying something considering how much material we go over in teen Training and then they present during the Sunday School time!). The month of October will be a time to see if they are ready to give it their all. If so, there will be a scrimmage on October 18<sup>th</sup> following the Harvest Dinner. Pray for these youth as they dig in to the Gospel of Luke and encourage them!



**Prayer & Study** Wednesdays @ 10:30 am Wednesdays @ 7:00 pm Darkness arriving so quickly in the evenings can be a problem for those with night vision or work 2<sup>nd</sup> shift. We are again offering a MORNING version of our Prayer and Study. Both groups will continue the study of the Minor prophets. There we learning about God's are patience, mercy, holiness, efforts to reach out to the nations, and the ultimate Kingdom of God.

We continue to see answers to prayer. Share your concerns for others and your loved ones and let us lift them up in prayer!



Wednesdays @ 7:00 pm This youth program will focus on forming friendships, working together and letting Jesus shine in your life! Young people will enjoy the study, activities and music! Great chance to invite



friends!

**Teen Training** 

Thursday @ 7:00 Entering our second year of training is exciting. God has brought these youth so far already, it will be thrilling to see what He has in store as they continue to learn, teach, serve and grow! Visitors are welcome!



Sundays 9:15-9:30 AM Action Praise Songs help the young people learn important lessons while having fun. Old songs and "newer" songs are used as the youth start their morning praising God!





Sundays @ 9:30 AM

Our youth class helps young people learn about history, geography and the historical events of God's Word. Multiple stories are shared each week. It is amazing how much the youth can learn when challenged. The youth enjoy the stories, many they have never heard before and discover God's power and faithfulness.

To follow their lessons you can go to our website:

http://www.pinerunchurch.org/c hild-development.html and click on the links for the various "Raiders" lessons! You will quickly discover why this is one of the top sections on our website!

#### **MISSION FOR THE MONTH:**

#### Lowell Mason

One of the programs that this Timothy of Pine Run oversees, is the provision of food and water in times of emergency for communities across America.

Right now, he is working with IDES (International **Disaster Emergency Services**) to help send a semi truck of drinking water to the city of Flint. We have put him in touch with the Southeastern **Michigan Food Bank which is** handling drinking water distribution for the people of Flint.

Flint has been in the news for the poor quality of its drinking water. Recent tests have shown lead levels in children to be much higher than they were a year ago. Sickness and death has resulted from their present water supply and the Governor is looking into how to remedy the situation until the new water system is in place!

Prav for Lowell and the provision of this much needed water! **Remember our Shut-ins** Larry French Jean Weir

**Faye Sargent** 

#### **Remember our Service**

Personnel

Mathew Jennings

# **BOARD MEETING:**

Oct 22 @ 6 pm

Date:	SS	MW	EW	BT	WN	TT
Sept 6	4	19		7	7	5
Sept. 13	19	26	10	8	6	3
Sept. 20	12	21	8	8	7	
Sept. 27	10	28	9	3	8	
Sept. Avg.	11.25	23.5	9.0	6.5	7.0	4.0
2015 Avg.	12.5	24.4	12.4	5.2	9.3	4.6
SS- Sunday School MW- Morning Worship EW- Evening Worship						

BT- Basic Training WN-Wednesday Night

TT- Teen Training



Oct. 11 @ Noon

Oct. 25 @ Noon

Enjoy food, fellowship and fun following Morning Worship in the Fellowship Hall!









**October 18<sup>th</sup> Following Morning** Worship

# **Fellowship Hall** All are Invited!



MORE THAN A THEME; It's WHAT WE DO!!



Helping people grow closer to God! Praying for people who are struggling (Sickness, loss, trials, etc.)



We have Experience We have Connections We have Wisdom from God We have Resources WE CAN HELP



Help couples with: Counseling Nice Setting for Wedding Affordable



## Drinking Water for Flint

Connecting Resources with Distributors!



Helping with **Finances-**<u>God's Way:</u> Get out of Debt How to Budget Sticking to a Budget How to Save Insurance College Fund Retirement Fund And more! Classes starting October 5<sup>th</sup>!

# Leader's Guide

SMALL GROUP STUD



Coming in January! Mark Gungor's: Laugh Your Way to a Better **Marriage** Small Group Study **God's Plan for:** Improving Marriage Understanding each other Appreciating the Differences



Working Together Coming in April 2016 Focus on the **Family** Study <u>God's Pattern Works!</u> Building your Family Principles that Work Developing relationship Guiding youth Creating a family legacy!