



Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Ant Mathematics



"For which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it?" - Luke 14:28

Can ants count? It seems so! When scout ants find an item of food, they take it back to the nest. If the food item is especially good but

too big to carry, the scout will return to the nest to get help. Scientists have discovered that ants apparently size up the task ahead before getting help so they can return with enough help, but not too much.

One scientist cut a dead grasshopper into three pieces. The second piece was twice the size of the first, and the third was twice the size of the second. He then left the pieces in different locations where ants were sure to find them. He watched as each piece was discovered by a scout, inspected, and each scout returned to the nest for help. When the scout returned with help, the scientist counted the number of ants working at each piece of the grasshopper.

The smallest piece had 28 ants working on it. The piece twice its size had 44 ants. And how many ants do you think were working on the piece that was twice the size of the second piece? If you doubled that 44 to 88, you would be within one of being right. There were 89 ants working to return it to the nest!

We can't help but conclude that mathematical ability is part of the ants' amazing ability to plan and carry out a task! They were doing nothing more than what their Creator taught them as they followed the planning principle Jesus reminds us of in Luke 14:28.

Photo: Ants and food, Envato.

Scan the QR code after service to watch a related video!



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May 11, 2025



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This Week at Memorial

Sunday, May 11, 2025

8:00am - Breakfast

8:45am - Discipleship classes

10:00am - Worship

Look Ahead

5/18 - Matt Orr's Baptism

5/20 - Weekly Women's Book Study begins.

5/26 - Church Office Closed

6/1 - Senior Sunday

6/23 - 27 - Youth Camp

May 4, 2025

Sunday School 67
Sunday AM Worship 143



Weekly Budget

Needed weekly	\$	5,556.72
Received	\$	4,926.42
Over (Under)	\$	(630.30)
YTD Over (Under)	\$	(14,671.41)

Titus 2 Women Meeting - Cancelled

The Titus 2 Women meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 13 at 6pm has been cancelled. Meetings will resume after the start of the new school year.

Women's Book Study

There will be an 11-week book study starting May 20 on Tuesday nights from 6:30 - 8:00 in the FLC. The book is "Learning Contentment" by Nancy Wilson. Contact Kristin Cargill if you are interested. (501) 607-3111

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.

Girls' and Boys' Camps

- BOYS' CAMP is July 7 - 11
- GIRLS' CAMP is July 14 - 18
- DAY CAMP is August 4 - 7

Registration forms will be sent to us by the Association mid-May.

May 11, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Kim S.

10:00am Svc. - Jamie B., Tawni J.

Wed. - May 14 - Linda W.

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - May 14

6pm - 7:55pm in the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Curtiss C.

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

Wed. - May 14 - Ed S.

May 18, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Jamie B.

10:00am Svc. - Barg G., Russ G.

Wed. - May 21 - Linda W.

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - May 21

6pm - 7:55pm in the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Steve G.

10:00am - Joe G., David D., Gary S.

Wed. - May 21 - Tim R.



Youth Camp

- YOUTH CAMP will be here before you know it! We will have more details on it soon! The dates for camp are June 23rd-27th.

Senior Sunday

- SENIOR SUNDY is June 1st. Pictures will need to be turned in to Chris Smith by May 24th.