

# The Year Of Following Jesus #76 In Conclusion...

June 10, 2023

Welcome Home!  
Thanks for joining us today

June 10 & 11, 2023

This is Amazing Grace

Welcome

Good Good Father

At Your Name

Lord's Supper Thought

Build My Life

Prayer

Communion

Lesson: The Year(s) of Following Jesus #76

The Wise Man and the Foolish Man — 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](http://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.



### 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](http://www.EagleRiverside.com)

### This Week At Riverside

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

- Thrive Thursday - hiking permission slip
- Potluck after 11:30 service
- Sign up for VBS
- Service Projects: diaper drive & Sponsor a JAM Camper

#### 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.

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### Riverside Happenings

**Riverside Service Project** - Bring diapers and wipes of any size until June 20th. See Janet for details.

**Riverside Potluck**- Sign up to bring a dish for 6/11 potluck after the 2nd service.

**Save the Date-** VBS will be held August 7-10. Sign up your kids and/or sign up to help out. See Janet or Tayler for details.

**Moving on Up-** Kiddos who just finished 3rd grade move to the Shack and can also start coming to Ignite/Rev. Those who just finished 8th grade can start going to Thrive. See Aniela or Cassie for details.

**Warriors in Christ** - Meeting June 20th. See Nate for details.

**Men's Prayer Group** - Currently discussing "Praying in God's Word." Contact Hank at 713 548 7446.

**Ladies Craft Day** - Bring your own craft and a dish to share. Saturday, July 8, 10am-4pm at the church. See Becky 812-449-7004.



**Baptism** - Want to get baptized or have questions? Scan the QR code or go to [www.EagleRiverside.com/baptism](http://www.EagleRiverside.com/baptism)

**Write to our missionaries-** See the bulletin board for more info.

**JAM Camp** - July 9-13. Registration is open now for those entering 5th-12th grade. Cost is \$250/camper. Scholarships are available. See Ed, Janet or Aniela if you need a scholarship or would like to donate to the scholarship fund.

### Upcoming Youth Events

**Monday, June 19th, 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.



THRIVE

**Thursday, June 15th, 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!

*Following*  
**The Year(s) Of Jesus #76**

**The Conclusion Of  
The Sermon On The Mount**



*One day as he saw the crowds gathering, Jesus went up on the mountainside and sat down. His disciples gathered around him, and he began to teach them.*

—Matthew 5:1-2 (NLT)

## What Have We Learned?

### 1. Jesus Taught With Real Authority.

- *As Jesus was walking through the Temple area, the leading priests, the teachers of religious law, and the elders came up to him. They demanded, “By what authority are you doing all these things? Who gave you the right to do them?”*

—Mark 11:27-28 (NLT)

- *When Jesus had finished saying these things, the crowds were amazed at his teaching, for he taught with real authority—quite unlike their teachers of religious law.*

—Matthew 7:28-29 (NLT)

- *You have heard that our ancestors were told, ‘You must not murder. If you commit murder, you are subject to judgment.’ But I say to you...*

—Matthew 5:21-22 (NLT)

## 2. There Are Two Ways.

- *Go in through the narrow gate. The gate to destruction is wide, and the road that leads there is easy to follow... Watch out for false prophets! They dress up like sheep, but inside they are wolves who have come to attack you... A good tree produces good fruit, and a bad tree produces bad fruit... Anyone who hears and obeys these teachings of mine is like a wise person who built a house on solid rock.*

—Matthew 7:13-24 (CEV)

- *When you give to someone in need, don't do as the hypocrites do... When you pray, don't be like the hypocrites...*

—Matthew 6:1-5 (NLT)

- *But I warn you— unless your righteousness is better than the righteousness of the teachers of religious law and the Pharisees, you will never enter the Kingdom of Heaven!*

—Matthew 5:20 (NLT)

- *Not everyone who calls out to me, 'Lord! Lord!' will enter the Kingdom of Heaven. Only those who actually do the will of my Father in heaven will enter. On judgment day many will say to me, 'Lord! Lord! We prophesied in your name and cast out demons in your name and performed many miracles in your name.' But I will reply, 'I never knew you. Get away from me, you who break God's laws.'*

—Matthew 7:21-23 (NLT)

- *For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith. And you can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it. For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things*

*he planned for us long ago.*

—*Ephesians 2:8-10 (NIV)*

- *We are made right in God's sight when we trust in Jesus Christ to take away our sins. And we all can be saved in this same way, no matter who we are or what we have done.*

—*Romans 3:22 (NLT)*

### **3. We Are To Practice, Practice, Practice.**

- *Everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.*

—*Matthew 7:24-27 (NIV)*

- *Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect.*

—*Matthew 5:48 (NIV)*

- *I have given them the glory you gave me.*

—*John 17:22 (NLT)*

- *Jesus said to them, "I tell you the truth, the tax collectors and the prostitutes will enter the kingdom of God before you do."*

—*Matthew 21:31 (NCV)*

### **Follow Through Step:**

**Reflect on whose glory you are depending on. Whose righteousness are you depending on. Why are you doing the good things that you do for Jesus?**

