



# Welcome

11/03/2024

**John 3:16**

We, the families of the Village Bible Church do lovingly welcome you to this fellowship with us in the blessings of the Gospel.

As a body of believers, we are unified under the absolute authority and sufficiency of Scripture. We exist to equip the saints through preaching, teaching, and biblical discipleship which results in genuine worship, progressive sanctification, the exercise of spiritual gifts in Christian service, and evangelization of the lost. In everything, our goal and desire is to exalt the Lord Jesus Christ and bring glory to God.

## Announcements

**Hymn #11 I Sing the Mighty Power of God**

**Greeting**

**Offertory Bille Mooney**

**Hymn #306 Ten Thousand Angels**

**Lord's Supper**

**Hymn #365 There Is a Redeemer**

**Message**

**Hymn #365 There Is a Redeemer**

*As we leave this place, we are entering the Mission Field—  
May the Lord find us Faithful!*

# Missionary of the Month

**Salina Rescue Mission**

SRM is a faith-based, nondenominational facility changing lives one at a time. Because of their Christian stand, they receive no government or United Way assistance. Our ambition is to give more than the basic needs. The mission statement reads: to provide Christian ministry to persons in need of food, shelter, clothing, or other basic needs, and to rehabilitate through teaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Village Bible Church conducts one chapel service a month and Pastor J. J. teaches a weekly class in the New Life Program. We are pleased to support the Mission through its various fundraising activities throughout the year and through volunteering.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GIVE A SPECIAL GIFT TO THIS MINISTRY THIS MONTH, FEEL FREE TO PUT IT IN THE OFFERING PLATE MARKED ACCORDINGLY.**

**This Week:**

**TONIGHT**  
**5PM**  
Choir Practice  
**6PM**  
Prayer Service

**WEDNESDAY 7PM**  
Bible Study/Kids Club

**Coming Soon:**

**11/12 Dorcas Meeting**

**11/16 Men's Breakfast**

**11/17 Church Thanksgiving Dinner**

**11/27 No Service**

**FAMILY INFORMATION**

Our goal is to promote families worshiping together. We believe children learn much from sharing the worship experience with adults. Please be considerate of others and keep children in their seats and as quiet as possible. Pews in the rear of the Sanctuary are reserved for families with small children.

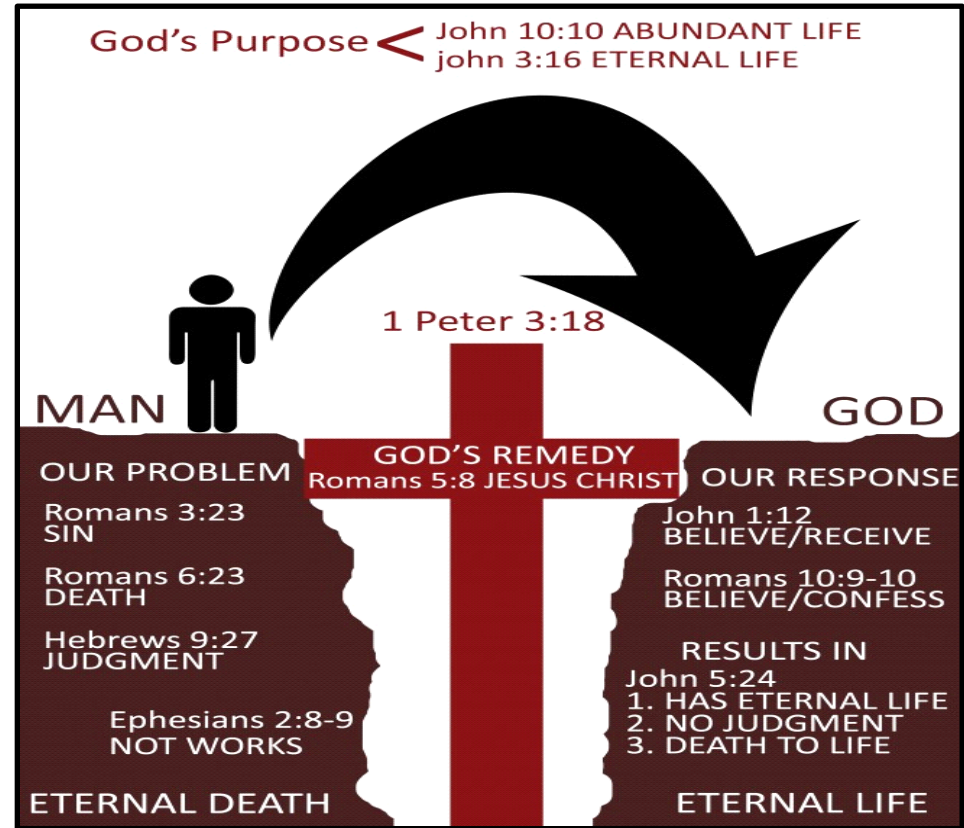
Cry room - Back of Sanctuary  
Nursery 6 mo. - 3 yrs.  
Lyndzi/Emily

November 3, 2024

Pastor JJ Sexton

# Village Bible Church

Our Mission is to Preach the Word and to Love the People  
“that we may present every man complete in Christ Jesus”



Sunday Morning Sunday School  
 Sunday Morning Worship Service  
 Sunday Evening Prayer Service  
 Wednesday Evening Bible Study  
 Services available for all ages

9:30 a.m.  
 10:45 a.m.  
 6:00 p.m.  
 7:00 p.m.

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“For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son,  
 that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.”

John 3:16

**The Death of David's Infant Son**  
**2 Samuel 12:21–23**

David was not in despair, but at peace when his infant son died.

Little ones are not held accountable for right and wrong - **Deuteronomy 1:39; Jonah 4:11; Isaiah 7:14–16; Romans 9:11; 1 Corinthians 14:20**

There are some that have no works to judge - **Revelation 20:11–15**

**Genesis 18:25 Far be it from You to do such a thing as this, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous should be as the wicked; far be it from You! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?"**

The sin of Adam has been overcome by the righteousness of Christ - **Romans 5:12–21**

- In Adam's fall we sinned all - **Genesis 2:17 but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die;**
- Adam's sin is imputed to all at conception - **Psalm 51:5 Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, And in sin my mother conceived me; Psalm 58:3 The wicked are estranged from the womb; They go astray as soon as they are born, speaking lies.**
- It is obvious that Adam's sin has been charged to all humanity because all of humanity is under the reign of death (5:14)
- The free gift of Christ's righteousness is available to all at conception - **Romans 5:17–19**

The Bible gives examples of infants receiving God's grace (Luk 1:15; Jer 1:4–5 Gal 1:15–16)

God has an eternal plan for every person - **Psalm 22:9–10 But You are He who took Me out of the womb; You made Me trust while on My mother's breasts. I was cast upon You from birth. From My mother's womb You have been My God.**

David found no comfort in the death of Absalom - **2 Samuel 18:33 Then the king was deeply moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept. And as he went, he said thus: "O my son Absalom—my son, my son Absalom—if only I had died in your place! O Absalom my son, my son!"**

David found comfort in God over the death of his infant son because he had confidence that the same grace of God that saved him would save his infant son and that he would be resurrected with him again in the future.

We believe that the Bible teaches that the unborn, children who die before the age of accountability, and the mentally incapable are kept by the grace of God in Christ and will not perish but be resurrected unto eternal life!

**Luke 18:15–17 Then they also brought infants to Him that He might touch them; but when the disciples saw it, they rebuked them. But Jesus called them to Him and said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God. Assuredly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will by no means enter it."**