
Joshua
...EVERY LAST WORD
VALLEY
BIBLE
CHURCH

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU, FALL FEST VOLUNTEERS!

Thank you to everyone who volunteered and donated to make this year's Fall Fest: A Reformation Celebration a great success!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you to everyone who helped during the OCC shoebox packing party! If you weren't able to make it and would still like to participate, empty shoeboxes are available under the cross in the foyer to take home, fill, and return by Nov. 15.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Starting today, the VBC Kids ministry is collecting food items in the north hallway for Thanksgiving baskets to give to those in need in our community. A list of suggested donations is on page 7 of the bulletin. Please bring items to the collection boxes by Nov. 11 (no expired food, please).

THIS WEEK

Su **Prayer Team**
8:30 am | 124
Sunday School classes
various classrooms
Thanksgiving Basket donation collection
Foyer | between services

We **Women's Bible/Book Studies**
9:30 am | various classrooms
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6:15 pm | various classrooms
Youth Group
6:30 pm | Auditorium

Sa **Blanket Makers, Card-Making**
9 am | 130
Women's Bible Study
10:30 am | 152
Morton Baby Shower
1 pm | 150
Thrive Singles Potluck
5:30 pm | 150

MORTON BABY SHOWER

A baby shower for Julliette Morton is planned for Saturday at 1 pm in Room 150. If you are bringing a gift, please leave it unwrapped and labeled with your name. Attendees are welcome to bring pastries to share. Julliette is registered at *my.babylist.com/julliette-morton*.

THRIVE SINGLES POTLUCK

Thrive, VBC's singles ministry for ages 21 and older, is hosting a Thanksgiving potluck dinner Saturday at 5:30 pm in Room 150. Please RSVP at *spokanevbc.org/events*.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Men's Breakfast is planned for Saturday, Nov. 14, at 8 am in Room 130.

NICS SEMINAR: LANDS OF THE BIBLE

Chris Martin and Ben Orchard will teach a one-day Northwest Institute of Christian Studies seminar, Lands of the Bible, on Saturday, Nov. 14, from 10 am to 5 pm. With maps, photos, and stories from Chris and Ben's recent travels to the lands of the Bible, this seminar will help you understand *how* the Bible fits together by exploring *where* the Bible fits together. The $10 registration fee is waived for those who attend VBC. **Register before tomorrow** at *spokanevbc.org/events*.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING DAYS

Volunteers are needed to help unpack Christmas décor, decorate Christmas trees, hang garlands and wreaths, and prepare the church building for Advent. Volunteer as your schedule allows on Friday, Nov. 27, between 10 am and 5 pm and Saturday, Nov. 28, between 10 am and 3 pm (don't feel obligated to work the whole scheduled time). Lunch and snacks will be provided both days. RSVP at *spokanevbc.org/events*.

SUNDAY MORNING AT

VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH

November 1, 2026

Communion: Communion will be served during the service for those who profess faith in Jesus Christ. If you need a gluten-free option, please ask an usher.

Hearing Devices: If you need a hearing assistance device, please ask an usher.

Sunday School classes:
- Middle School: "New Testament Survey," 151, 9 am
- High School: "Systematic Theology," 150, 9 am
- Courageous Conquerors, 152, 9 am
- Adults: "Answering Questions About the Bible," 130, 9 am
- Adults: "What Did You Expect?" marriage class, 152, 10:45 am
- Adults: "Ephesians: Living Who You Are in Christ," 130, 10:45 am

Giving: Collection boxes are located at the main entrances to the auditorium. You may give online at *valleybible.churchcenter.com/giving*.

NURSERY & VBC KIDS

0-3 Years Old | Nursery (122)

3 Yrs-5th Grade | VBC Kids Wing

Note: Children are always welcome in the auditorium for the entire service! However, if they plan to attend Sunday School, they must be checked in at the beginning of the service.

NURSING MOTHERS

A room for mothers who need extra privacy to nurse babies is in the back of the auditorium. Changing tables are in the North Hallway restrooms.

VISITING?

Please fill out the Connection Card included in the bulletin or scan the QR code below to share a little about yourself! Visit the Welcome Counter to receive a gift with more information about VBC.

ONLINE RESOURCES

Access today's sermon (video and audio), music playlist, bulletin, and Life Group questions at *spokanevbc.org/sermons*.

IMPORTANT DATES

Today - Thankgiving basket donation collection begins in the north hallway
Saturday - Morton Baby Shower
Saturday - Thrive Singles Potluck
Nov. 14 - Men's Breakfast
Nov. 14 - NICS: Lands of the Bible
Nov. 20 - Women's Game Night
Nov. 21 - King's Church Hymn Sing
Dec. 4 - Lighting the Path

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GIVING REPORT
General: October $98,688; YTD: $1,002,317
Building Fund: $1,282,450

LIFE GROUP
STUDY QUESTIONS

Week of Nov. 1, 2026

1. Thinking back on this week's message, was there anything that encouraged, challenged, or confused you? Anything you disagreed with or had never heard before?

2. What stands out as significant about the ark of the covenant? What does it signify to the people of God as they crossed the Jordan?

3. Read verses 7-8 and refer back to Joshua 1:5. In what ways does the crossing of the Jordan affirm God's promises?

4. Compare Exodus 14:15-31 with our passage. What similarities and differences do you notice? What does this reveal about God?

5. Sometimes it's easy to forget that the Israelites crossing the Jordan didn't know what the end of the story would be. In what ways was crossing the Jordan an act of faith?

6.Why does Joshua tell the people to consecrate themselves in verse 5? Is there a principle here that we can apply today, and if so, how?

7. What is one way you have been encouraged, convicted, or otherwise impacted in your thinking or actions a result of studying this passage?

Bible study resources: BlueLetterBible.com; BibleHub.com; StudyLight.org; StepBible.org

MIRACLE AT THE JORDAN

Ben Doehle | Nov. 1, 2026 | Joshua 3:1-17

Be _____ when God moves (1-5)

God _____ His people (6-13)

God _____ His power (14-17)

Sermon Notes

FOR KIDS



Who is speaking?

What is the main passage?

Book:

Chapter:

Verse(s):

Words you heard but don't know...



My favorite song today?

Draw something that you heard today...

What are you learning about God from this message?



AFTER THE SERVICE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING.

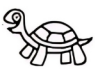




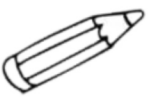
The most important thing I learned today was...

I can use this in my life by...





EXTRA NOTES



THE ART OF VBC

We encourage submissions of art (any medium), poetry, and music lyrics inspired by past or future sermons and Bible passages. All ages are invited to participate! Email completed works to *communications@spokanevbc.org* to be featured in future bulletins.



Where to find

Fellowship, connect, and stay informed with these resources.

Online Connection Card

We'd like to get to know you! Please fill out an online Connection Card to share a little about yourself, request more information about VBC, update information, and/or submit a praise or prayer request.
rebrand.ly/VBCconnect

Church Events

Check out and register for upcoming events at VBC.
spokanevbc.org/events

Weekly Newsletter

Sign up for our weekly newsletter, which includes up-to-date information on church events, community engagement opportunities, and Meal Trains.
rebrand.ly/VBCnewsletter

Giving

Set up one-time or automatic giving online.
https://valleybible.churchcenter.com/giving

Online Resources

Listen to or watch past sermons, download Life Group questions, and get this week's music playlist.
spokanevbc.org/sermons

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

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