

# announcements

## :: Sent Bible Translator Lunch

### TODAY! after the 10:30am service in the Box

Join us in the Box to hear all about what the Lord is doing through our sent Bible Translator. We will enjoy pizza while we hear about his last 8 years of ministry and pray for him as he prepares to go back overseas.

## :: Get Connected to Mountain View!

### THIS Tuesday, January 31st from 6:30-8pm in the Box

Interested in learning more about who MVCC is? We are hosting an evening to show you how to get involved, who we are as a church, and give you a chance to ask pastors and staff any questions you may have. Register at the QR code - childcare and refreshments will be provided!



## :: Men's Emerald Lake Hike

### Saturday, February 4th at 6:30am

Men - let's enjoy God's creation together! Meet at the church at 6:30am (donuts provided!) OR at the Bear Lake trailhead by 8:45am. The hike gains just 700 feet over about 3.5 miles total. Please RSVP at the QR code.

Contact John Nelson with any questions - (312) 259-6283.



## :: Child Dedication Class

### Sunday, February 5th from 9:50-10:20am in the upstairs offices

If you're interested in dedicating your child, we encourage you to sign up for this class! We will go over the commitment that dedication entails and the importance of raising your child in the Lord. **This is now a prerequisite to dedicating your child at MVCC.** Scan the QR code for more information and registration.



## :: Nepal Child Sponsorship

There are opportunities available to sponsor children or university students in Nepal! Scan the QR code to find out more and sign up. Contact Dave Young ([dave.young@mvcchurch.org](mailto:dave.young@mvcchurch.org)) with any questions.



## :: High School Unify Retreat

### February 17th-20th at Sky Ranch Horn Creek

High School Students! You don't want to miss the 2023 Unify Retreat. Awesome games, genuine connection, life-long memories, and learning about the real Jesus who changes everything. Cost is \$250 and you can register with the QR code.



## :: Gender & Sexuality Forum

### Sunday, February 5th from 6:30-8pm

We will have a panel-style forum next Sunday to talk more in-depth on the topic of Gender & Sexuality. RSVP is not required, but we do ask that you text **(970) 430-5817** with the total number of people planning to attend with you so we can plan adequate space.

Aaron LeDuc

January 29th, 2023

### Image Bearers

## **Justice for the Marginalized**

(Genesis 1:26-27)

### **Justice and Image Bearers**

- Retributive or Restorative

### **Justice and Justification** (Deut. 10:19, Isa. 58:6-8, Mic. 6:8, Matt. 25:31-46, Jam. 2:14-17)

*Seeking justice for other image bearers is a sign*

### **Justice and the Gospel** (Eph. 5:7-11, Matt. 5:14-16)

### **DISCUSSION & REFLECTION QUESTIONS:**

- What stood out to you most from the message? Why?
- How does it make you feel to know that you, as a human being, are more like God than any other creature? How does that knowledge make you want to act?
- Are there ways that God is calling you to step into the light of the gospel personally?
- Are there ways He's calling you to bring that light to the darkness in the world around you?