

THIS WEEK AT MOUNTAIN VIEW

SUMMER CLASSES TO CONNECT

MAY 27TH | 6:30-8PM | THE BOX

Newer to MVCC? Come discover who we are, what we're passionate about, and how you can get connected. It's a great chance to hear a little about the history of MVCC, meet some of our pastors, and ask any questions you might have. Childcare and refreshments will be provided. Scan the QR code to register!



MVCC IS HIRING!

MVCC Kids is growing, and we're so thankful for the opportunity to invest in the lives of our children as they learn about Jesus and His love. To support this growth, we're hiring a part-time Children's Ministry Coordinator (25-30 hrs/week) to work alongside our Director, Shelley Bogus, and help care for our kids, families, and volunteers. Check out the full job description and learn how to apply at <https://mvcchurch.org/jobs-at-mountain-view/>. Applications due by June 15th!

BIKE TO WORK

JUNE 25TH | AT MVCC

It's almost time for one of Fort Collins' favorite traditions—Bike to Work Day! Let's show some love to our community by helping out with this fun, city-wide event. You can jump in by volunteering at our station, or by donating some tasty snacks ahead of time. Sign up to help with the various needs for this event in your Church Center app or reach out to Julie Ogg at julie.ogg@mvcchurch.org with any questions!

BIBLICAL DISTINCTIVES

STARTING JUNE 5TH | 8-9:30AM | THE BOX

In this **10-week daytime class** you will develop your own biblical convictions through the study of several important topics, while learning what MVCC believes and how it influences our philosophy of ministry. Scan the QR code to register!



CONNECT WITH US

Text "connect" to (970) 659-6619 or scan this QR code to **get plugged in** and **stay up-to-date** on upcoming events. Or visit our website, mvcchurch.org to learn more!

HIDDEN PROVIDENCE – A STUDY THROUGH ESTHER

GOD'S PROVIDENCE IN THE MIDST OF MUCH EVIL

Esther 3

MAIN IDEA: While God's covenant promises seem to be in jeopardy, due to the evil decree on His people, God is working behind the scenes to ensure they remain secure and safe.

King Xerxes promotes Haman the Agagite (vs. 1)

Mordecai refuses to bow, Haman becomes furious (vs. 2-6)

Date set, permission granted (vs. 8-11)

Decree drafted, decree sent (vs. 12-15)

The Gospel ...waiting for rescue (vs. 13-14)

CONSIDERATION:

Since the Fall in the Garden of Eden, God's people have found themselves in the same position as the Jews living in Persia under King Xerxes...the decree of death hangs over each of us and we have no ability to deliver ourselves from it. Only the Gospel has the power to do this.

DISCUSSION & REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- What stood out most to you from this sermon? Why?
- How have you seen God's "hidden" work in your life?
- When faced with your own coming death, how does the Gospel impact you?
- When life is uncertain, what promises of God are you holding on to?
- During times or seasons of suffering, are you waiting well?