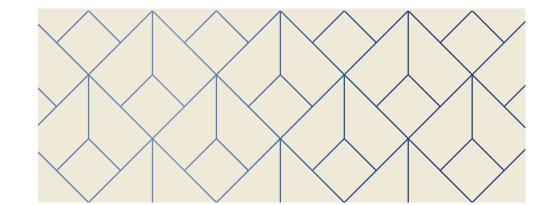


As we study the topic of testimony in John 5 this week it provides us an excellent opportunity to think through our own testimony – the story of what God has done in our lives.

1 Peter 3:15 tells us to, "Always be ready to make a defense to everyone who asks you to give an account for the hope that is in you."

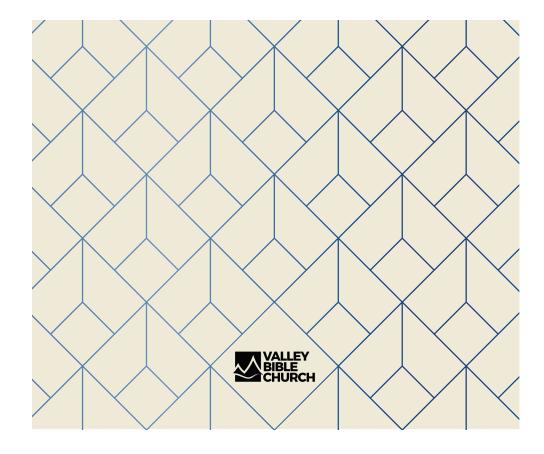
Paul's testimony to King Agrippa in Acts 26 provides some wisdom in how to powerfully structure such a testimony. There, he briefly (it takes about 3 minutes to read aloud) spoke about his life before Christ, how he came to know Christ, and finally what his life looked like after his belief.

In the down time while Life Groups are on break consider studying, meditating on, or even writing out your testimony. You never know when God might use what He has done in your life to change someone else's eternal life!



THE GOSPEL OF

JOHN











RESPOND TO THE LIGHT YOU'VE BEEN GIVEN

John 5:31-47/ Ben Orchard / June 14, 2020

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OUR MISSION

As we proclaim biblical truth, we cultivate relationships that are intimate with Christ, active in the Church, & loving the community.

WELCOME BACK VBC!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are continuing to plan this year's on-campus Vacation Bible School in faith that we will be able to serve our children and community with this ministry July 20-24. Though we understand not everyone will be comfortable volunteering this year, we still need a rough idea of how many volunteers we will have to inform our planning. If you are interested in volunteering before, during or after the event, please fill out an interest form at spokanevbc.org/vbs. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Dokken at jennifer@ spokanevbc.org or (509) 869-6410.

BASECAMP REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Register now for BaseCamp (August 5-9), VBC Youth's annual summer camp open to students entering 6th through 12th grade! Register at spokanevbc.org/events.

CHURCH VANS FOR SALE

We are selling our church vans! Both vans are 2002 Ford F350 Econoline passenger vans. One has 76775 miles the other has 77227 miles. We are hoping to have both serviced this week. If you are interested or have questions, contact Mark Ingalls (509-939-1633).



HOSPITALITY MINISTRY

Our Hospitality Ministry includes:

Ushering Team
Greeting Team
Refreshments Team
Information Center Team
Communion Team
Safety Team

We are always in need of volunteers, see if one of these teams is right for you! Contact Mike Wiykovics (509) 413-9924.



HELP BEAUTIFY THE CHURCH GROUNDS

Do you have an abundance of perennials that are populating your property? If so, we are looking for some appealing plants to beautify the church grounds. Plants can be left at the pole barn (checked daily). Contact Mark Ingalls for questions (509-939-1633).

VBC FAMILY CAMP 2020 SIGN-UPS

Family Camping Signups are here! We are getting back to basics during this year's August 13-16 camping trip to Farragut State Park. This year, each family will need to prepare their own meals, but the central shelter will still be available for eating, games, and activities. To sign up, please email Russ & Beth Burright (burrights@gmail.com) with the number of people in your party and what kind of equipment you have (tent, RV, etc.). We will be assigning campsites on a first-come, first served basis: please consult the Kestrel Loop map on the Farragut website and let us know if you prefer a certain campsite. We will do our best to accommodate all requests. Cost is the same as last year, \$104 per campsite (or \$52 for a shared site), due by August 1st. All sites have water and electricity. Remember that you will need to pay \$5 per vehicle per night at the welcome center for parking (unless you have an Idaho State Parks membership sticker).

GIVING REPORT

General: June \$31,701 | YTD \$421,020 Building Fund: Given \$1,084,248 | Loan Remaining Balance \$659,840