

Sermon Notes

Date: November 10, 2024

Sermon: "The Enemy Without"

Text: Matthew 5:43-48

Aaron Miller

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BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH

November 10, 2024

Services @ 8:30 & 11:00 am • Sunday School @ 10:00 am

New Members Baptism/Testimony 11 AM

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Welcome

Thank you for joining us today at Berean Baptist Church. We would delight in assisting you in any way that we can. **Please feel free to stop by the Welcome Center after the 11 AM Worship.** Information regarding children's classes and our check-in system are located in the lobby at the child check-in kiosk.

Prayer

Missionary of the Month:

Hector & Paola Garcia ~ Zambia ~ Grace Baptist Mission

Prayer Families of the Week: Kristyn Ray, Ray & Susan Rogers, Louis Lockett Jr., Alan & Jessamine Wallington

Prayer Ministry of the Month: Small Group Ministry

Pastor of the Week: Jacob & Mariah Krizan and family

Deacon of the Week: Jonathan & Nikki Snyder and family

Calendar

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| <p><u>Monday 11th</u></p> <p>Anchormen 7:30 am Revel 7 pm</p> | <p><u>Tuesday 12th</u></p> | <p><u>Wednesday 13th</u></p> <p>Womens AM Bible Study 9:30 am</p> <p>Revere & Recharge - 7 pm (M & W Bible Studies, Youth Group, Children's Programs)</p> |
| <p><u>Thursday 14th</u></p> | <p><u>Friday 15th</u></p> <p>Men's Fellowship 6-9 pm</p> | <p><u>Saturday 16th</u></p> |

For a detailed listing of future events, please refer to our website calendar: www.bereanlife.org/calendar/

Stewardship

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| Tithes/Offerings: | \$24,217 | YTD Giving: | \$835,505 |
| Weekly Budget: | \$16,369 | YTD Budget: | \$720,228 |
| YTD Missions: | \$133,328 | Building Fund: | \$310,356 |
| Local Missions: | \$77,194 | | |

OFFERING BOXES ARE LOCATED IN THE OVERFLOW AREA AS YOU EXIT THE AUDITORIUM, IN THE FOYER NEAR THE KIOSK AND AT THE EAST ENTRANCE.

ONLINE GIVING IS ALSO AVAILABLE AT WWW.BEREANLIFE.ORG/GIVING/

Announcements

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Calling all men! Join your Berean brothers on **November 15th at 6:00 pm** for a great time of fellowship. We have quite a few activities planned. There will be dinner followed by a great time of singing, sharing, and prayer!

MEMBERS MEETING

Please mark your calendars for our next Members Meeting on **Sunday, November 17th @ 6:00 pm**. We will be voting on our 2025 Budget & a Safety Team Proposal. **Following the meeting, we will have a chili fellowship.** Sign-up sheets are at the kiosk.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

There will be a membership class on **Friday, November 22 @ 6:30 pm** in the Commons room. If you are interested in becoming a member here at Berean or you would like to learn more about us, please contact the church office.

TRASH TO TREASURE

Ladies, on **November 23 at 10:00 am** we will be having our much enjoyed Trash to Treasure in the church gym. Purge your house, and bring your good condition items that are no longer useful to you to swap for something that is! Kitchen, clothing, decor, household, children's- chances are someone else at Berean would love it. Bring your own box or bag to take home your treasures! We will also enjoy a light brunch, please bring something to share. If you have questions, please see Lora Unis or Andrea Cork.

CHRISTMAS TREE TRIMMING COOKIE FELLOWSHIP

Come enjoy "A Sparkling Christmas Evening" at our annual Tree Trimming Cookie Fellowship, on **Sunday evening, December 1, beginning at 5 pm**. Make the Christmas season "Sparkle" a bit more this year by planning to attend. Wonder as you "wander" through the building to see all the beautiful decorations, the Gingerbread Houses, and the beautifully trimmed trees. Enjoy cookies and hors d'oeuvres as you fellowship. Delight in family activities. And of course, gather in the glow of the Church Family Tree in the darkened room as we sing carols and usher in another yuletide. Great times.

ELEMENTARY AGE CHRISTMAS MOVIE NIGHT

The Social Committee is planning an Elementary age (K- 5th grade) Christmas Movie night again this year. Here are the details:

- **Friday, December 13, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm** at Berean
- Wear pajamas and bring a pillow or blanket for movie time (optional but encouraged)
- Christmas Gift Exchange (Each child should bring a \$5 wrapped gift – a non-breakable toy)
- Movie snacks & Hot chocolate provided by church
- Please RSVP to Emilee Bixler at (307)-286- 8881 or emileebixler618@gmail.com (also alert her to any food allergies).

This was a wonderful event last year. We hope your "young'uns" can come!