

The Year Of Following Jesus #114 Jesus Feeds 5000

February 26, 2024

Welcome Home!
Thanks for joining us today

March 2 & 3, 2024

My Lighthouse

Welcome

Egypt

See a Victory

Lord's Supper Thought

Way Maker

Prayer

Communion

Lesson: The Year(s) of Following Jesus

#114 Jesus Feeds the 5,000- Pastor Ed



Good Stuff To Know

Riverside Services Online- If you aren't in town on the weekend, you can still follow our services. We live stream each service on Facebook! You can also watch them anytime through Facebook by navigating over to <https://www.facebook.com/EagleRiverside>. And you don't need a Facebook account to watch the videos.

Offerings To Riverside - In case you were wondering- We don't pass a collection plate at Riverside. If you'd like to give, there are boxes at the back & envelopes in the information racks for cash donations. If you would like the convenience of giving online, go to www.EagleRiverside.com, click on "Give" and follow the directions. Your donations are an answer to our prayers and are the only means by which Riverside is able to operate.

FAQs - Have questions about why we do what we do and why we don't do what we don't do? Chances are you'll find more about it on our FAQs page. You can access the page from our website or text the word "Guest" to 907-312-2662 and you'll receive a link to the page.

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YOU ALL DID A GREAT JOB FEEDING THE 5000 ... BUT NOW I NEED YOU TO SEE IF YOU CAN FIND A LAD IN THE CROWD WHO HAS A BREATH MINT

Riverside Happenings

First Time Visitors

The Lord's Supper (Communion)

This is a time when we "commune" with God and remember Jesus' sacrifice. We also "commune" with one another as His church family. You are welcome to participate with us by going to one of the tables set up with trays- each cup is actually 2 cups (bread in bottom and juice on top) so grab a set of cups and take it back to your place (and don't forget to social distance). You can eat/drink the cracker and juice whenever you feel ready and then throw the cups away on your way out (there are trash cans at all exits). Everyone is welcome to join us if you're interested in remembering Jesus' life & sacrifice with us.

"Welcome To Riverside" brochure available online.
www.EagleRiverside.com

This Week At Riverside

(Specific info about these activities is listed in the "Happenings" section)

- ➔ Warriors in Christ Tuesday
- ➔ Thrive Thursday
- ➔ Ladies Craft Day Saturday
- ➔ Potluck Sunday the 10th
- ➔ Service Project: candy!

Need To Talk?...

The church office is not staffed during the week. There is a preschool that uses our building, so Ed, Aniela & Nate work from home. If you would like to contact them directly you can call them or email and set up an appointment.

Ed - 907.306.2823, ednjude@gmail.com

Aniela - 907.748.1556, anielawhah@gmail.com

Nate - 907.360.4825, nrsandback@gmail.com

Cassie - 907.360.2996, cassiemaaylinn@yahoo.com

Website: www.EagleRiverside.com

Facebook: EagleRiverside

Riverside Service Project - Candy for the Easter egg hunt. See insert.

Tax Statements - If you need tax statements, reach out to Aniela.

Parenting Group - No Perfect Parents is a five week parenting series to be held every Wednesday in April. Child care provided. Sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board. See Aniela or Abby for details.

Young Adults Group - We will be meeting Friday March 22nd. Text Cassie for details.

Ladies Craft Day - Bring your own craft and a dish to share. Saturday, March 9th, 10am-4pm at the church. See Becky 812-449-7004.

Riverside Potluck - March 10th after the 2nd service. See Lenea for details.

Warriors in Christ - Meeting Tuesdays at 6:30. See Nate for details.

Baptism - Want to get baptized or have questions? Scan the QR code or go to www.EagleRiverside.com/baptism



Write to our missionaries - Contact Hank at 713 548 7446.

Feed the Teens - Sign up to bring a meal for Thrive. Prepare meals for 10-15 people. Sign up for a Thursday on the bulletin board. See Aniela for details.

Upcoming Youth Events

Monday, March 11th, 6:00 - 7:30

Ignite and Rev (our two younger youth groups) will combine at Riverside for pizza, games, and a devotional.

For 4th - 8th graders. Questions? Like to help?

See Cassie.



Thursday, March 7th, 6:00 - 8:00

9th - 12th graders. At Riverside. Pizza, games, and a devotional.

Questions? Like to help? See Aniela.



To get updates, text the following to **907.312.2662**:

"IGNITE" (4th & 5th) "REV" (6th-8th), -or- "THRIVE" (9th-12th).

