

FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS

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Introduction: Finding Your Way Out of Civilized Christianity

"For the Kingdom of God is not a matter of talk but of power." 1 Corinthians 4:20

The measurement of a church in the margins will be the supernatural power in her, not her programs. ~Pastor Steve DeNeff

Challenge

Embrace a rawness of faith where you just don't know any difference than to take Jesus at His word & expect Him to do what He says He will do.

Big Concept Matthew 11:1-15

Civilized Christianity is all about comfort, convenience & safety. Following after Jesus is not comfortable, convenient or safe.

THE BIG 3

THREE THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

SAVE THE DATE

Laugh Your Way to a Better Marriage, LIVE with Mark Gungor will be at GracePoint on Friday, September 29 (7-10 p.m.) & Saturday, September 30 (9 a.m. - noon). It is designed with an element of humor that appeals to couples. It will be a weekend to bring positive hope to your marriage, better understand each other's needs & rekindle romance in your marriage. Tickets will be on sale in the foyer starting in September.

FALL SERMON SERIES & GROWTH GROUPS

Sunday, September 10

Our fall emphasis this year is based off a series by Steve DeNeff titled "Remnant". A constant theme of the Bible is that God doesn't need large numbers of people to accomplish His will. He desires faithful followers who trust in Him. God often moves powerfully from the margins of culture. May the Lord move in our midst like He did through Bible ancients like Gideon, David, Daniel, Esther and so many more.

Growth Groups: Sunday, September 10 (various times & locations - take a look at today's insert to see how you can get involved)

MINISTRY KICK-OFF DATES

Oasis (college & young adults): Tonight at 8 p.m. in the Worship Center; Kick-Off Event on Sunday, August 27 at 6 p.m.

GP Student Ministry (grades 6-12): Wednesday, September 6 in the Activity Center

KidsPoint: Sunday, September 10 - Glow Sunday (wear bright colors!); Wednesday, September 13 - 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.



*Please place your bulletin shell in the black recycle bins; NO CUPS OR TRASH!