

MARCH 16+17, 2024 IN GOD DO I TRUST? WHO DO I TRUST IN?



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Pastor Ron Williams

Proverbs 3:5-6

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him; and he will make straight your paths." – <i>Proverbs 3:5-6</i>	
BIG IDEA: Who you in determines the	
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Monday

READ: 1 John 2:15-17

REFLECT: This week we will focus on various idols we worship and trust in rather than God. 1 John 2:15-17 shows three types of idols that we allow on the throne of our hearts. We identify idols by discerning what our passions and desires revolve around. These things reveal our heart's posture toward the things in which we trust.

RESPOND: Take some to think through these three categories. Ask God to prepare your heart to be sensitive to what He may reveal to you today and the rest of this week.

Tuesday

READ: 1 John 2:16: Galatians 5:16-21

REFLECT: Galatians 5:16-21 describes the desires of the flesh. The flesh desires anything that is contrary to the fruit of the Spirit. Our idols of the flesh are words, actions, or behaviors that gratify us and not the Spirit. They reveal our trust in anything but God.

RESPOND: Ask God to reveal any fleshly desires that have hindered you from trusting God. What next steps is God telling to take in response to what He reveals to you?

Wednesday

READ: 1 John 2:16; James 1:14; Colossians 3:5

REFLECT: These passages encourage us to put "to death" the desires of our eyes that are not honoring to God. This strong language is there for our protection. When we long for something to the point of obsession, it begins to control us. God wants us to see clearly. That is why He warns us of these desires such as jealousy, envy, etc.

RESPOND: Ask God to show you how your vision is clouded by the desires of your eyes. How have good things become things that you are now obsessed over? Ask God to help your remove them from your heart.

Thursday

READ: 1 John 2:15-17; Jeremiah 9:23-24

REFLECT: The idol of pride in our lives makes us think that we are stronger, smarter, better, and holier than others. We obsess over how we measure up to others. When we think we're above others, we have a false sense of pride. And when we think that others are above us, we have a false sense of shame. God wants neither for us.

RESPOND: How do you bow down to the idols of the pride? Ask God to reveal these to you and to give you strength to love others instead of competing with them.

Friday

READ: 1 Timothy 6:17-19

REFLECT: In this passage, Paul tells the wealthy to trust God, do good, and invest in eternity. He tells them to have a loose grip on their money and possessions so they can strategically bless others. We are blessed to bless others. When we hold tightly to our money and possessions, our "stuff" will own us instead of us owning our stuff.

RESPOND: How are you using your money and possessions to bless others? How does your use of them reveal what you trust in for your identity and security?

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Stop by Guest Services in the lobby. We'd love to get acquainted, give you a welcome packet, and a gift. If you have questions, we have answers!



Intro

Join us for Intro where you'll hear Pathway's story, meet some staff, and learn about next steps. Scan the code to sign up.





EVENTS

FEATURED

Raising Financially Healthy Kids

April 12+13

Pathway and author/speaker Dave Briggs are pleased to present this seminar which offers sound biblical principles, valuable parenting skills, and specific techniques parents can use to train their kids to live healthy, successful, God-honoring financial lives. **Scan the code to sign up.**



Preparing Your Kid & Wallet for College

April 14

Dave Briggs will speak about choosing a path that sets up students for success without unnecessary high debt. This 90-minute mini-seminar is geared toward teenagers and parents of teenagers who are looking ahead to college decisions and the finances involved. **Scan the code to sign up.**







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CHURCHWIDE

MAR 3 | 6:30pm

WORSHIP NIGHT

NEXT STEPS

MAR 3 | 11am

INTRO

MAR 23+24

BAPTISM

GROUPS

ONGOING DAYS/TIMES VARY

LIFE GROUPS

ADULTS

MAR 21 | 6:30pm

PRAYING FOR OUR ADULT CHILDREN

WOMEN

MONDAYS | 9am

WOMEN'S COFFEE & CONVERSATION

MAR 26 | 9am

MOM₂MOM

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

MAR 9 | 8:30am

HELPING HANDS SECOND SATURDAY SERVE MAR 9+10

FOOD PANTRY DONATION WEEKEND

(Every 2nd Sunday)

