

9:15 AM WINTER BIBLE CLASSES
NEW START DATE: FEBRUARY 6th

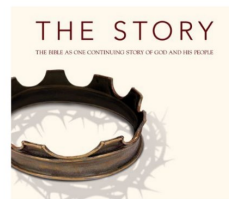


A Continued Look at Judges for Adults

with Pastor Tim
The Sanctuary

The Story for Jr/Sr High

with Pastor DL
Youth Community Room



Go! 1st-5th Grade

with Mrs. Peck and Mrs. Thane
Greenhouse

Go! Kindergarten and younger

with Ms. Pam and Ms. Rachel
Treehouse



Want to learn more about PCC? Contact the office to be added to our list for a new member's class!

Church Information

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Sunday Morning

Sunday School—9:15 am (to resume 2/6) Worship Service—10:30 am

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Welcome to PCC

Responsive Reading of Psalm 96

Worship in Music

Shepherd's Prayer—Mary Haltiner

Sermon — Matthew 18.15-20
Jesus Between Us

Closing Doxology



... from Matthew 18:15-20

¹⁵“If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault, between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have gained your brother. ¹⁶But if he does not listen, take one or two others along with you, that every

charge may be established by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷If he refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church. And if he refuses to listen even to the church, let him be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. ¹⁸Truly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹Again I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. ²⁰For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.”

On the one hand, we love that last verse: “Where two or three are gathered ...”. Whoo hoo! Jesus is with us in our smallest group. We don’t need a crowd. We can be in our cars. We can be on the trail with a friend. Jesus is with us. Worship and fellowship can happen ... anywhere!

On the other hand, the text serves as a primer for community. Humility. Seeking after the lost sheep. Forgiveness. Authentic community is, also, the openness to confront your brother, the opportunity to gain your brother and the obligation to discipline your brother ... and all for the sake of maintaining community.

What? No “whoo hoo”? You mean authentic Jesus-centered community means expectations? accountability? willingness to *exclude from* community? In 2022? Say it ain’t so!

Yep. Without Jesus-centered expectations, accountability and boundaries you won’t have a Jesus-centered community. You may have a crowd. It might even be a fun crowd.

But Jesus won’t be there.



DL is still looking for two more adult volunteers!

Don't miss this chance to mentor youth, serve our community, and share the love of Christ in Rochester!

Missions Memo

Please join in prayer for World Relief/Western NY

- Stamina, encouragement, and health for staff who are very over-worked and overwhelmed
- Fortitude and optimism for new staff coming onboard who will be totally thrown into things
- Patience, grace, and peace for Afghans who are having to wait much longer than usual for the services they need or might be coming up against unmet expectations
- For a clearing up of all the services that are delayed right now, including additional staff across many sectors

Scan to learn more!

