

“Circumstances”
We’re Glad You’re Here On
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CURRENT SERIES

HURT

Pain often makes us feel alone, as if no one else sees or understands. Jesus does. He knows what it's like to hurt. The beautiful thing is that he is always ready to walk with you and offer hope.

Next Week's Message

HURT: Religion [P]

Free Message CDs

Message CDs are available in the foyer immediately following the weekend worship experience. Previous messages are also available. [M] [A] [P]

MAP

We want to be intentional about the activities and opportunities we promote. Our lives are already busy, we don't need more "stuff" to do.

Journey has three types of activities. Look for the letter after each update to see how that event fits into your spiritual life.

[M] Missional Spirituality

We will pursue a lifestyle of outward-focused living; exemplified by acts of service, generosity, and loving-kindness to all.

Spring Fling Journey Picnic

Sunday, May 16th plan on a fun time with other "Journeyers." More details will follow in the weeks to come, but needless to say you won't want to miss this fun time of making new friends. [M] [A]

Welcome Kyle & Heidi!

Today we are celebrating Kyle & Heidi's first Sunday with some appetizers before everyone heads in different directions for lunch (if you'll still want lunch). Thanks to all who brought appetizers and prepared in other ways. Everyone is invited and encouraged to celebrate with us! [A]

Graduates

Are you or someone you love graduating from any level of formal education this spring? If so please let us know by writing "graduate" and the name of the graduate on your communication card. We're planning to recognize graduates on Sunday, May 23, during our worship experience.[A]

Fabulous 5 (Ways To Serve)

- * Preschool Small Group Leader
- * Elementary Small Group Leader

- * Hospitality: Usher, Greeter, Refreshments, Kiosk
- * Facilities Team: ongoing maintenance, cleaning, etc.
- * Wall Construction - possibly beginning this week.

If you are willing to at least find out a little more about any one of these areas of service just sign up on your communication card. [P]

A Parent's Guide To Internet & Social Media - 5/20, 7:30 PM

Plan now to attend Jim Burns' live simulcast here at Journey. Texting, Facebook and video-gaming — it seems there is no separating kids from the 24/7 influence of today's media! Parents are invited to join Jim Burns and social media expert, Dr. David Peck, to find out how to create a media safe home. [Please sign up for this event by writing "simulcast" on your comm. card.](#) [P]

[A] Authentic Community

We value relationships marked by honesty, encouragement, acceptance, accountability and unconditional love.

[P] Personal Wholeness

Personal wholeness will be realized as we individually seek to live in healthy relationships with ourselves, with God, and with others.

JOURNEY KIDS

Preschool (birth-pre-K)

In this safe, loving environment, kids experience God's love through teaching, music and fun activities.

Elementary (K-6th grade) In this exciting worship experience, kids enjoy age-appropriate large group singing and teaching, as well as grade-specific small group discussions.

Journey Kids

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Today in Preschool

Today we will be talking with our preschoolers about how **God made them and loves everything about them.** Ps. 139:13-15 & Jeremiah 1:5

Today in Elementary

This Month our virtue will be **Patience** - waiting until later for what you want now?

Today: **Just Wait: If you don't wait, it could cost you.** Esau and the birthright (Genesis 25:24-34).

Parents: Don't forget to reinforce the teaching this week by using the God Time and Refrigerator Door cards.

Journey Kids Construction

Until the wall is constructed to form our permanent Journey Kids space, our elementary kids will check-in and worship with us and then be dismissed to small group. **AFTER the wall goes up, GA will return to having their own worship and large group teaching!** Also, until the wall is

finished, our nursery area will be located next to the hospitality area.

JOURNEY STUDENTS

Growth Group & Student Gathering

There is a weekly growth group for all students on Sunday afternoon. (contact Vinny for more info)

There is a gathering for students every Sunday from 6:00 - 7:15 here at Journey's new facility.

Summer Camp Info!

Students are going to Student Life Camp in Orange Beach, Florida this summer. Contact Vinny if you have questions or if you're student is interested in going.

Middle School & High School

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