MAR 16 | 10am

MORNING COFFEE WITH JOSIAH VENTURE

MARRIAGE & PARENTING

MAR 4 | 6:30pm

MERGE

MAR 17 | 11am

TRUE VINE KINSHIP COFFEE (Every 3rd Sunday)

CARE & SUPPORT

TUESDAYS | 7pm

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

THURSDAYS | 6:30pm

MOM OF AN ADDICT

THURSDAYS | 6:30pm

TRAUMA REBOOT – WOMEN'S CLASS

TUESDAYS | 7pm

DIVORCE CARE

THURSDAYS | 6:30pm

GRIEF SHARE

MARCH 1+2

PRAYER CONFERENCE

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MAR 11 | 6:30pm

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on these events

MILITARY REBOOT

MAR 23 | 9am

INFERTILITY & LOSS SUPPORT

COLLEGE

MAR 28 | 7pm

PCC COLLEGE GATHERING

ONGOING DAYS/TIMES VARY

LIFE GROUPS

STUDENTS

SATURDAYS | 5pm SUNDAYS | 9+11am

PROJECT 5 (5th Grade)

WEDNESDAYS | 6:15pm

IMPULSE (Middle School)

SATURDAYS | 5pm SUNDAYS | 9+11am

IMPULSE: DIGGING DEEPER

WEDNESDAYS | 7:30pm

IMPACT (High School)

MAR 1-3

IMPACT WINTER RETREAT – UPPERCLASSMEN

KIDS

SATURDAYS | 5pm SUNDAYS | 9+11am

KIDCITY



Saturdays 5pm | Sundays 9am+11am 1010 Carroll Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46845 260.469.4444

Good Friday at Pathway

FRIDAY, MARCH 29 | 3pm+5pm*

This year's Good Friday experience at Pathway will be two identical services that invite us to remember Christ's sacrifice for us. Through special music, prayer, scripture, and quiet reflection, we'll invite Jesus to meet us at the place of our greatest need.

*KidCare will be available at the 5pm service for infants through pre-k on a first-come first-served basis.

Easter Worship at Pathway

We invite you to join us this Easter as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Each of our five identical services offers an engaging worship experience and a message of hope that applies to real life. It's one of our favorite weekends of the year, and we would be thrilled to have you with us at Pathway this Easter!

All services are identical. Services live-streamed at pccfw.tv.
*Infant through 4th grade available in all services except the 8am.

SATURDAY, MARCH 30 3pm+5pm **SUNDAY, MARCH 31** 8am*+9:30am+11:30am

THE VENUE | Sunday, 9:30am+11:30am

Easter Serving Opportunities

It takes a village. It takes many people with willing hearts to serve a community of this size. If Pathway is your home, we encourage you to say "yes" to an Easter serving opportunity. Give a little of your time — one hour at one service — and you can be a reason someone draws near to Jesus. That's worth celebrating!

KIDCARE

If you have a heart for kids, you can provide an opportunity for their parents to attend a Good Friday service.

Email Angie at aashby@pccfw.org

FIRST IMPRESSIONS

From greeters to ushers to our coffee team, First Impressions is all about making people feel welcome at Pathway.

Email Dan at dlitwiller@pccfw.org

KIDCITY

Snuggle a baby or come alongside a child as they learn more about Jesus in KidCity.

Email Michelle at mrodriguez@pccfw.org

Scan the code to learn more and sign up!





Friday, April 26

8am-3pm

Saturday, April 27

8am-12pm

A Benefit for Orphan Care and Adoption

True Vine — Pathway's Adoption, Foster Care and Family Preservation Ministry — exists to empower, equip, and support foster and adoptive families and vulnerable children in our community. Pathway's Garage Sale is True Vine's largest fundraiser of the year. It generates thousands of dollars that support local adoptions and foster care.



Your donated goods make this event possible. Drop off your gently-used items at the trailers parked in the north parking lot following the worship services on:

MARCH 23+24 | APRIL 6+7 | APRIL 13+14 | APRIL 20+21

We will not be accepting donations on Easter weekend.



This event is possible because of the dedicated efforts of people like you. (BONUS: serve at least one shift to set up or work the sale, and you get to shop early!)



Shop till you drop at the two-day sale, and you'll support orphan care and adoption!

