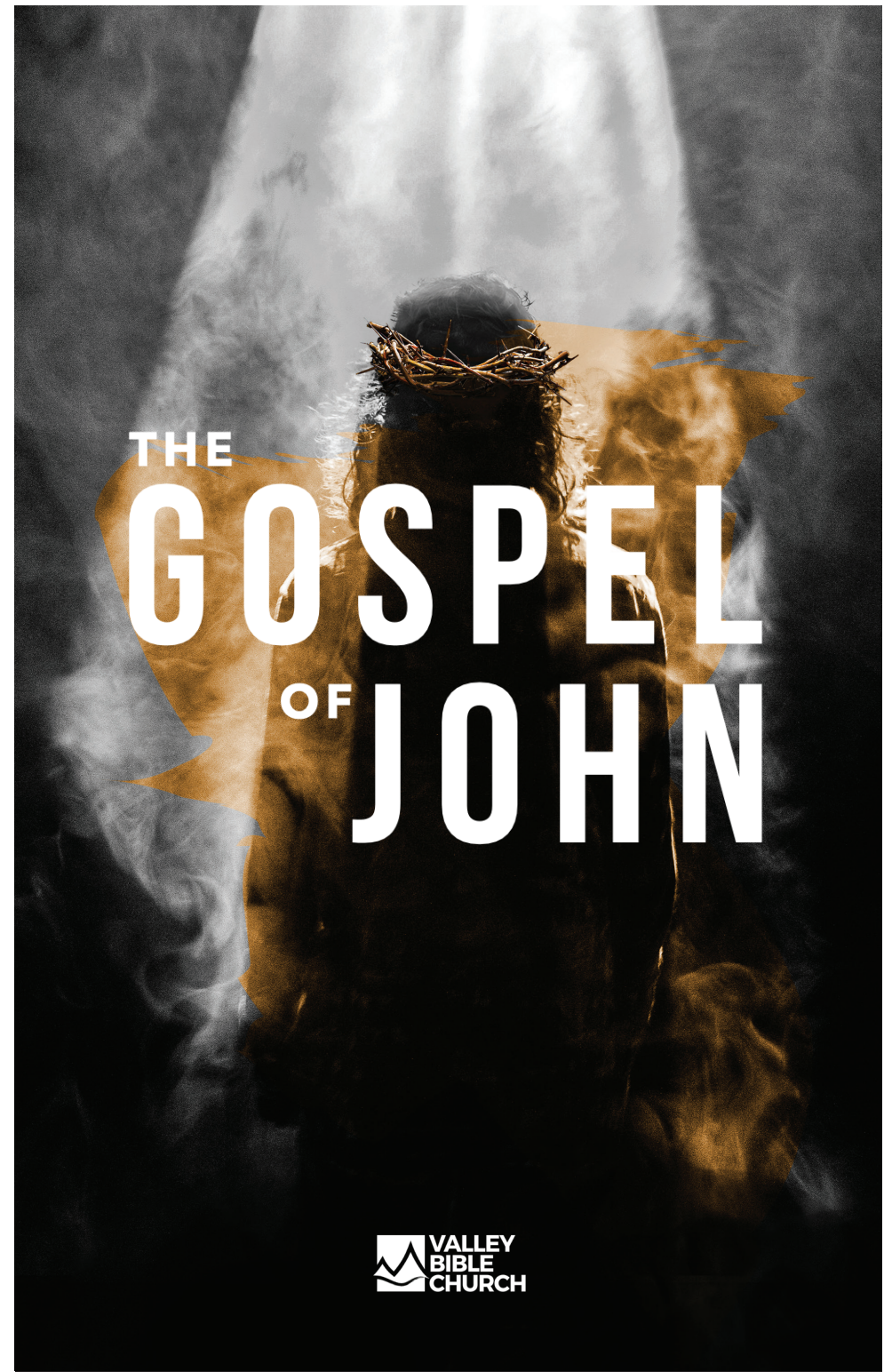


Week of April 25, 2021

1. Thinking back on this week's sermon, was there anything you heard for the first time or that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
2. Explain your understanding of the word "word" as it is used in verses 23 and 24?
3. What does it mean for Jesus and the Father to make their abode in someone (vs 23)?
4. Considering verse 24, is it possible for unbelievers to do good or holy things?
5. Name one role of the Holy Spirit unique to before the incarnation of Christ, one role uniquely in the lives of the Apostles, and one role which is unique in the lives of believers today. Use Scripture references where possible.
6. What peace does the world offer, and how does that differ from the peace extended by Jesus (vs 27)?
7. Jesus tells us "do not let your heart be troubled, nor let it be fearful" (vs 27), but also acknowledges the reality of the evil "ruler of the world" (vs30). How can, or should, we be unafraid in the face of such an enemy (see, too, Phil. 4:4-9 and Eph. 6:10-19)?
8. Jesus says in verse 31 that He does "exactly" as the Father has commanded. How would you rate your obedience to God, from 1 to 10? What specific changes can you make this week to move up one number on that scale?

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 6-8	June 13	June 29-July 1
NICS CLASS	CHURCH BEHIND THE CHURCH	SEWING CAMP
July 19-23	August 4-8	August 12-15
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL	BASE CAMP	FAMILY CAMP



PROMISES FULFILLED

John 14:22-31 / Ben Orchard / April 25, 2021

Promise #1: _____ (22-24)

Promise #2: _____ (25-26)

Promise #3: _____ (27-28)

Promise #4: _____ (29-31)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

ELDER CONSIDERATION FOR CALEB KLONTZ

The elders of VBC would like to commend to you Caleb Klontz for your consideration for the office of elder. Our appointment process includes three weeks of input from the congregation regarding Caleb. Please provide comments through the connection card, emails, or phone.

VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH TOUR OF ISRAEL, MAY 11-24, 2022

Please join us for this once-in-a-lifetime trip to the Holy Land. This tour is hosted by our own Rex and Kathy Moody. Visit the table in the foyer for more information, call (949) 633-2126 or email kmoody615@aol.com.

