

Athens Christian Church
8:00, 9:15 & 10:30 AM
Worship Services

December 28, 2025

“Blessed is the one whom
God corrects; so do not
despise the discipline of
the Almighty.”

Job 5:17



Welcome to Athens Christian Church

If this is your first visit, we're so glad you're here. To help us stay connected, please fill out a visitor card located at the back of the chair in front of you and drop it in the offering box. If you'd like to receive our monthly church newsletter by email, be sure to include your email address on the card.

We're thrilled you've joined us for worship today! During the service, the Lord's Supper is available to all believers. Please feel free to make yourself at home. On your way out, don't forget to stop by the foyer to pick up a complimentary Bible. We look forward to seeing you again next week!

At ACC, we strive to be a loving family of Christ-followers, bringing light into a dark world. Please call on us when we can help:

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8:00 am Traditional Service

Call to Worship: Psalm 103:1-5

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty #337 (v. 1-4)

Faith is the Victory #71 (v. 1-4)

Announcements Video

Prayer Requests & Praises: Ken Gennicks/Morgan Wells

O God, Our Help in Ages Past #370 (v. 1-4)

Christmas Candle Lighting: Adam & Ivy Havrilka family

Acts of Worship: Elynor Nance

Sermon: Cory Craig, Jr.

“People of the Bible: - Moses

‘Consequences Didn’t Cancel The Calling’”

(Numbers 20:1-13)

Invitation Hymn:

The Savior is Waiting #435 (v. 1 & 2)

Communion & Offering Hymn:

Break Thou the Bread of Life #30 (v. 1 & 2)

Communion & Offering Meditation: Shane Baker

Quietly move to Communion & Offering
tables before exiting.

9:15 & 10:30 am Contemporary Service

Welcome

I've Witnessed It

Heart of Worship

Gratitude

Announcements Video

Prayer Requests & Praises: Ken Gennicks/Morgan Wells

Christmas Candle Lighting:

9:15: Jay & Kristy Behrends family

10:30: Jarrod & Sarah Rempel family

Acts of Worship: Ella Armitage & Isabella Link

Sermon: Cory Craig, Jr.

“People of the Bible: - Moses

‘Consequences Didn’t Cancel The Calling’”

(Numbers 20:1-13)

Invitation Hymn: *Make Room*

Goodness of God

Communion & Offering Meditation: Shane Baker

Quietly move to Communion & Offering
tables before exiting.

AM Sermon Notes

“People of the Bible - Moses

‘Consequences Didn’t Cancel The Calling’”

(Numbers 20:1-13)

INTRODUCTION

Our Bible studies throughout 2025 focus on “People of the Bible,” biographical sketches and timeless lessons from their lives. Every Sunday we study and apply God’s Word. This week we will be looking at Numbers 20:1-13, “*Consequences Didn’t Cancel The Calling.*”

Bible Study

I. Moses’ _____

II. Moses’ _____

III. Moses’ _____

Application

1. Self-control through _____

2. Endurance through _____

3. Love through _____

CONCLUSION

Moses led and endured even when the reward was no longer his to enjoy. In the same way Christ died for the world, knowing not everyone would be saved. I pray you tell people the good news, even when they may never find the Lord as a result of you sharing it.



Before you leave today, please be sure to stop by the lobby and sign the greeting cards for friends and family of ACC.

Prayer Requests

At Memorial: Ruth Novy, David “Mike” Whitehurst, Linda Cramer

At St. Louis hospital: Bob Lott (ICU)

Tests: Bruce Kennett, Dave/Sandy Magee, Al Keller, Dwayne Rudolph, Rhonda Leinberger, Laurie Ingram’s brother, Barb Wagner, Albert McCarthy, Pat McNeal’s friend, Linda Hoffman’s son, Alice Lasswell’s brother, Tammy Garner, Brandon Keppler’s uncle, Lorrie Sleight’s mom/dad/sister, Judy Bryant, Bree Chandler, Pat Halberstadt, Ericka McCoy’s dad/family, Mary Magee (7th), Donnie Fritz, Marla Justice’s sister-in-law, Doug/Lisa Mueller’s son-in-law, Linda Caldwell, Amelia Barnes (Jerry Judd’s friends), Sue Bishop’s sister, Barb Snow, Steve Snow (shoulder/Feb. 20), Kay Sill’s sister, Trey Davis (Alan/Marla Justice’s friend/cancer)

At home: Terry Wunderle, Nancy Nale’s mom, Morgan Setzer, Deb Claypool’s friend, Tom Novy, Wanda Stott, Jill Cleer (Arcadia), Kevin/Carrie Lee/Colton Ingham, Jack/Betty Ethell’s daughter, Andrew Combs, Sierra Lowers’ mom, Kenny Bounds (hospice), Jo Ellen Croft’s mom, Dawn Medley, Marlene Wegner, Kevin Kennett, Bob Meador (after heart bypass), Tom Hale (Anthony’s dad), Scott McNeal

Touched by death: Vickie Flynn family (Carol Basso’s friend), Kenny Crist family (Mary Roszhart’s relative)

Transitions: Wayne/Barb Schafer’s daughter (Wisconsin), Ann Vaughn (Bill Peterman’s m-in-law/Trustwell), Sally Vespa’s parents (to Carriage Crossing), Sharon Reichling, Roberta Clark/Dick & Elaine Bachman/Steve Gutierrez/Charles “Butch” Mester/Al Betz/Joann Kirchgessner/Rosalie Ingram (Villa), Mary Prior/Erna Weatherby/Bob Moore (Countryside), Carolyn Cole (Concordia), Marge Ray/Vivian Rankin (Vonderlieth), Chuck VanHuss (Jacksonville), Jerry Brown (Susan VanNattan’s relative), Cory Craig, Jr./Josh Harris/Nicholas McDaniel (to Ozark Christian College)

25 to CIY Superstart (gr. 4-6): Jan. 30-31/Bloomington

21 to Young Adult ‘Passion Conf’: Dec. 31/TX

Vacation Bible School: June 8-12, 6-8:00 p.m./all ages

112 to Christ In Youth Conf.: July 6-10/Lincoln, NE

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Capital Stewardship Campaign: Let Your Light Shine (2023-2025)

Capital Stewardship Campaign: EXCEL (2026-2028)

Our missionaries/military/terrorism/nation

Each other/unspoken needs

