



Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

A Flood of Flood Legends



"Whereby the world that then was, being overflowed with water, perished." - 2 Peter 3:6

Today it is considered scholarly to reject the Bible's account of a worldwide flood. Some try to compromise by saying that the flood recorded in the Bible was only

a local event. The problem with these scholarly claims is that there were too many witnesses who disagree with them.

We can test these scholars' claims. If the Bible's account of a worldwide flood is true, it was witnessed by every person on earth. The story of this event would have been passed down to their descendants and spread across the whole face of the earth.

Researchers have cataloged some 270 stories of an ancient destructive flood in various cultures around the world. A large majority of these stories have been shown to predate any Christian influence. As one would expect, details differ after such a long time. What's remarkable, though, is that where the details of these stories agree with the Bible, they also tend to agree with each other. For example, the ancient Greek flood hero was told to build and stock an ark because the god Zeus wished to destroy humanity. The Aztec story of a universal flood says it took place 1,716 years after the creation of the world – almost the same as the Bible's date! The Babylonian flood story shares seven major details with the Bible's account. Similar stories are found around the world, including Australia, India, Scandinavia and China.

The universality of the flood stories and their similarity to the Bible cannot be explained unless they are based on an event that actually took place.

REF.: Roth, Ariel A. Flood stories—can they be ignored? Origins, v. 17, n. 2, p. 51. Image by dlsd cgl from Pixabay.

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Memorial Baptist Church



November 17, 2024



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This Week at Memorial

Sunday, November 17, 2024

8:45am - Discipleship Classes

10:00am - Worship

Look Ahead

12/1 - NO Breakfast

12/1 - 7 Wk. of prayer for Int'l Miss.
(Lottie Moon)

12/4 - Business Meeting 6pm

12/7 - Youth Concert 5pm - 7pm

12/15 - Holiday Luncheon &
Christmas Program

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If you are visiting or have any prayer needs, please fill out an MBC Connect Card and place it in the offering plate.

November 17, 2024

Joy Junction

8:45am - Linda W.

10:00am Svc. - Jamie B. - Cindy S.

Wed. - November 20 - Linda W.

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - November 20

6pm - 7:55pm in FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Lester O.

10:00am - Joe G, Nick G., John P.

Wed. - November 20 - Ed S.

November 24, 2024

Joy Junction

8:45am - Kim S.

10:00am Svc. - Julie S. - Ryan S.

Wed. - November 27 - NO SERVICE

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - November 27

NO SERVICE

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Joe G.

10:00am - Gary S., Jesse W., Matt S.

Wed. - November 27 - NO SERVICE

Operation Christmas Child

Help us reach our goal of 100 shoe boxes. Boxes are on the table outside the sanctuary. There are sample mix & match games on the table as well. If you would like a game for your shoe box, contact Kathleen Joyce at 314-707-4847. The games are free of charge.

The last date to bring boxes is **November 24.** Boxes will be collected and delivered directly after service.

Totes for Hurricane Victims

Please bring filled totes by November 24. (The sooner the better.) You are not limited to the list of items in the totes. Feel free to "stuff" them with additional clothing or personal items.

MORETH>N DINNER/CONCERT

Italian dinner served and a Night of Worship

\$5 / Ticket

*All proceeds go to Students' Youth Camp 2025

DECEMBER 7TH, 2024

5PM - 7PM IN THE FLC

Tickets: Church office or,

Chris/Laura Smith - 636-432-2286