



## The Cost and Value of the Kingdom

**Ben Joseph**  
**January 18, 2025**

For a copy of the sermon notes, click [HERE](#).

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## Announcements

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**All Church Work Day:** Saturday, January 31 at 7:30 AM. We're planning to tackle some of our outdoor projects (and some indoor stuff too). More info to come!

**Pastor Nick Fryberger Update:** Nick and his family will be visiting Bridgeway a 2nd time this Sunday. He is also scheduled to preach to the congregation on February 1 and 8.

**Plastic Tubs Needed:** We are in need of some large plastic bins (with the locking/snapping lids) and also 2 of the shallow under-the-bed tubs to help with organizing decor and other items at the church. If you have anything that you would be willing to donate, please see Patty Averhoff. Thanks!

**Church Rummage Sale:** Coming in March! Start saving your "treasures" to contribute! Please do not begin bringing your items to church yet--more instructions and details coming.

**Senior Pastor Search Update--**We are continuing to move forward in the process and continuing to accept applications. Our website, [www.bridgewaycc.org](http://www.bridgewaycc.org), has the link to our Senior Pastor Search information and application. Please continue to be in prayer and spread the word. ***Please sign up in the back of the church to commit to a time of intentional prayer daily. There is also a sheet with specific things available in the back to help guide your prayers.***



You're invited to  
Connections!


# Chili COOK OFF

SUNDAY,  
JANUARY 25 @ 5 PM

ENTER  
OUR CHILI CONTEST

VOTE FOR YOUR  
FAVORITE!

Sign up in the back of the church to bring chili (either for contest or just to share). Crockpots work well! Be sure to label the type of chili and level of spiciness. Sign-up also to bring rolls, cornbread, shredded cheese, onions, etc.



Contact Linda for information:  
[lindajjerome@yahoo.com](mailto:lindajjerome@yahoo.com) or  
734-635-9592.

Chili Cook-Off Sign-Ups [CLICK HERE](#)  
or sign up in the back of church!

Adult Sunday School with Jacques Osley will be resuming this Sunday at 9 AM in the blue classroom! See below for the exciting details!



**Sunday School**

*Journey Through*  
**2 KINGS**

*Rise, Fall & Redemption*

**PROPHETS • KINGS • EXILE**

*A Two-Session Bible Study*  
*Explore the History & Spiritual Lessons*  
*of 2 Kings*

**Sunday January 18**  
**2Kings 1-10**

**HISTORICAL TRUTH • SPIRITUAL INSIGHT • HOPE IN GOD'S FAITHFULNESS**



Elder's Corner

To increase communication with the congregation, the elders will be providing updates from their meetings--items discussed, decisions made, etc. Use the link below or pick up a hard copy.

If you'd like to share some comments and/or encouragements with the elders, please look for the **Elder Communication** card in the back of the church.

[Elder's Corner--12/24](#)

[Elder's Corner--1/25](#)

[Elder's Corner--3/25](#)



Elder's Corner--5/25  
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Elder's Corner--11/25  
**Elder's Corner--12/25**

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## Women's Ministries

**Friday Morning Bible Study:** Join Debborah Charboneau as the group continues in the book of *Psalms* at 9 AM. the 1st Friday of the month, the group meets for breakfast and fellowship, while the remaining Friday's the group uses Zoom to meet. For details, contact Debborah at debchar74@gmail.com or 602-686-5594.

**Two new studies starting soon. Please sign up in the back of the church.**



# Women's Bible Study

January 13-March 24



Join Linda Jerome  
Tuesday mornings  
10:00-11:30 AM

## JESUS'S FINAL WEEK



From  
TRIUMPHAL ENTRY  
to EMPTY TOMB

WILLIAM F. COOK III

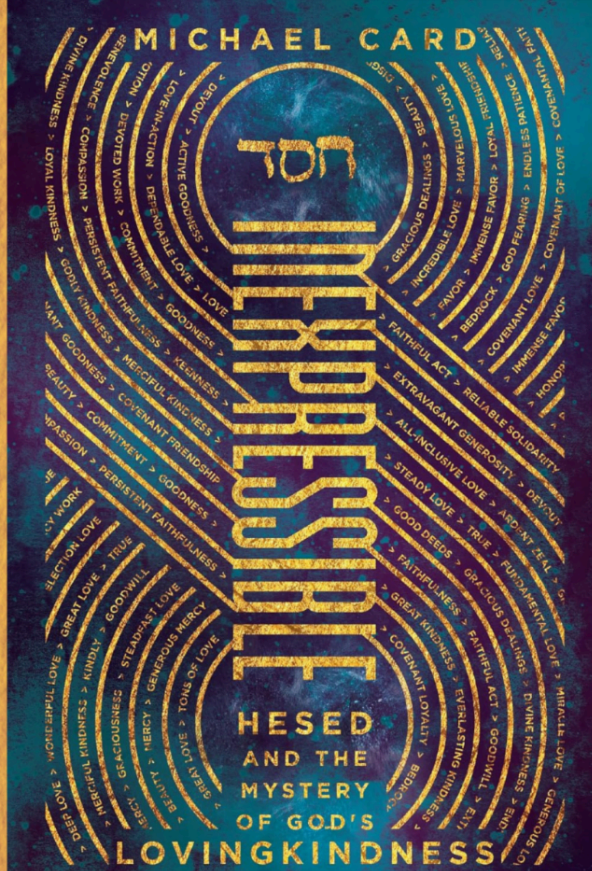
For details, contact Linda at  
734-635-9592 or [lindajjerome@yahoo.com](mailto:lindajjerome@yahoo.com).



