



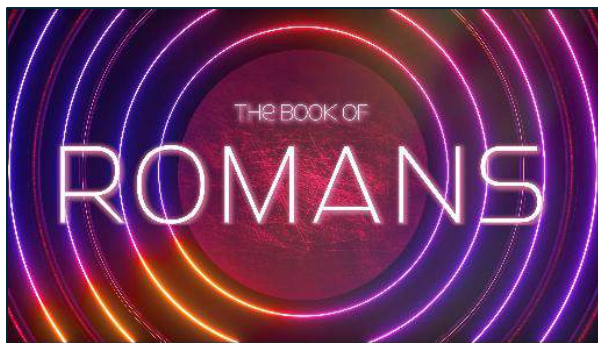
September 6, 2026



True Power

Scripture

- ¹³ Now I don't want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that I often planned to come to you (but was prevented until now) in order that I might have a fruitful ministry among you, just as I have had among the rest of the Gentiles.
- ¹⁴ I am obligated both to Greeks and barbarians, both to the wise and the foolish.
- ¹⁵ So I am eager to preach the gospel to you also who are in Rome.
- ¹⁶ For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, first to the Jew, and also to the Greek.
- ¹⁷ For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith, just as it is written: The righteous will live by faith.
- ¹⁸ For God's wrath is revealed from heaven against all godlessness and unrighteousness of people who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth,
- ¹⁹ since what can be known^[m] about God is evident among them, because God has shown it to them.
- ²⁰ For his invisible attributes, that is, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen since the creation of the world, being understood through what he has made. As a result, people are without excuse.
- ²¹ For though they knew God, they did not glorify him as God or show gratitude. Instead, their thinking became worthless, and their senseless hearts were darkened.
- ²² Claiming to be wise, they became fools
- ²³ and exchanged the glory of the immortal God for images resembling mortal man, birds, four-footed animals, and reptiles.
- ²⁴ Therefore God delivered them over in the desires of their hearts to sexual impurity, so that their bodies were degraded among themselves.
- ²⁵ They exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served what has been created instead of the Creator, who is praised forever. Amen.



Romans 1:13-25 CSB

Additional Resources

Explore the Bible: Joshua; Judges; Ruth, Summer 2026; Biblegateway.com; preceptaustin.org; Biblehub.com/commentaries; The New American Commentary, Romans, Robert H. Mounce

Connect Church Notes



Date

Speaker

Key Verses

Key Points

Questions / Reflections



God's Word-Devoted to Him

Step of Faith

*The righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith;
as it is written. "But the righteous man shall live by faith".*

Romans 1:17

Take the step of faith. Whatever it is that God has shown you to do, stop allowing fear and indecision to hinder you. Just go forward, trusting that He knows what He is doing even if you're not sure. This does not rely on your skill, knowledge, or capability—so don't use those as excuses anymore. The Lord has directed you in this manner so you can see how abundantly sufficient He is for everything in life.

This is the way by which you experience God more and advance in the Christian life. Your conduct, behavior, and lifestyle—every area of your personhood—should reveal a continuously unfolding, progressing, increasing expression of trust in Jesus. Can others look at you and recognize that you are growing in your likeness to Christ and faith in Him?

You've lived your life trusting your limited senses, but now it is time to rely fully on God's unlimited wisdom, strength, knowledge, and love. So prepare yourself by reading Scripture, praying, and remembering how He has helped you in the past. Then do what you know He desires of you. He will do whatever is necessary to lead you to triumph as you obey Him.

Trusting God with Today – Charles F. Stanley



*God never said that the journey would be easy,
but He did say that the arrival would be worthwhile.*