VBC KIDS SUMMER VOLUNTEERS

VBC Kids will be following *The Travel Guide to the Beatitudes* this summer during Sunday School. Summer is busy for everyone with vacations but if you can teach or help in a classroom this summer (ages 3 to 5th grade) even if it's just a couple of weeks out of the summer please contact jennifer@spokanevbc.org.

NICS CONFERENCE

The Northwest Institute of Christian Studies is pleased to invite you to a **free** conference entitled *A Brave New Religion: Standing Firm in an Anti-Christian Age*. An increasing number of church leaders and scholars are recognizing that the current cocktail of cultural issues facing the church pose the greatest threat to the Gospel in more than a generation. Join us for this weekend of sound teaching as we welcome back Dr. E.D. Burns. He brings many years of experience watching these issues unfold both locally and around the world. The free conference is May 6-8 here at VBC. Register at spokanevbc.org/events.

CALEB & JULLIETTE WEDDING INVITE

Caleb & Julliette Invite you to the celebration of their marriage. Saturday, the thirty-first of July at six thirty in the evening. Light refreshments & dancing to follow. 25123 W State Route 904 Cheney, WA. RSVP via email – calebandjulliette2021@gmail.com.

VBS 2021 VOLUNTEERS

Vacation Bible School's Mystery Island will be held July 19-23, 9 am - 12:15 pm for ages 4 to 5th grade. Registration begins June 7. If you are interested in volunteering this year we have lots of different areas you can help in (volunteers of all ages welcome from 6th grade in the Fall and up). Contact Lisa Wilson at wilsonlisa763@gmail.com.

TUESDAY MORNING LIFE GROUP

We want to let you know about a new day-time Life Group we are working on starting up. It will be led by Don Beydler and will meet at the church on Tuesdays at 10 am. If you are interested and would like to get signed up or want more information please email Nancy Hodge (lifegroups@spokanevbc.org) or connect with Caleb Klontz!



VBC KIDS

We partner with parents to help children know God through His Word, serve His people & love their family and peers.

OUR MISSION

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

GIVING REPORT

General: April \$56,343 / YTD \$336,787
Building Fund: Given \$1,149,528 / Loan Remaining Balance \$308,644