

# Judges

Straight Line with Crooked Sticks

## Selfish People

Judges 18

**The who book in one verse:** Judges 17:6 In those days there was no king in Israel. Everyone did what was right in his own eyes.

### Dan's Dirty Deeds

- They did not worship the God \_\_\_\_\_
- They did not want what God \_\_\_\_\_
- They did not respect the \_\_\_\_\_

### Treacherous Hearts

Philippians 2:12, Matthew 7:13-14, Matthew 6:33, 2 Timothy 2:5, Revelation 7:4-8, 1 Corinthians 5:6

1. Sometimes \_\_\_\_\_ walk out God's plan
2. Some take the \_\_\_\_\_ rather than \_\_\_\_\_
3. Some have counterfeit \_\_\_\_\_ rather than real \_\_\_\_\_
4. Some have the \_\_\_\_\_ but do not truly have God
  - \*\* \_\_\_\_\_ is more dangerous than you think (James 3:14-16)
  - \*\* Using God to \_\_\_\_\_ is more dangerous than you realize (Galatians 6:7)
5. Some are deceptively convinced they can \_\_\_\_\_
  - \*\* False religion seeks to \_\_\_\_\_ true faith surrenders to God.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ grow larger if it goes unaddressed

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August 20, 2023

Truth, Worship, Friendships  
[www.livingwaychurch.cc](http://www.livingwaychurch.cc)

# Welcome

Good morning, welcome to Livingway, we are so glad you chose to spend part of your Sunday with us. If this is your first time, have questions, or a prayer request, **fill out our online connection card** on our website. More than anything, we pray you encounter the love and hope of Jesus Christ today. [www.livingwaychurch.cc](http://www.livingwaychurch.cc).



# You Belong



Small groups for friendship, Bible study, and community.

For information about Life Teams contact Tiny & Ida 214-771-5791

Every 4th Sunday at 6pm we gather in homes for small groups.

### Men's Bible study

Every 1st & 3rd Saturdays at 8:30am live at the vive & Zoom Bible study. Link posted on Facebook.



### LW Kids Ministry

is looking for volunteers to help love and teach the children about Jesus! Sign up using the online connection card!



**\*\*Always looking for volunteers!**



### ZONE Young Adults - Tues 7:30pm

The young adults (ages 18-20's) meet Tuesday's, 7pm live at the Vive. Text Pastor Ted @ 469-877-1101 for more details.



### Youth One Wednesdays 7:15pm

Our teens meet every Wed for worship, Bible study, and friends at the Vive (upstairs). Contact Van or Lenette at 469-954-6833.

## LIVING THE WAY!

### Monday Nights Starting Sept 25!

Living the way is a Bible study course designed to challenge and strengthen the core truths of why and what you believe. It covers the attributes of God, how we got the Bible, the habits of a healthy follower of Christ, and more.

It will be 7:15pm on Monday's at the home of Pastor Ted & Nikol Blair.



**What is The Vive?** From Latin, it means - life; to live. It is a ministry of Livingway. The Vive is to be a place for experiencing the life and hope of Jesus. It is where we meet as a church and where weekly ministry takes place. It is a venue for community use and a coffee lounge open to the public for fellowship, ministry, bible study, and counsel. Work programs available.



You have 5 ways to give: onsite, online, mail, auto pay, and now **TEXT** to give (text 469-251-1110 to start)

Your faithful giving is important. Working together we can accomplish great things in the Kingdom of God.

**Weekly goal - \$4500.00**

Week Aug 13 - 2651.00  
Week of Aug 6 - 4055.00

## Giving



**Current Series - Book of Judges.** As we read Judges, we see ourselves. A people in need of a savior and the inability to save ourselves. We see the cycle of sin in our own life. Thank God, He uses crooked sticks to draw straight lines.

Baptism is a public declaration of our relationship with Jesus. For details about baptism check our Next Steps page on our website @ [www.livingwaychurch.cc](http://www.livingwaychurch.cc)  
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**Are you ready to take the next step?** Are you curious about our mission as a local church? Have you heard our story and vision? It is time to move from attending to belonging. **Sunday August 27 we invite you to Discover Livingway at 1:30pm at the vive.**

### Livingway Church exists to help you...

- Discover the hope and healing of Christ
- Develop maturity in Christ
- Deploy into the world in the name of Christ



## Our Mission

### Vive Coffee is now open 8-5pm Tue-Sat



## together Livingway Team

- Ted Blair - Senior Pastor
- Van & Lenette Nguyen - Youth
- Nora Quinones - Kidventure
- Ernest & Ida Martinez - Small Groups
- Randy Baxter, Tony Godina, Stan Rogers, Mike Walls, Sam Olivarri, Ted Blair- Elders
- Stephen Crowder - Sound
- Luke Hawkins - Media

Contact us at 469-877-1101

or at our website at

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