Everybody's Welcome...

Nobody's Perfect...

Anything's Possible!

Easter 2024

March Service Project - Bring LOTS of CANDY for our Easter egg hunt.

Egg Stuffing Party - Wednesday, March 27th at 6:30pm -
Come help stuff the eggs at church. It's a great way to serve and get to know people.

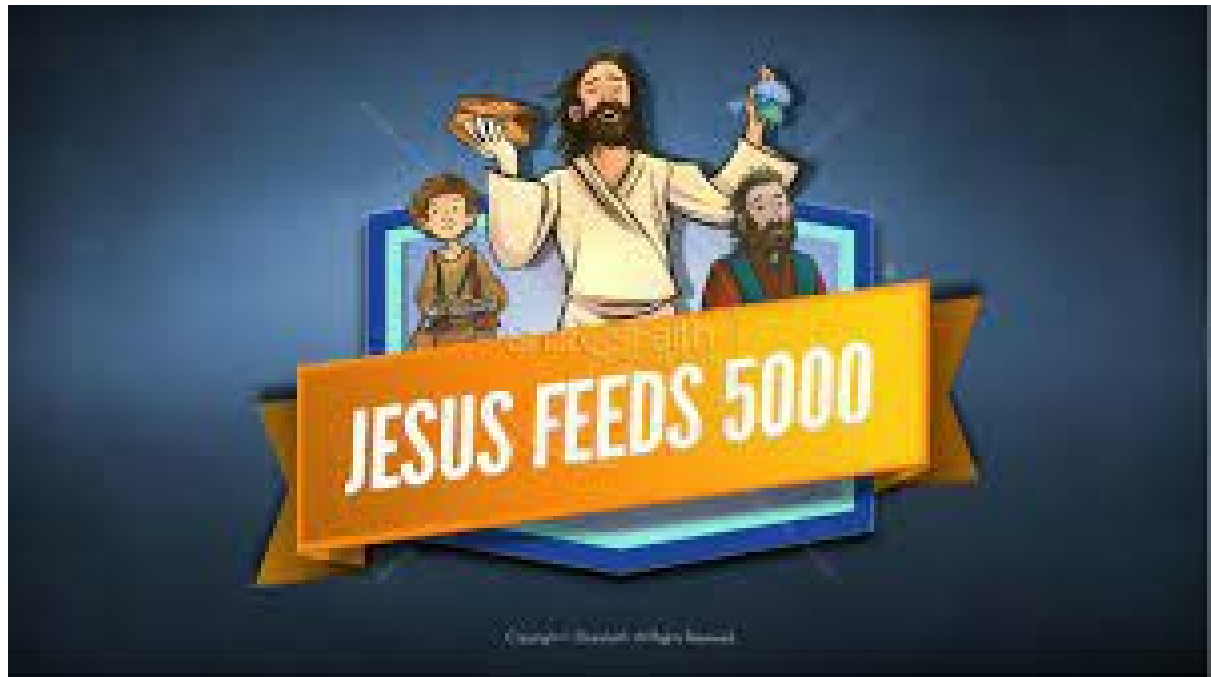
Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday, March 30th from 12:30-2pm.
Candy, prizes and free pictures with the Easter Bunny. This is one of our biggest outreaches to the community. Lots of help will be needed: "hide" the eggs, give away prizes and assist the Easter Bunny, as well as making everyone feel welcome, plus help cleaning up afterward. Questions: See Pastor Ed or Aniela.

Easter Services - Easter is Sunday, March 31st. We will offer Easter Services Saturday, March 30th at 6pm, as well as Sunday at 8:30am, 10am and 11:30am. Invite a friend! Want to help with parking, serving communion or ushering? See Pastor Ed.

