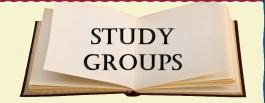


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## THIS WEEK TUESDAY

NO Pastor's Bible Study OR

Worship Team Practice
THIS WEEK
NO Community Group
for the remainder of this year
Reconvenes in Jan. 2019

WEDNESDAY

6:30 Youth Group 1276 44th Avenue Vero Beach

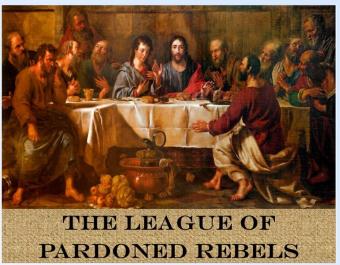
THIS WILL BE THE LAST WEDNESDAY THAT THE YOUTH GROUP WILL MEET THIS YEAR. Reconvenes in January 2019



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## A Note from Pastor Derrick



## PART X: WHY DIDN'T YOU SING "SILENT NIGHT" TO THE WORLD, JESUS

Once upon a time, there was a Judas who walked with Jesus who wasn't evil. As a matter of fact, in order to separate him from the one who was, John simply calls him Judas Not Iscariot. Out of the 3,779 verses in the New Testament Gospels, this mysterious Judas plays an active role in exactly one of them. It's in the form of a question:

Then Judas (not Judas Iscariot) said, "But, Lord, why do you intend to show yourself to us and not to the world?" (Jn 14:22) Jesus answered his question in 51 verses; the longest response to any question in the whole Bible. That makes him important, don't you think? In light of the holiday season, we're asking the same question in a different way:

"Why didn't you sing "Silent Night" to the world, Jesus?"
His answer will encourage you, I'll assure you. Here's a hint:
Holy Spirit.

Jesus, Jesus, sweetest name I know.







GENESIS CHURCH WOMEN'S MINISTRY
PLEASE JOIN US ON JANUARY 18TH & 19TH
CONTACT GLORIA CUTTING FOR TICKET & HOTEL DETAILS
AT 772-633-0209 OR glorybqt@yahoo.com

Ladies, invite a friend and join us for an immersive, hands-on journey into God's Word with special guest Lysa Terkeurst. At this two-day event, we'll experience amazing worship led by Ellie Holcomb as we learn to develop a genuine passion to study and practically apply Scripture, connect more deeply to God by reading His Word with more understanding, and sense the Lord speaking personally to us.









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ladies Christmas luncheon

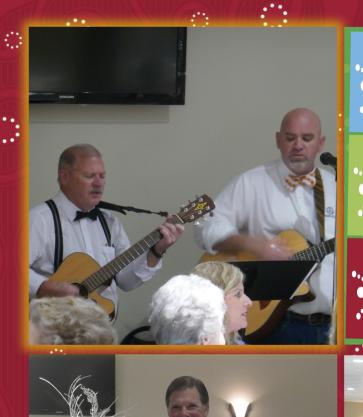




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114 ladies were touched by the testimonies

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## A REMINDER FROM THE TREASURER If you haven't gotten your OFFERING ENVELOPES PLEASE REMEMBER TO PICK THEM UP NEXT SUNDAY

One More Thing...

I will give you the treasures of darkness (Isaiah 45:3).

In the famous lace shops of Brussels, there are certain rooms devoted to the spinning of the finest and most delicate patterns. These rooms are altogether darkened, save for a light from one very small window, which falls directly upon the pattern. There is only one spinner in the room, and he sits where the narrow stream of light falls upon the threads of his weaving. "Thus," we are told by the guide, "do we secure our choicest products. Lace is always more delicately and beautifully woven when the worker himself is in the dark and only his pattern is in the light."

May it not be the same with us in our weaving? Sometimes it is very dark. We cannot understand what we are doing. We do not see the web we are weaving. We are not able to discover any beauty, any possible good in our experience. Yet if we are faithful and fail not and faint not, we shall some day know that the most exquisite work of all our life was done in those days when it was so dark.

If you are in the deep shadows because of some strange, mysterious providence, do not be afraid. Simply go on in faith and love, never doubting. God is watching, and He will bring good and beauty out of all your pain and tears.

--J. R. Miller