

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Wild Medicine



"Jesus said to him, 'I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.'" - John 14:6

Is it possible that your pharmacist could be a chimpanzee? That's not such a silly question. Naturalists are discovering that many animals use a variety of plants and other

items to treat their illnesses. Animals often know about the medicinal properties of plants when modern medicine has yet to learn about them.

Recently naturalists noticed that one of the monkeys in the African preserve under their care had become lethargic, lost her appetite, and obviously had a severe gastric upset. A few hours after she became sick, she started munching on a native shrub that is not a normal part of the monkey's diet. She chewed the plant, swallowed the bitter juice and spit out the pulp. By the next afternoon her symptoms were gone and she was feeling better. After a little research, scientists discovered that local tribes use juices from the same plant to treat intestinal upset and loss of appetite.

Studies of the juices of a root that bears rub into their coats show that the bears are using an effective insecticide. Scientists have observed elephants, monkeys, birds and bears eating a variety of things that were not a normal part of their diet only to discover that the things being eaten had medicinal properties. Most amazing is that the animals know how best to take their medicine. If a leaf is best swallowed whole to kill intestinal parasites, it will be swallowed unchewed! Who other than the Great Physician Himself could have taught the animals this medicine?

Image: Black capped squirrel monkey, Envato.

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



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February 22, 2026



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This Week at Memorial

Sunday February 22, 2026

8:45am - Discipleship
10:00am - Worship

Look Ahead

3/1 - Breakfast
3/1 - 8 - Annie Armstrong Week of Prayer
3/8 - Daylight Saving Time Begins
3/8 - Upward Celebration
3/8 - Guest Pastor from Wet Stone
3/11 - Business Meeting

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.

February 22, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Kim S.
10:00am Svc. - Linda W., Kendal B.
Wed. - February 25 - Cindy S.

Junior Church

Chris S. - Thomas S.

The Way - Wed - February 25

6PM - 7:55PM In the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Curtiss C.
10:00am - Jim S., Bobby J.
Wed. - February 25 - Ryan W.

March 1, 2025

Joy Junction

8:45am - Bekah H.
10:00am Svc. - Cindy S. - Sara W.
Wed. - March 4 - Linda W.

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - March 4

6PM - 7:55PM In the FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Steve G.
10:00am - Gary S. - James P.
Wed. - March 4 - Tim R.

UPWARD BASKETBALL CONCESSION STAND HELP & DONATIONS

Helpers are needed at the concession stand during games for three-hour shifts. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center if you can help.

Donations are needed for upward concessions. All proceeds go toward Upward Basketball. Place any donations in the mailroom or FLC kitchen.

Donations needed weekly are:

Little Debbie or Hostess Snack Cakes
Homemade pie
cupcakes, brownies
Cinnamon rolls
Cookies,
Chili
Soups

If you can commit to donating any of the above items, please contact Laua Smith at 636-234-4985.

Annie Armstrong Offering

Please prayerfully consider your Annie Armstrong offering. Donations will be accepted throughout the month of March.

The Usher Ministry Needs Your Help

The Usher Ministry needs your help. If you would like to serve, please contact Curtiss Cobb at (573) 604-0910.