



Canyon Bible Church

The Lord's Day
July 26, 2026

ORDER OF SERVICE

9:30am Prayer Meeting - in the Prayer Room (Stage Left)

Service Themes

God has provided the way to know Him as Creator and Redeemer.
Turn to the God who will Judge the world through the risen Christ.

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Psalm 95:1-7

Adoration

Song: Behold Our God
Song: 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Confession

1 John 2:15-17
Prayer of Confession & Petition

Assurance of Pardon & Thanksgiving

Song: All I Have is Christ

8-11 Year-Olds Dismissed

Instruction

Acts 17:22-34
"Idolatry, Meet the Gospel" - Part 2

Offering

Song: Jesus is Alive

Baptisms

Dismissal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Center

Our Welcome Center can be found in the lobby. This is a great place to get connected and ask questions about our church and receive info on our ministries, info on outreach ministries, and helpful discipleship resources.

Ministry Highlight: Children's Ministry

We are so thankful for the dedicated volunteers who faithfully serve in our Children's Ministry. Through love, patience, and friendships, we see the fruit of children growing in their faith and experiencing the love of Christ. Investing in them helps develop a more accurate view of God and themselves.

When you see one of our Children's Ministry volunteers, please take a moment to thank and encourage them—they are a true blessing to our church family. Also, please join us in praying for each volunteer as they partner with parents in the evangelism and discipleship of their children.

Small Groups

If you are interested in joining a home fellowship group for fellowship, prayer, and Bible study, contact Dave Lutz at dlutz@canyonprescott.org.

Options for Families with Children

Since Jesus welcomed children to "come," we want to do likewise. If you would like to check your child or children in to Kids of Canyon, please visit our check-in station in the lobby.

Our Nursing Mothers' Room is available for moms who need a quiet place to feed their babies. While it is not soundproof, it does include a changing station. The lobby also has an audio feed, so if you need to step out of the service to help settle a child, you can still listen.

For your convenience, both the men's and women's restrooms have changing stations, and filtered water is available at the drinking fountains.

Parents, if there is anything we can do to help you as you care for and disciple your children, please ask an usher or greeter for assistance.

Giving

We are grateful for your generosity! Scanning the QR code will take you to our online giving platform.



CALENDAR & CONNECTION

Coming up at Canyon:

**Aug
2**

Prayer Meeting

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Join us this afternoon for one hour of lifting up the needs of our church family to the God of the Universe. What a privilege! All are welcome to come pray with us.

**Aug
5**

Student Ministry

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Student Ministry is for students from 6th-12th grade and meets for games, worship, Bible study, and small group discussion every Wednesday night, beginning August 5th. Scan the QR code for newsletter updates for parents.



**Aug
21**

Vitalant Blood Drive Host

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

We will be hosting a blood drive in room 101, on Friday, August 21st. If you are interested in being a blood donor, you may make an appointment online, by scanning this QR code. Feel free to call the church office with questions.

Please pray for the Lord to use this invitation into our building for His glory, and that many would be drawn back to join us for ministry.



Kids of Canyon

Connecting Church & Home

Parents, thank you for entrusting your children to us this morning.

We know time with them is precious, and it is a privilege for us to partner with you in their evangelism and discipleship.

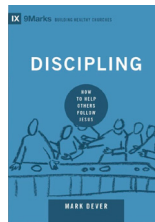
Here are our lessons for today, so you may continue talking about them *as you walk by the way*, and at home this week:

Toddlers (2-3 y/o): “The Young Hero and the Horrible Giant” (1 Samuel 17)

Elementary (4-11 y/o): “God Frees Peter From Prison” (Acts 12:1-24)

RESOURCES

Book of the Month



Discipling . . . *How to Help Others Follow Jesus* by Mark Dever

In Matthew 28:19-20, Jesus gives his followers a clear mission to go and make disciples of all nations - this included baptizing them and teaching them to observe all that he commanded.

A disciple of Jesus is one who is maturing in their faith. In this book, author and pastor Mark Dever gives a basic definition of what “discipling” means - it is helping others to follow Jesus, or deliberately doing spiritual good to someone so that he or she will become more like Christ. In the New Testament, discipling is not optional: it is basic.

