Creation Moments

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Mysteries of the Piranha



"For every beast of the forest is mine, and the cattle upon a thousand hills." - Psalm 50:10

When the piranha is mentioned, nearly everyone thinks of a picture of a herd of cattle crossing the Amazon – and splish, splash – nothing is left but bones. Actually,

the piranha is a rather interesting fish. It certainly seems to be the bearer of a few tricks the Creator wanted to play on those who want to explain the world without Him.

According to evolutionary theory, new species evolve when there is some way of making a living in nature that no one else is using. So, when you have many similar species, each one should have its own specialization. However, while there may be a dozen different species of piranha living in a portion of a river, they all eat the same things and live in the same ways. As one evolutionist put it, "This clashes with evolutionary theory."

We who believe in a Creator can understand His creating variety just for the sheer joy and exhilaration of creativity. As a result, we are not surprised to find different varieties of the same kind of fish all making the same living.

Even when piranhas do stage one of their mass attacks for which they are famous, each one takes a bite, then waits in line until the others take their turns. Many evolutionists have difficulty explaining this. Selflessness is not supposed to exist in an evolved world. Could this selfless behavior be left over from when the creation was perfect? It certainly is a provision by God to make life a little better for the piranha.

REF: "The piranha's fishy feeding habits." Science Digest. Photo: Pirahna, Envato.

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Memorial Baptist Church



May 18, 2025



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This Week at Memorial

Sunday, May 18, 2025

8:45am - Discipleship classes 10:00am - Worship - Matt Orr's Baptism

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

Look Ahead

5/26 - Church Office Closed

6/1 - Senior Sunday (No Breakfast)

6/1 - High School Senior Open House

6/15 - Father's Day Breakfast

6/23 - 27 - Youth Camp

May 11, 2025

Sunday School 65 Sunday AM Worship 128



Weekly Budget

Needed weekly	\$ 5,556.72
Received	\$ 4,372.00
Over (Under)	\$ (1,184.72)
YTD Over (Under)	\$ (15,856.13)

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.

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.

May 25, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Kim S.

10:00am Svc. - Kristin C., Tawni J.

Wed. - May 28 - Cindy S.

Junior Church

Lisa R., Mariah R.

The Way - Wed - May 28

6pm - 7:55pm in the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - John P. 10:00am - Curtiss C., Bobby J., Matt S. Wed. - May 28 - Ed S.

High School Senior Graduation Open House

The church family is invited to a high school senior graduation open house Sunday, **June 1 from 1-3 pm** Memorial Baptist in the church Family Life Center

Graduates: Levi Johnson, Anderson Menz, James Pope, Mariah Ruth, Ryan Steinbeck, and Brayden Tegeler.

Girls' and Boys' Camps

Registration packets and procedures have been received and are at the Welcome Center. Registrations must be completed online on or before <u>June 19</u> and camper fees must be submitted to MBC on or before <u>June 19</u> and made payable to Memorial Baptist Church. The church will present one check to cover all campers to the Association.

- BOYS' CAMP is July 7 11 Completed grades 3^{rd} 6^{th} ages 9-12 fee \$115
- GIRLS' CAMP is July 14 18 Completed grades 3^{rd} 6^{th} ages 9-12 fee \$115
- DAY CAMP is August 4 7 Completed grades 1st 3rd Fee \$35

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. Camp forms must be turned in by May 25. They can be placed in Chris & Laura Smith's mailbox or given directly to Chris.

Senior Sunday

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