

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

# THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

# The Helpful Honeyguide

### Job 35:10-11

"But none saith, Where [is] God my maker, who giveth songs in the night; who teacheth us more than the beasts of the earth, and maketh us wiser than the fowls of heaven?"



It has long been known that an African bird known as the honeyguide leads badgers to bees' nests, where the badger tears the nest apart to eat the honey. The badger always leaves more than enough for the honeyguide.

Now it has been learned that the honeyguide has a similar relationship with the Boran people of Kenya. When the bird has found a bees' nest, it will alert the Boran, bidding them to follow it to the honey site. On the other hand, if the Boran want to know where honey is, they know how to whistle and call for a honeyguide.

The honeyguide also calls to the people so that they know which way to go. When the Boran reach the honey, they always make sure that they leave some for the honeyguide. Researchers also reported that they saw honeyguides scouting out bees' nests at night so that they had good sites to lead the Boran to the next day.

While the honeyguide does get its reward of honey in return for its help, the intelligence of the honeyguide in establishing these relationships with human beings is impressive. But while the honeyguide can help teach us that the creation is the work of an intelligent Creator, it cannot teach us how to have a relationship with Him. For that we must go to the Bible.

### Notes

"Honey Hunters Follow Bird to Reach Bees." Science News, vol. 135, p. 172. Photo: Lesser honeyguide in Mapungubwe.. Courtesy of Derek Keats, Licensed under the Creative Commons Attribution 3.0 Unported license.

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# Memorial Baptist Church



June 26, 2022

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### This Week at Memorial

Sunday, June 26,2022

8:00am - Worship

9:30am - Discipleship Groups

10:40am - Worship

6:00PM - Family Fellowship/Trivia

Night/Pizza Provided

6/26 - 7/1 - Youth Camp

### A Look Ahead

7/6 - VBS Volunteer Meeting

7/9 - Smith Picnic - games 3pm, meal 5pm

7/11 - 15 - Association Boys' Camp

7/18 - 22 - Association Girls' Camp

7/24 - Ghana Run

7/25 - 29 - VBS 8:30am - 11:30am

# Week of June 26, 2022 Joy Junction

9:30am Sunday School - Linda W.

10:40am Svc. - Ben & Kim S.

Wed. - June 29 - No Nursery Service

Junior Church

Robin G. - Bekah H.

Wed. June 29 - Kids' Connection

Megan B. - Ryan G.

Usher Ministry

8:00am - Joe G., Gary S.

Sunday School - Joe G.

10:40am - Chris S., Lester O.

Wed. - June 29 - Dave M., Juanita H.

# Boys' and Girls' Camp Donations/Help

Arizona Care Center Transportation

**Donations** of heavy paper plates, or Styrofoam cups (10 or 12oz. ONLY), paper towels, toilet paper, etc., would be helpful for the Boys' and Girls' camps. Please bring donations to the church office no later than July 5 before 2:00pm.

It is a joy to have our friends from the Arizona Care Center join us for

worship each Sunday. We are in need of more drivers to help pick them up

and drop them off each Sunday. Please contact the church office if you are

Memorial Baptist is scheduled to send three people to help serve dinner at the Girls' camp on Thursday, July 21 from 4:30pm - 8:00pm. No prep work is involved, just serving. Please contact the church office if you can assist.

# Ghana Run

Needing volunteers for race and ice cream floats afterwards. Anyone interested can contact Dena Kruse at 573-619-7759

for Sunset Run.

You can register for the run at mission318.com/run or search Facebook

### **VITAL SIGNS**

June 19, 2022

80
181
223
26
31

# Weekly Budget

Needed weekly	\$ 7.638.09
Received	\$ 6,351.56
Over (Under)	\$ (1,286.53)
Y-T-D Over (Under)	\$ (19,850.17)
Missions/FPG	\$ 5.00
B.T.I.F.	\$ 25.00

# Week of July 3, 2022

Joy Junction

9:30am Sunday School - Christine G. 10:40am Svc. - Chris S., Laura S.

Wed. - July 6 - No Nursery Service

Junior Church

Brenda K. - Rachel S.

Wed. July 6 - Kids' Connection

Megan B. - Ryan G.

Usher Ministry

8:00am - Dave G., Kevin M.

Sunday School - Dave G.

10:40am - Ed S., Tim R., Sue R.

Wed. - July 6 - Steve G, Pat M.

# **VBS** Volunteer Meeting

There will be a meeting July 6 at 6:00pm for anyone volunteering for VBS. Volunteers are still needed. If you have questions, please contact Amy Johnson at 573-237-2699 or amylin.johnson@amail.com.

# VBS Staffing Needs and Registration

Photographer: We have a youth that would like to help and would like an adult to work with that person and help coordinate things. They would need to gather supplies and arrange kids to take pictures, then upload for the video

Greeter on Day 1: We need someone to help get kids from registration to crews on the gym floor between 8:00am and 9:00am.

Pharaohs: We may need one more Pharoah.

able to help out with this ministry.

Security: We may need someone to act as security Tuesday through Friday, as we do not have confirmation of assistance for those days

Crew Leaders: We need one or two additional adult crew leaders.

VBS is almost here. Early registration is a great help. You can get a registration form from the lobby or by scanning the QR code below. Please return registration forms to the church office.