Following

The Year(s) Of ^ Jesus #114

Jesus Feeds The 5,000

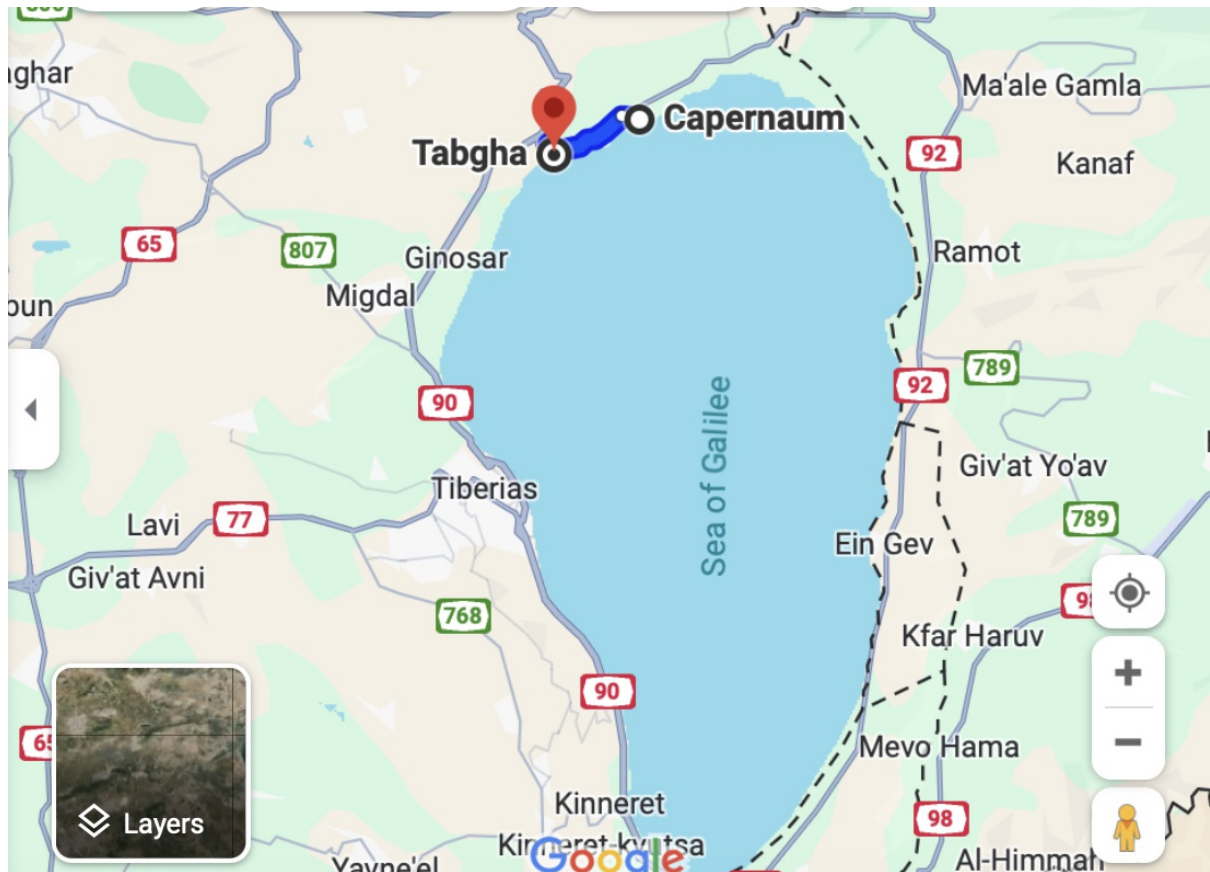


Then Jesus said, "Let's go off by ourselves to a quiet place and rest awhile."

—Mark 6:31 (NLT)

As soon as Jesus heard the (bad) news, he left in a boat to a remote area to be alone. But the crowds heard where he was headed and followed on foot from many towns.

—Matthew 14:13-14 (NLT)



Jesus also did many other things. If they were all written down, I suppose the whole world could not contain the books that would be written.

—John 21:25 (NLT)

What's This Story About?

1. The Compassion Of Jesus.

- *When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. So he began teaching them many things.*

—Mark 6:34 (NLT)

2. The Raw Power Of The Jesus.

- *Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks to God, and distributed them to the people. Afterward he did the same with the fish. And they all ate as much as they wanted.*

—John 6:11 (NLT)

- *Jesus replied, “I tell you the truth, you want to be with me because I fed you, not because you understood the miraculous signs.*

—John 6:26 (NLT)

- *So what makes us think we can escape if we ignore this great salvation that was first announced by the Lord Jesus himself and then delivered to us by those who heard him speak? And God confirmed the message by giving signs and wonders and various miracles and gifts of the Holy Spirit whenever he chose.*

—Hebrews 2:3-4 (NLT)

- *Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks to God, and distributed them to the people. Afterward he did the same with the fish. And they all ate as much as they wanted.*

—John 6:11 (NLT)

- *I also pray that you will understand the incredible greatness of God’s power for us who believe him. This is the same mighty power that raised Christ from the dead and seated him in the place of honor at God’s right hand in the heavenly realms.*

—Ephesians 1:19-20 (NLT)

Where would I like to see God’s power unleashed in my life?

Follow Through Step: