



**SUNDAY**

9:30 a.m. Youth Sunday School (MS). Shamrock House  
11:00 a.m. Worship .....Venice Community Church

**TUESDAY** .....office closed

**DECEMBER 30, 2018**

**THURSDAY**

3:30 p.m. Good News Club.....Taylor Ranch School

6:30 p.m. Worship Team practice.....VCC

7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study.....Josh Wittman's

**CHILDREN**

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

Material is available at Kid's Korner for those who wish to stay with their parents during the message.

**Nursery ministry** is available for infant through age 3, 11:00-12:15.

**Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. Pioneer Clubs** in Shamrock House. See Kathy Smith for info.

**Thursdays Good News Club at 3:30** at Taylor Ranch Schools. See Jennifer Pry for info.

**Saturday/Sunday GNC Conference** Sarasota.

**YOUTH**

**9:30 am Bible classes** for 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade meet in Shamrock House.

**WOMEN**

January 9th at 10.30—Ladies Bible Study for 12 weeks God Of Creation (Jen Wilkin) at Shamrock House led by Ellen Stuckey. Sign up in Fellowship Hall.

**MEN**

Bible Study Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. at Josh Wittman's. It is a verse-by-verse study in Job.

**2019**

**Available in the Fellowship Hall:**

- LABELS for your envelopes for your 2019 tithes and offering.
- READ THRU THE BIBLE guides.

Dec. 23: Attendance 97/Giving \$3,738

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

January

4th or 5th—Good News Club Conference Sarasota.

9th 10.30—Ladies Bible Study for 12 weeks God Of Creation (Jen Wilkin) at SH led by Ellen Stuckey.

18-19th—Women's Conference The Word Alive in Ft. Lauderdale.

February

9th 10:00—Brunch Bunch at LOCATION TO BE DETERMINED & then every second Saturday of the month-see Kathy Mohnkern.

**ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING**

Be sure to join us on Sunday, January 20th at 5:00 pm at VCC for a POTLUCK SUPPER

followed by VBC annual business meeting. Please make plans to attend - we will be voting on the 2019 budget.



March

5th-7th Pioneers Church Partner Forum in Orlando see Sue Mattson.

April

13<sup>th</sup> – Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Seminar – Sarasota.

19th- Good Friday.

21<sup>st</sup> - Easter Sunday.

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE**

for details on all ministries, home groups as well as staff contact information.

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

# Building a New House for 2019

Pastor Scott Hill

1 Peter 2:1-10

**Big Idea:** God is the builder, we offer the material of faith and living for His purposes!

## **New life begins (1Pe. 2:2-3)**

Taste and see (Ps. 34:6-8)

The new vision of new life (1Peter 2:7)

## **God assumes we will come to Him (4)**

He purifies us by His truth (1:22,)

He makes us into His image (2Cor. 3:18)

## **God assumes responsibility for the construction (5)**

God will build us (Eph. 2:20-22)

God will make us spiritual (1Cor. 3:1)

God will make us into God's house (1Pe. 2:9-10)

## **God makes us priests of a new covenant (9)**

Israel failed the original covenant (Exo. 19:5-6)

The new covenant (Gal. 3:21-22)

A covenant based on mercy (Rom. 12:1)

Our priestly service (Rom. 15:16)

**Personal Application:** Where does some "reconstruction" need to happen in your life? Are you willing to entrust God with the "resources" you do have and let Him build something *new*?

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