

Welcome
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SUNDAY
January 7, 2024

**Building Relationships That Lead to
Gospel Transformation**

10:45 AM SERVICE

You Are My Vision
Graves Into Gardens
YHWH
One and Only

Message by
Pastor Chris Watson
"Marriage, Mission and Money"
Genesis 1:26-31 and 2:18-25

NURSERY 01/07

Bed Babies: Karlan Coleman & Ivy Coleman
Toddlers: Meghan & Wade Smith
Childrens Church: Kim Culbreth & Ellie Smith

WED. NIGHT MEALS

January 10th
Potato & Salad Bar

STEWARDSHIP GOALS

2023 Offering Goal (YTD)	\$282,716.00
2023 Offering Received (YTD)	\$265,058.80
Offerings +over/-short YTD	-\$-\$17,657.20

New Series: Marriage, Mission and Money
Genesis 1:26-31 and Genesis 2:18-25
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Over the next 4 months we will be in a series entitled Marriage, Mission and Money! I highly encourage you to be here, if at all possible, every Sunday and if you are not able to, go watch the message online.

The Bible is true.
The Bible is holy.
The Bible is God's Word to believers.

26 Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." 27 So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. 28 Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth." 29 And God said, "See, I have given you every herb that yields seed which is on the face of all the earth, and every tree whose fruit yields seed; to you it shall be for food. 30 Also, to every beast of the earth, to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, in which there is life, I have given every green herb for food"; and it was so. 31 Then God saw everything that He had made, and indeed it was very good. So the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

Genesis 1:26-31

18 And the Lord God said, "It is not good that man should be alone; I will make him a helper comparable to him." 19 Out of the ground the Lord God formed every beast of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to Adam to see what he would call them. And whatever Adam called each living creature, that was its name. 20 So Adam gave names to all cattle, to the birds of the air, and to every beast of the field. But for Adam there was not found a helper comparable to him. 21 And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall on Adam, and he slept; and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh in its place. 22 Then the rib which the Lord God had taken from man He made into a woman, and He brought her to the man. 23 And Adam said: "This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man." 24 Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. 25 And they were both naked, the man and his wife, and were not ashamed.

Genesis 2:18-25

This morning we will focus on Genesis 2:18-25 and next week Genesis 1:26-31!

Mankind was/is God's most prized creation. (Genesis 1:31)

God created man and then made woman from man's side. (Genesis 2:21-22)

Marriage was and is to be between one man and one woman. Everything else is an attack on God's plan, PERIOD! This includes, but not limited to, cohabiting, sex before marriage, LGBTQ, polygamy, etc.

God's main reason for making women was because it was not good for man to be alone. (Genesis 2:18)

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

Women was/is called a helper - a help meet - (out of the side, Genesis 2:18 and 22-33).

Prayer Focus:

I would honor marriage (people of all ages).

I would love/honor my spouse.

I would pray for my future spouse, should that be God's plan.

I will pray for my kid's/grandkids spouse.