Max Lucado

DAILY BIBLE STUDY

SCRIPTURE - Read the passage of the day

OBSERVATION - Write the point of the passage

APPLICATION - Ask yourself how this Scripture applies to your life

PRAYER - Ask God to help you use this Scripture

Coming Judgement

Main Passage for September 13 – Romans 2:1-13 CSB

Monday - Romans 2:1-4

Wednesday - Romans 2:7

Friday - Romans 2:10-11

Tuesday - Romans 2:5-6

Thursday - Romans 2:8-9

Saturday - Romans 2:12-13

Memory Verse: Romans 2:11

For there is no favoritism with God

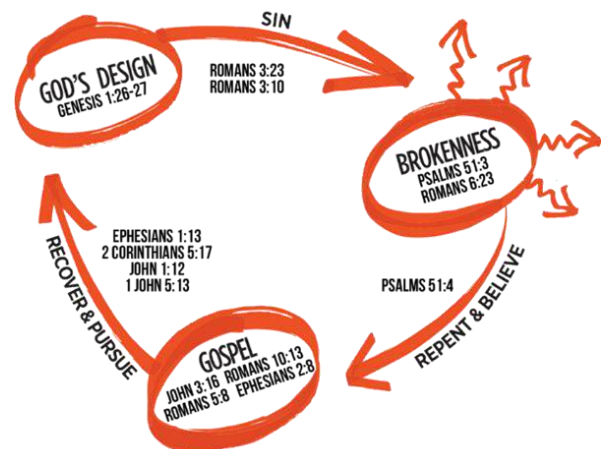
Mission Statement

Glorifying God by connecting people to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ

Connect Church Prayer Request

TRUE PRAYER IS A WAY OF LIFE,
NOT JUST FOR USE IN CASES OF
EMERGENCY. MAKE IT A HABIT,
AND WHEN THE NEED ARISES
YOU WILL BE IN PRACTICE

BILLY GRAHAM





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Attendance & Offering

Attendance - 847

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The Tyranny of Things

My wife and I lived in our house for twenty-three years. For the first nine years we had ugly, orange carpet. We never cared what happened to it. The day we finally installed a new carpet, someone lit a candle. The match head fell off and burned a hole in the carpet.

The day before we wouldn't have cared. Now we were upset. Were we better off with our nice new possession?

Every item we buy is one more thing to think about, talk about, clean, repair, rearrange, fret over, and replace when it goes bad.

Let's say I get a television for free. Now what? I hook up the antenna or subscribe to a cable service. I buy a new VCR or DVD player. I rent movies. I get surround-sound speakers. I buy a recliner so I can watch my programs in comfort. This all costs money. But it also takes large amounts of time, energy, and attention.

The time I devote to my TV and its accessories means less time for communicating with my family, reading the Word, praying, opening our home, or ministering to the needy.

So what's the true cost of my "free" television?

Acquiring a possession may push me into redefining my priorities. If I buy a boat, I'll want to justify my purchase by using the boat, which may mean frequent weekends away from my family or church, making me unavailable to attend my daughter's basketball game or teach a Sunday school class or work in the nursery.

The problem isn't the boat or the television. The problem is me. It's a law of life, the tyranny of things.

To be continued from...
The Treasure Principle

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Parents of Young Children - 9:00 AM - Marlon Francis:
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Students - 9:00 AM - Tristan Nelson: tristan@cc.today

Young Adults - 9:00 AM - Tristan Nelson: tristan@cc.today

Adults - 9:00 AM - Sam Jay: jays717@bellsouth.net

Adults - 10:30 AM - Clayton Hutcheson: claybmw@bellsouth.net

Adults - 4:00 PM (online)

Dr. Janet Plummer: askadminex@gmail.com

Men - 6:00 PM - Mike Herod: mike.a.herod@gmail.com

MONDAY

Men - 7:00 PM - Edgar Gregory: egregoriac@gmail.com

TUESDAY

Ladies - 9:30 AM - Tryna Groat: atgroat619@hotmail.com

Men - 7:00 PM - Chip Hausman: jwmhausman@gmail.com
and Jim Bass: jbass1961@gmail.com

CONNECTION GROUPS

WEDNESDAY

MomCo - 9:00 AM - Allie Royal: momco.connect@gmail.com

Students - 6:30 PM - Tristan Nelson: tristan@cc.today

Adults - 7:00 PM - Dale Faircloth: dale@cc.today

Adults - 7:00 PM - Victor Manoharan:

woodhavenanimalclinic@gmail.com

Worship Team - 7:00 PM - Duval Madrigal:

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Ladies - 7:00 PM - J. Virginia Murray: jvirginiam@gmail.com

Adults - 7:00 PM - Sam Burton: skburton@bellsouth.net

Ladies - 7:00 PM - Molly Maharaj: merrymolly@rocketmail.com

Adults - 7:00 PM - Ed Samour: ed@ecengineers.com

THURSDAY

Adults - 7:00 PM - Leslie Dakers: ladakes@hotmail.com

SATURDAY

Men - 9:00 AM - Grantley Coulthrust:

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and Harlan Miller: hmiller@hgpmcorp.com

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*Join us for
Refreshments
on the Patio
Today*



*Stay and Visit
Following
the Service!*

Explore the Bible - Fall Quarter
September 6th

Pop Stroke
September 6th

Awana – Silly Socks Night
September 9th

Stepping Up – Bible Study
September 9th

The Soup Kitchen
September 12th, 19th, 26th



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Romans

Personal Study Guide (CSB)

Large Print – Fall 2026

Explore the Bible Fall 2026

**Are You Ready for Sunday's Message?
Don't Miss Out - Be Prepared**



**ETB Guides are Available
In the Resource Center**



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PopStroke Outing Young Adults

September 6th - 6:00 PM
2429 Perimeter Rd
West Palm Beach



Cost - \$30.00 (Plus Money for Food)
For more info. - tristan.nelson@cc.today

Silly Socks Night

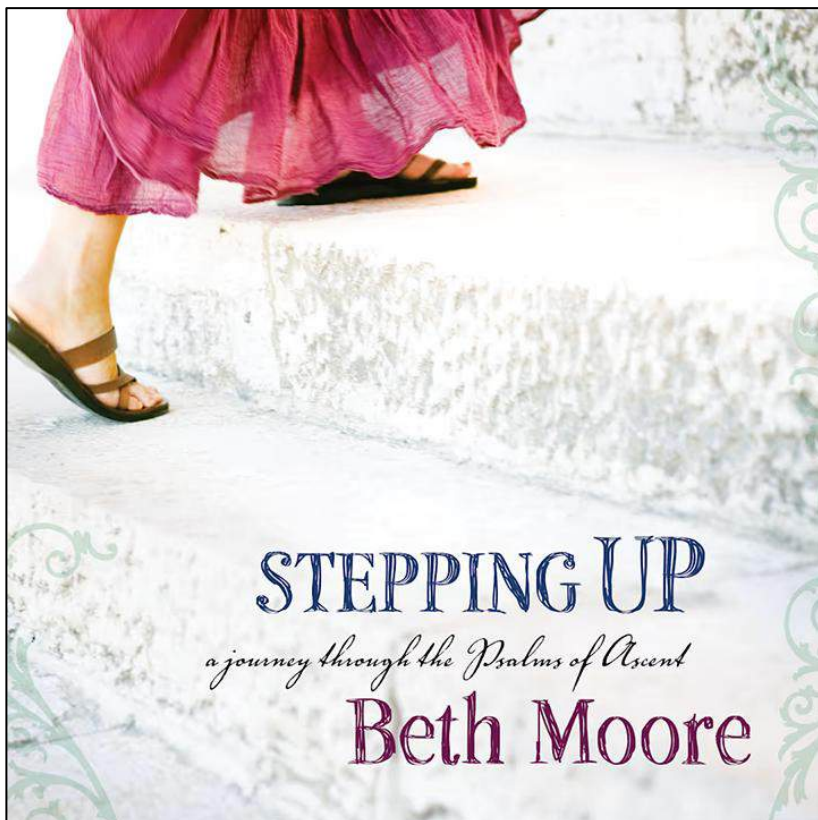
September 9th



**Wear your craziest,
brightest, or funniest socks
and show them off all night long!**



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Women's Bible Study

September 9th - 7:00 PM

Coffee Shop



For more information:

Molly Maharaj:

merrymolly@rocketmail.com

Workbooks Available for Purchase
in the Resource Center



Serving at The Soup Kitchen

Women's Ministry

September 5th - 26th

7:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

8655 Boynton Beach Blvd.

Boynton Beach, FL



Online Registration: August 2nd - 30th / cc.today

Select a September Saturday that fits your schedule

Must be 17 and older to participate

For more info. roquanda.guy@cc.today

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LET'S EAT A MEAL

Leader Appreciation Luncheon Connect Kids

September 20th - 12:00 PM

Worship Center



Registration: cc.today

For more info. - stacy.gatlin@cc.today

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Come & Serve

Come & Lead

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Marlon Francis / Elder

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