

(prayed over by the elders) <u>Prayer Requests</u>

Jesus Is The Vine and We Are The Branches

John 15:1-17

Introduction: Jesus continues to teach His disciples after the Passover meal. He tells them how they can bear fruit and love well.

I. Gardening thoughts...

A. True Vine= Jesus. The O.T. referred to Israel as the vine but it was always lacking in some way.

B. The Gardener= The Father. He cuts off some branches (Judas) and prunes others.

C. The Branches= The disciples. The branch needs to stay in the vine to be fruitful.

II. How do we bear fruit?

A. By being pruned/cleansed. V.2-3

B. By Remaining in Jesus. V. 4-10

III. What kind of fruit do we bear?

A. Obeying His commandments. V. 10, 14-16.B. Be Joyful! V. 11C. Love well. V.12-13, 17.

Conclusion: Normally people would choose the Rabbi that they would like to follow. But Jesus chose His disciples and called them to follow Him. He told them to go bear fruit and love each other. And then if they asked anything in HIS name it would be given to them.



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Welcome! We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone is not available for kids age 4-5th grade today. All are fully staffed with trained and cleared volunteers.

Corey Smith will lead us in prayer.

Pastor Ron will be blessing us with the message, Jesus is the Vine and we are the branches

The worship team will be leading the following songs: Jesus Messiah, Way Maker, Living Hope and Great Are You Lord.

Thank you for spending your morning with us!

This Week at Greenview...

Men's Study (Greenview Library)

Sunday: 9:30am 5:30pm-7:00pm 7:00pm-8:30pm

Worship Service AWANA Youth Group

Office Hours

Monday: 10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours

Tuesday: 10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours

Wednesday: 6:00am 10:00am-1:00pm

Thursday: 10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours ~ Híghlíghts ~

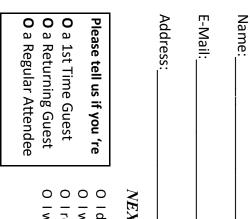
The second offering for March is for Cottage Ministries.

Ladies!!! Beginning 6:30pm, Thursday, March 18th-June 10th, Tracey Buffington will facilitate the Right Now Media study by Francis Chan: The book of James. Sign-up sheet is on the welcome table.

Family Night at Trout Pond Park sponsored by Youth Group! March 19th from 5:30pm-7:30pm. This is a free event for everyone in the church. If you have skates or roller blades feel free to bring them if not they will be provided. If you don't skate that's OK come for an awesome time of Christian music, fellowship and snacks. No sign up necessary, just show up, put on your skates and grove to the Christian music!

We are really hurting for more caretakers. "Maggie Heitzenrater has a need for more caretakers. It is a paid position and there are various shifts and days open. Even one day/shift a week will be helpful. If you, or someone you know would be interested, please contact Carol Fish (570.494.8178) for more information. Thank you!





NEXT Steps:

- decided to become a follower of Jesus would like the pastor to follow up with me g പ decision I made today
- recommitted my life to Jesus today
- would like to be baptized

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