

**Sunday June 9, 2019**

**SUNDAY**

9:30 a.m. Youth.....Room 302  
10:30 a.m. Worship.....VCS Gymnasium  
6:00 p.m. Prayer Time.....VBC office/Shamrock House

**THURSDAY**

6:30 p.m. Worship Team practice.....SH  
7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study.....Josh Wittman's

**HOME GROUPS** throughout the week.....see website

**CHILDREN**

**Bible Kids Time** on Sunday mornings is a special learning time for ages 4 through 5th grade during the message.



**YOUTH**

**Sunday morning Bible classes** for 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade 9:30 in Room 302 @ Venice Christian School.

**WOMEN**

**Gals Afternoon Link:** Table games and girl talk Thursdays, 2:00 p.m. at Elaine Malone's home 331 Sea Grape Road.

Please join Kit Friday, **June 14th at 11:30** in SH for planning for ladies activities.

**ADULT BIBLE CLASS**

Watch for info on new class starting 9/8. Classroom 301 will be used for the summer months for coffee and donut fellowship time.

**MEN**

**Bible Study:** Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Josh Wittman (verse-by-verse study in Job).

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE**

Our website is updated frequently each week. Find everything you need to know about VBC and details on all VBC ministries, events, home groups and staff contact information.

**CONNECTION CARDS**

**Thank you** for joining us as we worship God together this morning.

If this is your first visit, please take a moment and complete a connection card. We want to get to know you better and look forward to talking with you personally.

The same card may also be used to submit a prayer request .

Completed cards may be placed in the offering as it comes by or left in the box on the table as you leave.



**Mark Your Calendar**

**SUNDAY JULY 28TH 5:00 PM**

**JOIN US**

**FOR A CELEBRATION**

**FOR PASTOR SCOTT & KIT**



**AT THE HOME OF JERRY & KATHY SMITH  
5828 DENISON DR. VENICE**

*Details to follow later*

**June 2nd: Attendance 67 /Giving \$2,873**

See attached connection card: please fill out and drop in the offering plate with any new/updated information or prayer requests or contact Sheila via email at [Sheila@vbcfl.com](mailto:Sheila@vbcfl.com)

## **“The Blessing of Prayer”**

**Pastor Scott Hill**

**2 Chron. 6-7**

**Big Idea:** Sincere prayer brings the blessing of God.

**Read:** 6:12-14, 18-19, 32-33, 40-42, 7:1-3, 11-14, 19-20

**Standing on His promises (6:1-11)**

God speaks and performs (4)

God chooses and makes it happen (5-6, John 15:16)

We desire and pray. God Does what’s best (7-10, Matt. 7:11)

**Solomon’s prayer (6:12-42)**

He starts with worship (12-14)

Prayers of repentance and struggles (22-39)

Sin against someone (22-23, James 5:12)

Sin that brings defeat (24-25, Col. 2:8)

Calamities that cause us to fear God (28-30, Isa. 57:1)

Hear the foreigner’s prayer (32-33, Rev. 5:9-10)

Sin against God (38-39, 2Tim. 2:26)

**Temple Dedication (7:1-22)**

Response to the glory of God (7:1-3, 1Chron. 21:26, 2Chron. 3:1)

Israel unified by prayer and worship (7:8-10)

The great promise of prayer (7:14, 2Cor. 6:16)

The great warning for sin (7:19-20)

Why do we have struggles in life to pray for?

For our sin (John 5:14)

To show God’s work (John 9:2-3)

Our fallen world (John 16:33)

We ignore danger (Prov. 27:12)

We honor Jesus (Acts 5:41)

Satan’s testing (Rev. 2:10)

To build character (Rom. 5:3-4)

Produce fruit in our lives (Heb. 12:10-11)

The struggles of life and prayer will make us normal, i.e. “holy”

**Personal Application:** I believe in prayer so much I will do it privately and corporately!

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