

Life Is Empty Without a Mission

Ecclesiastes 1-2

Prop: Life will only provide satisfaction if we have a mission.

Inter: Where are you looking to find satisfaction?

Trans: In the first two chapters of Ecclesiastes, Solomon gives us **seven options** to choose from.

- I. Living entirely for myself (1:1-3).
- II. Living to build my legacy (1:4-11).
- III. Living in search of utopia (1:12-18).
- IV. Living to indulge my flesh (2:1-11).
- V. Living for the life of the mind (2:12-17).
- VI. Living for work (2:18-23).
- VII. Living for God alone (2:24-26).



The Lord's Day

May 4, 2025

Welcome & Announcements	Pastor Ben Gunderson
Call to Worship & Prayer	Pastor Ben Gunderson
Congregational Singing	
<i>Wonderful Grace of Jesus</i>	#150
Scripture Reading	Seth Elliott
<i>Ecclesiastes 1:1-11</i>	p. 553
Congregational Singing	
<i>O, The Deep, Deep Love of Jesus</i>	#154
<i>People of the Way</i>	
Message	Dr. Curt Lamansky
Congregational Singing	
<i>The Power of the Cross</i>	#272
The Lord's Table	
<i>Doxology</i>	#440
Closing	Pastor Ben Gunderson

Announcements

Metro Women's Center

The World's Largest Diaper Drive begins in May. Sizes NB-3 are the most needed. You may bring diapers to church anytime, or purchase them on Amazon's "Metro Womens Center" baby registry and they will be shipped directly.

Membership Class

A membership class will be held at the church on Saturday, May 17 from 9a-12p. Please speak to a pastor if you would like to attend.

Vacation Bible School

Children age 3 – grade 6 are welcome to join us for Vacation Bible School, June 9-12, 9a-12p. You can register on our website chisagolakesbaptist.org. Many adult and teen volunteers are needed for this large ministry event. Please contact Tara Reemtsma if you would like to help.

Graduation Open Houses

Check the bulletin board for details regarding open houses for this year's graduating seniors.

**Hearing assist available in the sound booth*



Tuesday	Flower Fundraiser Pickup, 6-8p
Sunday, May 18	Graduation, 3p

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Last Week

Attendance	Morning: 258	Evening: 68
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Tithes and Offering

Giving Received Last Week	\$
Giving Needed Each Week	\$
Year-to-Date Over Budget	\$

*Give thru the black box at the back of the auditorium or at chisagolakesbaptist.com/give

This Week

Nursery (AM)	Tara & Shaine Reemtsma, Tracey Fashingbauer, Liz Markham
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Jr. Church	Ruth Anderson, Gwen Holm Nick Maart, Alex Morgan
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Tonight	Growth Groups – Final Sunday Evening of the Spring
Tuesday	Ladies' Bible Study, 10:15p Ladies' Monthly Book Study, 7p

Wednesday	Youth Group, 6:30p Adventure Club, 6:45p Adult Foundations Study, 7p
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Upcoming

May 11	Dr. Curt Lamansky
May 10	Annual Amazing Grace Walk – Life Is Beautiful
May 17	Men on Mission, 7:30a Membership Class, 9a-12p
Jun 8	Promotion Sunday - Baptism & Membership Service
Jun 9-12	Vacation Bible School, 9a-12p