In the context of the local church, pastors and members alike, are called to make disciples by seeking to serve others sacrificially, inviting / “folding” them into everyday life events, asking the Lord to transform our lives, and continually pointing God’s people to biblical truth.

This book is one of my favorite resources with respect to helping Christians understand what it means to make disciples of Jesus, who make other disciples of Jesus.” ~ Pastor Rod

Weekly Resource



Historical Evidence for the Resurrection by Matt Perman

“When we look at the evidence, the truth of the resurrection emerges very clearly as the best explanation. There is no other theory that even come close to accounting for the evidence. Therefore, there is solid historical grounds for the truth that Jesus Christ rose from the dead.”

Scan the QR code to access this resource.

SERMON NOTES

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PASSAGE DISCUSSION

Acts 17:22-34

“Idolatry, Meet the Gospel (Part 2)”

1. Why doesn't Paul use more Scripture citations in his Areopagus address?
2. How does Paul counter the view of many in Athens that God is not involved in the lives of people and nations?
3. Why has God "overlooked" the "times of ignorance"?
4. In what sense is the gospel a command?
5. If someone were to ask you if the resurrection of Jesus was an actual event in history, what would you tell them?
6. Why did many at the Areopagus council mock Paul's mention of bodily resurrection?

OUTREACH PRAYER

The Yavapai Territorial Gospel Rescue Mission Prescott, Arizona

Join us in praising God for YTGRM, its staff and volunteers, their ministry to mothers and children in need.

Here are some reasons to be praising God:

- For the quiet summer season, allowing for a bit of gearing up for another season of pouring out into hurting families
- For the Lord's provision for each need that arises at the mission

Here are some ways to be praying:

- Wisdom and clarity for the staff, as they determine how to best care for a new family
- New mom with her 4 and 9 year old children to quickly feel safe and cared for well
- God's protection for staff & families
- Meals to be provided each day for the families
- Financial Support Needed: \$10,000/month to keep the Mission going

Scan the QR code to visit:
ytgrm.com



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The 1689 London Baptist Confession

V. Of Divine Providence

1. God the good Creator of all things, in his infinite power, and wisdom, doth ^auphold, direct, dispose, and govern all Creatures, and things, from the greatest even to the ^bleast, by his most wise and holy providence, to the end for the which they were Created; according unto his infallible foreknowledge, and the free and immutable Counsel of his ^cown will; to the praise of the glory of his wisdom, power, justice, infinite goodness and mercy.

^aHeb. 1:3; Job 38:11; Isa. 46:10–11; Ps. 135:6 ^bMatt. 10:29–31 ^cEph. 1:11

2. Although in relation to the foreknowledge and Decree of God, the first cause, all things come to pass ^aimmutably and infallibly; so that there is not anything, befalls any ^bby chance, or without his Providence; yet by the same Providence he ordereth them to fall out, according to the nature of second causes, either ^cnecessarily, freely, or contingently.

^aActs 2:23 ^bProv. 16:33 ^cGen. 8:22

3. God in his ordinary Providence ^amaketh use of means; yet is free ^bto work, without, ^cabove, and ^dagainst them at his pleasure.

^aActs 27:31, 44; Isa. 55:10–11 ^bHos. 1:7 ^cRom. 4:19–21 ^dDan. 3:27

4. The Almighty power, unsearchable wisdom, and infinite goodness of God, so far manifest themselves in his Providence, that his determinate Counsel ^aextendeth itself even to the first fall, and all other sinful actions both of Angels, and Men; (and that not by a bare permission) which also he most wisely and powerfully ^bboundeth, and otherwise ordereth, and governeth, in a manifold dispensation to his most holy ^cends: yet so, as the sinfulness of their acts proceedeth only from the Creatures, and not from God; who being most holy and righteous, neither is nor can be, the author or ^dapprover of sin.

^aRom. 11:32–34; 2 Sam. 24:1; 1 Chron. 21:1 ^b2 Kings 19:28; Ps. 76:10 ^cGen. 50:20; Isa. 10:6–7, 12 ^dPs. 50:21; 1 John 2:16

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For contact information or details regarding the various ministries
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