



Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Frozen Turtles



"Hath the rain a father? or who hath begotten the drops of dew? Out of whose womb came the ice? and the hoary frost of heaven, who hath gendered it?" - Job 38:28-29

Reptiles are cold-blooded and like to live in warm places. However, there are exceptions. Turtles are reptiles, but live in places like the

northern United States where temperatures drop far below freezing.

Some creatures hibernate while others burrow deeply into the ground to survive the cold winters, but research has shown that at least some turtles actually freeze during the winter. Studies on the painted turtle, common in the northern United States, show that this species can survive being frozen. The turtles can actually be in water that freezes solid. As long as less than about 54 percent of the water in their bodies freezes solid, they can thaw out and survive quite nicely. How does the turtle get away with this?

First of all, blood sugar levels in the turtles nearly triple when they are frozen, and there is a sharp increase in certain amino acids which act as antifreeze. In addition, glycerol, another antifreeze, triples. Researchers point out that while these changes supply some answers, they don't completely explain the turtle's survival.

Scientists are trying to find out just how painted turtles live through being frozen. They hope to learn how to preserve human organs longer for later transplantation. In effect, they are trying to find out how God enables the painted turtle to survive freezing to copy His method.

Ref: "These Turtles Freeze, But that's Okay." Science News, vol. 134, p. 382.
Photo: Painted turtle, Envato.

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



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June 22, 2025



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This Week at Memorial

Sunday, June 22, 2025

8:45am - Discipleship classes

10:00am - Worship

6/23 - 27 - Youth Camp

Look Ahead

7/5 - Smith Independence Day Party

7/6 - Breakfast

7/7 - 11 - Boys' Camp

7/14 - 18 - Girls' Camp

7/21 - 25 - VBS 8:30am - 11:45am

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

June 22, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Kim S.

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

Wed. - June 25 - Cindy S.

Junior Church

Jamie B. - Mariah R.

The Way - Wed - June 25

6pm - 7:55pm in the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Steve G.

10:00am - Joe G., David D., Bobby J.

Wed. - June 25 - Tim R.

June 29, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Linda W.

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

Wed. - July 2 - Linda W.

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - July 2

6pm - 7:55pm in the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - John P.

10:00am - Curtiss C., Gary S., Lester O.

Wed. - July 2 - Ed S.

Association Camp Needs

Churches are asked to donate paper towels, toilet tissue, & Styrofoam cups (10 or 12oz. ONLY) for use at camp. Please bring items to the church office by July 3.

3 kitchen volunteers are needed from Memorial to assist with dinner on Thursday, July 17 from 3:30pm – 7:30pm. Please contact the church office if you can volunteer. The camp is located at 6109 Hwy. AC, Leslie, MO.

Smith Family Independence Day Celebration

The Smith family has invited the church to join them for their annual Independence Day celebration on July 5. Meat will be provided; they ask that you bring a side dish. They will eat at 5pm but people can start arriving at 3pm to play games and fellowship!

- There will be games for anyone to play and a water balloon fight for kids.
- The pool will be open for swimming. If you are swimming and have a two-piece swimming suit, you must wear a shirt!
- There will be a parachute scramble for the kids (or anyone who wants to participate).
- To end the evening, Chris Smith will be putting on an awesome fireworks show!

The Smith's address is: 3692 Grant School Rd., New Haven, MO 63068

VBS Registration Is Open

It's time to register for MBC's Wonder Junction VBS

July 21-25 8:30am - 11:45am Ages 4-12 Registration

Link: <http://bit.ly/MBC2025VBS>

QR code:



The craft supply list is at the Welcome Center. Numbers will increase as we near the VBS start date.