WHAT WE BELIEVE

- We believe that God is triune, revealing Himself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- We believe in the deity of Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, sinless life, His death, burial and resurrection.
- We believe in the Holy Spirit as the One who empowers Christians for life and ministry.
- We believe in the proper exercise of all of the Biblical gifts of the Spirit.
- We recognize the Bible as the inspired, infallible Word of God, Sufficient for faith and life.
- We believe that all people are created in the image of God, but that all people have sinned by breaking God's laws and have fallen short of His standard. They therefore stand in need of God's forgiveness and salvation.
- We believe salvation comes when a person surrenders their life to the Lordship of Jesus Christ and is born again, not by their own effort or good works, but by God's grace alone through faith in Christ and His sacrificial death on the cross that paid the price for sin. We anticipate the physical return of Jesus Christ and the physical resurrection of all people the redeemed to eternal life, and the unredeemed to eternal judgment.

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FIND US ONLINE

VISIT OUR WEBSITE, VCFAMILY.ORG, TO VIEW UPCOMING EVENTS AND AVAILABLE RESOURCES, INCLUDING: SERVICE TIMES, CHURCH CALENDAR, SERMONS, MINISTRIES, AND ONLINE GIVING.

YOU CAN ALSO GIVE VIA TEXT: TEXT **VCFAMILY** TO

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$31.856

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SUPPORTED MINISTRIES

If you have questions about any of the ministries that we support or would like to get involved with one of them, email missions@vcfamily.org to get information/details.



WE ARE A FAMILY WHO:

LIVES BY **FAITH**, LIVES WITH **HOPE**, LIVES TO **LOVE**.

SUNDAY SERVICES

December 7, 2025

OPENING WORSHIP

(Go Tell it on the Mountain, Prince of Heaven, Clean)

PRAYER

MESSAGE

SONGS OF THE FIRST CHRISTMAS

Mary's Song Luke 1:26-38, 46-56

Pastor Travis Osborne

RESPONSE

Our wifi is listed as VC Family Guest. PASSWORD: 1John316 (case sensitive).

OUR MISSION

REACH • TEACH • EQUIP

Our desire is to reach, teach, and equip every generation. We want to **reach** the unchurched with the love of God. We long to **teach** all believers to become mature Christ-followers. We strive to **equip** those who have given Christ lordship to grow in good works by serving others with the gifts God has given them. We ultimately desire to start the cycle of reach, teach, and equip over again until everyone is found mature in the love and truth of Jesus Christ.



NEED PRAYER?

If you have a prayer need, please come forward after the service and one of our elders, pastors, or prayer team are available to pray with you.

NEXT UP:

Core Class: Sunday, January 11th
Baptisms: Sunday, January 18th

Meet the Leadership Treat & Greet: Sunday, January 25th

Membership 101 Class: Tuesday, January 27th

Child Dedications: Sunday, March 22nd

MINISTRY & FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES /INFORMATION

UPWARD FLAG FOOTBALL - We are excited to announce that registration is now open for the 2026 Flag Football season (**boys and girls**, **grades 3rd-12th**). We are also in need of volunteers to coach, ref, help set up and tear down, and to work the chain gang. Information and registration are on our website www.vcfamily.org/upwardfootball.

CELTIC CHRISTMAS - Come on **December 11**th at 6pm and support our **2026 Mexico Missions Trip!** Eat some yummy food, listen to great music, and make a donation for our team. Sign up on the app. For details contact Christie at cstruble@vcfamily.org.

GOOD NEWS RESCUE MISSION HOLIDAY DRIVE – <u>**NEXT SUNDAY</u></u>, December 14**th, is the last day to bring in your donations.</u>

CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT SERVICES will be on <u>Sunday, December 21st</u>. There will be 5 services (each will be an hour long): **8am, 9:30am, 11:15am, 2:30pm & 4:15pm.** These will all be 'Family style' services (children in with their parents). There will be Classes open for ages 0 through PreK.

VC FAMILY RUMMAGE SALE will be **January 17**th. Dropoff collection will start Monday, **January 12**th, at 1PM. See the events page on the app for all drop off times and info; and thank you for supporting our students in raising money for the Mexico Missions Trip.

YOUTH WINTER CAMP - Join us for winter camp at Mountain Meadows. **HIGH SCHOOL** is **January 30th-February 1st** and **JUNIOR HIGH** is the following weekend **February 6th-8th**. Bring a friend! Sign up through the events page on the app.

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY SERVICES: 8am, 9:30am*, 11:15am & 4:15pm. (*livestream link at vcfamily.org)

8am service offers Children's Ministry for age 0 through 1st grade.

9:30am, 11:15am, & 4:15pm services offer classes for 0-12th GRADE.

Our <u>11:15am</u> service is **interpreted by volunteers in American Sign Language (ASL)**. The first 2-3 rows, to the right of the stage, are reserved for that purpose.

Questions? Contact Pete petebowman777@gmail.com or Erin esprague@auhsd.net.

BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP (BSF) women meet on Monday nights at 7pm. Their study is: "Exile & Return: A Time to Build". For info contact Danielle at DanielleLHartt@gmail.com.

VC FAMILY'S PRAYER TEAM meets every week. If you have a prayer request, contact Tina Franklin at 223-4016 or fill out a 'Get Connected' card and drop it in the offering.

PRAYER TIME is a weekly gathering for corporate prayer on **Wednesdays**, 6-7pm. For info you can contact Dan Woolery at danwoolery.bamm@outlook.com or 355-6632.

GARDEN MINISTRY meets **Wednesdays** at **8am** - **weather permitting**. For info contact Tamara at 221-0107.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDIES - Monday study meets at 7AM - contact is Paul Prince: 249-4535. **Tuesday** study meets at 6:30PM - contact is Bob Monaghan: 356-3186. **Wednesday** study meets at 7AM - contact is Mike Tandy: 241-9207. **Thursday** studies meet at 6:30PM - contacts are Gary Wilson: 356-3082; or Lee Thornton: 941-6103.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY is 'Joy to the World' and it is being offered on **Wednesdays** at 6pm or **Thursdays** at 10am. For more details contact Glynes Farrar at 530-276-3510.

YOUNG ADULTS (18-25) meets on **Tuesdays** at 6:30pm. You can contact Brian and/or Annette Gaddy for the details: gaddyfamily2@gmail.com or 410-5085.

VC STUDENTS (6th-12th grade) meets in the high school room on Wednesday nights, **6:30pm-8pm**. For details contact Pastor Taylor at tspielman@vcfamily.org or 221-0107.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER FOCUS

WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS - Please pray that God would bless Living Water International as they strive to meet the spiritual and physical needs of the people of Honduras.

PRAISE - Praise God for the great time of celebration & fellowship at the Christmas Tree Lighting.

*If you have a prayer need, contact the church office, or contact the prayer team directly (with the number listed above). Requests go to the prayer team, elders, and staff; unless otherwise indicated.

HELPING HANDS ministers to widows, single moms, elderly, or families in need within our church body by means of a team of volunteers who use their skills, gifts, experience, or working ability to meet the needs of the projects or repairs. **If you know of anyone who has a need, assistance can be requested by application (lobby counter).**

CARE COACHES are trained VC Family members offering confidential one-to-one Christian care. Same gender coaches provide emotional and spiritual support through difficult times. Email **carecoach@vcfamily.org** to get connected.