# Bible Study

JOIN MARGARET GUTHRIE  
STARTING TUESDAY, JANUARY 13 FROM  
6:30-8:00 PM

We'll be examining different passages of Scripture that highlight God's steadfast love. "As we follow our God of hesed, we ourselves are transformed to live out the way of hesed, marked by compassion, mercy and faithfulness. Discover what it means to be people of an everlasting love beyond words."



FOR DETAILS, CONTACT MARGARET AT  
480-652-9768 OR 60MREIS@GMAIL.COM

**Women's Bible Studies:** Info about ongoing studies is available [HERE](#).

## Men's Ministries

**Monday Night Bible Study at 6:30 PM:** This group is continuing in the book of John. Questions, contact Bill Alkema.

**Tuesday Night Bible Study at 6:45 PM:** The men will be continuing The Gospel Way Catechism. Questions, contact Gregg Cantelmo.

**Men's Bible Studies:** Info about ongoing studies is available [HERE](#).



# Children's Ministry

**Nursery & Toddlers:** Childcare is available during the 10:30 service on Sundays.

**Kids Sunday School (4+):** The book of Matthew coming in January!

*We can always use some extra helpers in children's ministry! See Kathy for more information.*



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## Church Life

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### Did You Know?

**When You Can't Be at BCC in Person**

- **You Can Still Hear the Message:** On our website via recording at [www.bridgewaycc.org](http://www.bridgewaycc.org)- From the home page, select Resources -> Sermons for the audio version or the video.
- **Online Giving** is available at [www.bridgewaycc.org](http://www.bridgewaycc.org), or you can download the free Vanco Mobile App. If you have questions, visit [bridgeway@bridgewaycc.org](mailto:bridgeway@bridgewaycc.org).

**Additional E-mail Connections**--Please contact Kathy at [bridgeway@bridgewaycc.org](mailto:bridgeway@bridgewaycc.org) if you'd like to be added to any of our group e-mail options.

- **Bridgeway Opportunities** (aka the "Friday e-mail") --If you're reading this, you're already on the list;). This comes out every Friday afternoon with info about the upcoming sermon, general announcements, church-wide requests, etc. Consider this an expanded version of the info in the Sunday bulletins.
- **Missionary Praises & Prayers**--This is sent once each month with any updated prayer needs, praises, photos, and newsletters from the missionaries that Bridgeway supports. This is a great place to know how to focus your prayers and to see how your support is growing God's Kingdom.
- **Men's Ministry and Women's Ministry**--These e-mails are sent on an as needed basis to share information about specific upcoming events.

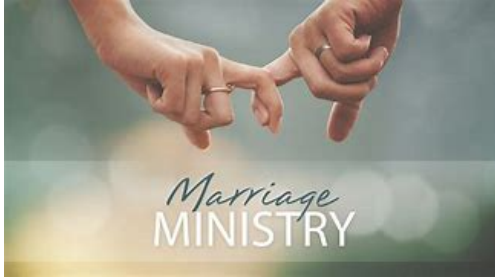
**Meal Train Ministry:** If you'd like to be a blessing to people in our church by providing meals, as needed, to those who may be ill or recouping, homebound, or in need due to other circumstances, please see Kenda von Hamm for more info. [kendavonhamm@gmail.com](mailto:kendavonhamm@gmail.com)

**Altar Prayer:** If you'd like someone to pray for you and with you, please meet in the front of the church after Sunday services. If you have any questions or would like to be a part of this ministry, please see Frank ([HawaiiinFrank@gmail.com](mailto:HawaiiinFrank@gmail.com)) or Sara Cervantes ([AlohaSara1020@gmail.com](mailto:AlohaSara1020@gmail.com)).

**Serving One Another:** If you could use a helping hand with minor home and lawn maintenance/repairs, basic computer support, household tasks, etc. please fill a request form and put it in the black offering box so that Les, Frank, or Shellie, can find someone in our congregation to assist. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

**Generation Food Pantry:** Food donations should be dropped off on Wednesdays and Saturdays between 7 am and 11 am (not any day). If you'd like to help with the pick-up of food (Monday-Saturday) or other hands-on volunteering, please sign up through the Generation Food Pantry [LINK](#) at this time.

**[Prayer requests](mailto:prayergroup@bridgewaycc.org) can be sent to [prayergroup@bridgewaycc.org](mailto:prayergroup@bridgewaycc.org).  
See Mona if you have any questions.**



### Christian Marriage Ministry

We are excited to announce the launch of our Christian Marriage Ministry at Bridgeway--dedicated to strengthening marriages by providing spiritual support, guidance, and counseling based upon biblical principles.

Click [HERE](#) for more information.

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