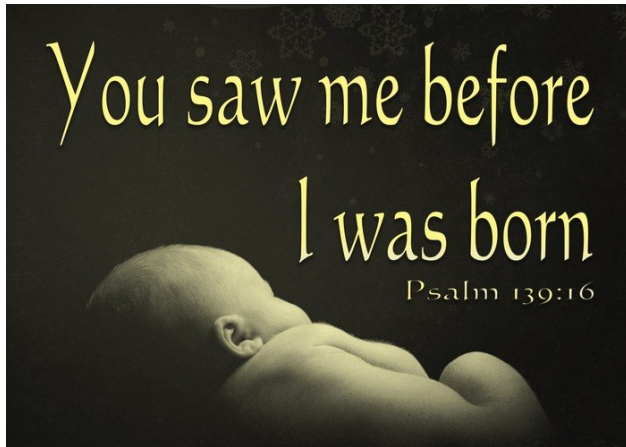




Rev. Chadd Harkrider, Senior Pastor

Rev. Paul Holland, Associate Pastor

January 12, 2025



SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE MONTH

ALL LIFE IS SACRED TO GOD OUR CREATOR. JANUARY HAS BEEN SET APART TO RECOGNIZE AND CELEBRATE THE SANCTITY OF LIFE. WE PRAY FOR OUR NATION TO TURN TO GOD AND RECOGNIZE ALL LIFE AS SACRED TO THE CREATOR. SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE MONTH IS A TIME WHEN CHURCHES ACROSS THE UNITED STATES FOCUS ON GOD AS THE GIVER OF LIFE AND THE CHURCH'S ROLE IN PROTECTING IT.

NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 19TH HAS BEEN NATIONALLY DECLARED AS SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE SUNDAY. IN CELEBRATION OF THIS DAY AND IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE REPUBLIC PREGNANCY CARE CENTER, WE WILL BE COLLECTING MONEY FOR DIAPERS. THEY ARE IN DESPERATE NEED OF A CERTAIN SIZE AND TYPE OF DIAPER AND WE WILL COLLECT MONEY THROUGH VALENTINE'S DAY AND PURCHASE THE DIAPERS FOR THEM. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE SEE MRS. JOYCE. SHE WILL ALSO HAVE VOLUNTEER FORMS AVAILABLE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP THE RPCC ENCOURAGE MOMS IN CRISIS PREGNANCIES TO **CHOOSE LIFE!**



BEFORE I FORMED THEE IN THE BELLY I KNEW THEE; AND BEFORE THOU CAMEST FORTH OUT OF THE WOMB I SANCTIFIED THEE, AND I ORDAINED THEE A PROPHET UNTO THE NATIONS.

JEREMIAH 1:5

**Missionaries of the week
Dalton & Paulette Walker - New Zealand
Praises & Prayer Requests**

- They are very thankful for the encouragement and support they receive from the BBFI Missions office and want to publicly acknowledge the work that they do.
- They have just returned to NZ after a short furlough and it's always challenging integrating back.
- They ask for prayer for their 2025 church family camp coming up and for a permanent meeting spot.



Member Birthdays / Anniversaries

January

- 1 - Linda Musgrave
- 7 - Beau & Valerie Moore - 19
- 8 - Evangeline Casey
- 9 - Gavin Moore
- 11 - Easton Huck
- 18 - Karen Fonville**
- 19 - Dana Cross
- 20 - Michael Snyder
- 26 - Sharon Mead

Church Calendar

January

- 12 - Evening service outreach begins**
- 19 - Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
- 22 - Annual church business meeting
- 28 - Ladies Bible Study, 10am & 6pm

February

- 1 - Men's Bible Study, 6:30am
- 1 - Ladies Bible Study, 10:00am
- 9 - James River Rehab Ministry, 2:00

LADIES BIBLE STUDY - *HEAVEN* BY JENNIFER ROTHSCHILD BEGINS JANUARY 28TH! LAST WEEK TO SIGN UP TO GET YOUR BOOK!

WHEN FAITH BECOMES SIGHT

Heaven. Who goes there? Where is it? What will we do there? Questions like these arise when we consider an eternal future beyond this physical life. How can we know the truth about what comes next? In this 7-session video-based study, Jennifer Rothschild explores the subject of Heaven from a biblical perspective. She will separate what's true about Heaven from what's based on legend, media depictions, and hopeful guesses. As you walk through the study, you'll not only gain a deeper understanding of what God has prepared for His children, but also learn how to live with confidence today as you look forward to the glorious unending that awaits. Don't just wonder about Heaven—embrace it with a faith that turns anticipation into excitement and peace.

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SIGN UP IN THE BACK IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US! WE WILL MEET AT PASTOR'S HOME ON TUESDAY MORNINGS, TUESDAY EVENINGS AND SATURDAY MORNINGS, EVERY TWO WEEKS. YOU CAN CHOOSE WHICH TIME WORKS BEST FOR YOU. BOOKS WILL COST \$23-25. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, SEE KENZIE OR MORGEN.

Our outreach ministry to the college community begins this evening at 5:30!

Join us as we meet, minister to, encourage and get to know the community God has placed us in. Be here at 5:00 & be ready to greet and serve!



Our annual business meeting will be

Wednesday January 22nd.

All members are encouraged to attend.