

1 Youth Ministry

Grades 7-12

June 30, 2021 Family Movie Night



Sundays 9:30 AM



Friday July 2nd 6:30pm



Wednesdays 7:00 PM

The Chosen
Official Trailer

Questions answered about The Chosen by the director

View the entire first season here

Midweek Youth
None in July

Join us every Wed. from 7-8pm for fellowship and prayer along with lessons applying Biblical principles to your life today and get answers to all your questions.

Foster Care Teens
Personal Care Items

We are still collecting
"Personal Care Items" for

Family Movie Night

Join us at LWA this <u>Friday</u>, <u>July 2nd</u>, at 6:30pm for Youth Movie Night!

The movie will be the 2015 movie, "<u>Inside Out</u>".

Rated PG



Wednesday Nights at 7:00pm

No Wednesday Lessons for July

Join us every Wednesday night from 7:00pm to 8:00pm for an exciting new series about seeing the "Thread" of the Gospel through the entire Bible.

Together, we will see that Jesus was God's word made in

teens in foster care throughout the year. Items for both male and female teens are being collected in the bin just outside our youth room. These items will be sorted into personal bags and given to DCS to be distributed to teens who may not even have their own tooth brush or comb.

Bible verse of the week

Mark 2:15-17

¹⁵ While Jesus was having dinner at Levi's house, many tax collectors and sinners were eating with him and his disciples, for there were many who followed him. 16 When the teachers of the law who were Pharisees saw him eating with the sinners and tax collectors, they asked his disciples: "Why does he eat with tax collectors and sinners?" 17 On hearing this, Jesus said to them, "It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners."

the flesh, as both messenger and the message of God's salvation for all and He can be seen throughout the Bible from Genesis to Revelation and everywhere in between.

Sundays at 9:30am



I Am He

This past Sunday, we started episode 8 of **The Chosen TV series**, "I Am He". In the first half of this episode, we discussed Nicodemus really struggling with giving up the life that he knows and loves in order to follow Jesus.

We also talked about the Pharisees that interrupted the dinner party at Matthew's home and Jesus' response to them as read in **Mark 2:15-17**.

The first half concluded with quite a heated discussion between Shmuel and Nicodemus. We specifically noted Shmuel's response to Nicodemus' saying to him that it's not really about God at all with him, is it? Shmuel said, "It's about the Law and the Law IS God".

We said that Shmuel, and others, have basically taken the Law given to them by God and have made IT God. Rather than worshiping God, they are more concerned with condemning those who don't follow God's Law. They focus on external appearances of appearing to be righteous for following the Law.

We talked about how sometimes we can be like Shmuel and the other Pharisees being more focused on following the rules rather than following God. Being focused more on appearing righteous rather than healing the sinners.

Churches and Synagogues become more concerned

with the rules than with helping the poor and the sinners come to salvation in Christ. People condemn others for their sins rather than showing them God's love to help bring them closer to Him.

While we may not be as obvious and as hard core as Shmuel, we can sometimes exhibit some of the same behaviors if even only in our thoughts.

We mentioned that the Samaritan woman introduced in the beginning of this episode is none other than the Woman at the Well that Jesus talks to in the 2nd half of this episode.

We finish episode 8 and the end of season 1 on Sunday July 13th at 9:30

If you ever miss an episode during this series and would like to get caught up or just review, you can view the entire first season for free at their **website**.

Upcoming Events

First Friday Youth Movie Night

Join us at LWA on <u>Friday</u>, <u>July 2nd</u>, at 6:30pm for Youth Movie Night!



The movie will be the 2015 movie, "Inside Out". All youth, grades 7-12, their friends and families are invited.

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"After young Riley is uprooted from her Midwest life and moved to San Francisco, her emotions - Joy, Fear, Anger, Disgust and Sadness - conflict on how best to navigate a new city, house, and school."

See Trailer Here



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