Age 3 thru 11 years old
Room 4
After Communion
Available at the back of the auditorium

Schedule of Services
Sunday
“What Do the Scriptures Say?” (AZ TV Chan. 7) 7:30 am
Pioneer’s Home Worship Service 8:30 am
Morning Bible Classes 9:30 am
Morning Worship Service 10:30 am
Evening Worship Service 6:00 pm
Monday
“What Do the Scriptures Say?” (PCAC Chan. 13) 3:30 pm
Wednesday
Ladies Bible Study (at the church building) 12:00 pm
Evening Bible Study 7:00 pm
Saturday
“What Do the Scriptures Say?” (PCAC Chan. 13) 6:00 pm

Church Office Hours
Mon – Thurs 9:00am to 1:00pm

Church Statistics
Sunday Bible Class Attendance 75
Morning Worship Service Attendance 108
Pioneer’s Home 19
Weekly Budget $4069
Mt. Vernon Contributions $5280
Contributions for TV Show $270

Welcome Guests
Please consider yourself our honored guest. We are glad you have come our way and invite you to return any time you can. We encourage you to fill out a visitors’ card so we have a record of your visit. Please come back to worship with us at any and every opportunity you have.

Lessons from the Life of Judas
We can draw some important lessons from the life of Judas.

❖ First, Judas is a tragic example of lost opportunity. He heard Jesus teach day in and day out for about two years. Judas did not heed what he heard.

❖ Second, Judas is the epitome of wasted privilege. He was given the highest place of privilege among all the Lord’s followers, but he squandered that privilege. He cashed it in for a fistful of coins.

❖ Third, Judas is the classic illustration of how the love of money is the root of all kinds of evil. (1 Tim. 6:10.)

❖ Fourth, Judas exemplifies the ugliness and danger of spiritual betrayal. Would that Judas were the only hypocrite who ever betrayed the Lord, but that is not so. There are Judases in every age.

❖ Fifth, Judas is proof of the patient, forbearing goodness and loving-kindness of Christ. “The Lord is good to all, and His tender mercies are over His works.” (Psalm 145:9.)

❖ Sixth, Judas demonstrates how the sovereign will of God cannot be thwarted by any means. His betrayal of Christ seemed at first glance like Satan’s greatest triumph ever. Yet, it was his greatest defeat.

❖ Seventh, Judas is a vivid demonstration of the deceitfulness and fruitlessness of hypocrisy. He is the broken branch of John 15:6 that does not abide in the True Vine.

~Twelve Ordinary Men, John MacArthur, 197-198

Bible Study Available
If you are interested in setting up a study we have many options available to you. Ask one of the Elders or Deacons, they will be happy to help in any way.

Today’s Morning Worship Service
- Announcements
- Song Leader
- Opening Prayer
- Lord’s Table
- Scripture Reading
- Closing Prayer

Nov 17th Morning Worship Service
- Announcements
- Song Leader
- Opening Prayer
- Lord’s Table
- Scripture Reading
- Closing Prayer

Mt Vernon Messenger
November 10, 2013

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Deacons:
Troy Kenner – Lester Turner

Spencer Guest
Eddie Redman
Education
Building & Grounds

Don Dillahunty
Fellowship

Larry Sanderson
Personal Work

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November Greeters
Before Bible Study & Worship
Keith & Ryoko Drochak
After Worship Service
Richard & Debbie Davis

Please follow the schedules and announcements. Thank you for your presence and participation.

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Prayer List

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A boy was corrected by his mother for watching shows that had content unsuitable for him. His response was, “It was just a little. It won’t hurt.” His mother made him brownies that day, but before she served them she said, “When I made these I mixed in some cow manure. I thought you ought to try a little. It won’t hurt.” His mother made him brownies that day, but before she served them she said, “When I made these I mixed in some cow manure. I thought you ought to try a little. It won’t hurt.” His mother made him brownies that day, but before she served them she said, “When I made these I mixed in some cow manure. I thought you ought to try a little. It won’t hurt.” His mother made him brownies that day, but before she served them she said, “When I made these I mixed in some cow manure. I thought you ought to try a little. It won’t hurt.” His mother made him brownies that day, but before she served them she said, “When I made these I mixed in some cow manure. I thought you ought to try a little. It won’t hurt.”

What do the Scriptures Say?

All questions below were submitted to “What Do The Scriptures Say?” via the Internet or by someone calling to request an answer to their question.

Question: Please explain, from the Scriptures, the idea that Christ existed before coming to this world as a human being.

Answer: Part 1 of 2

In numerous places Jesus is said to have come “from heaven:

John 15:47 The first man is from the earth, earthly; the second man is from heaven.

2 Cor. 8:9 For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sake He became poor, so that you through His poverty might become rich.

Phil. 2:5-7 Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men.

The Scriptures also teach that all things were created by Jesus, therefore Jesus must have existed before creation:

John 1:3 All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being.

Col. 1:16 For by Him all things were created, both in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things have been created through Him and for Him.

Heb. 1:1,2 God, after He spoke long ago to the fathers in the prophets in many portions and in many ways, in these last days has spoken to us in His Son, whom He appointed heir of all things, through whom also He made the world.

Jesus existed in Glory before He came to this earth:

John 17:5 “Now, Father, glorify Me together with Yourself, with the glory which I had with You before the world was.

This is why Jesus is called the Alpha and the Omega. (Rev. 1:17; 3:14; 21:6; 22:13). Alpha is the first letter of the Greek alphabet and a good description of Jesus as “one who comes first” is before all things and is eternal with the Father.

John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

WDS Phone Receptioists
November 17 Dieter Pleier
November 24 Larry Miller
December 1 Dieter Pleier

Light Up The Church Building

A little story that illustrates the problem of attendance goes like this:

In a certain mountain village in Europe several centuries ago, a nobleman wondered what legacy he should leave to people in his town. At last he decided to build them a church building.

No one saw the complete plans for the building until it was finished. When the people gathered, they marveled at its beauty and completeness. Then someone asked, “But where are the lamps? How will it be lighted?”

The nobleman pointed to some brackets in the walls. Then he gave to each family a candle which they were to bring with them each time they came to worship.

“Each time you are here the area where you are seated will be lighted,” the nobleman said. “Each time you are not here, that area will be dark. This is to remind you that whenever you fail to come to church, some part of God’s house will be dark.”