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# Against All Odds

Dr. Charles Ryrie, an authority of Bible prophecy, says, "Someone has calculated that actually there are more than 300 prophecies concerning various aspects of the first coming of Christ. We can assuredly say that no one could possibly have made this number of accurate predictions by chance.

"But God did it, through His prophets, and the evidence is in the Bible for all to see and believe. There are many other equally specific prophecies in both the Old and the New Testaments which have also been fulfilled exactly as predicted. Add all these in with the ones we have referred to, and the improbability of their coming to pass increases at a fantastic rate, to a point beyond any possible comprehension." Another scholar says that there are 332 prophecies relating to Jesus Christ, 61 of which are major prophecies. To help you grasp the immense improbability of these being fulfilled by chance, let me give you something to think about. Let's begin by pondering the possibility of just eight of those being fulfilled. One college math class that investigated this possibility concluded that it would be one possibility in ten to the 17th power.

When Jesus was here, He had a keen sense of understanding that He was fulfilling the prophecies of old. Repeatedly He would say, "This was done that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet saying..." and Jesus would document the quote. The average person has little understanding of the complexity of prophecies and their importance when it comes to documenting what Jesus did. Immediately before the crucifixion, Jesus said, "I am telling you now before it happens, so that when it does happen you will believe that I am He" (John 13:19).

Begin your own program of investigation by reading the Gospel of John in the New Testament, and noticing the number of passages which relate definite events in Jesus' life to fulfilled prophecy. It will amaze you.

# **Congregational Scripture Reading** Romans 13:8

Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for whoever loves other has fulfilled the law.

# Family News & Updates

#### **Kids** Time

This morning we will be adding a time for our children in worship called Kids Time. We will invite the children to come down to the stage and have a short interactive learning time with Brian. We want to encourage all our families to get their little ones involved.

#### Let's Support Our College Students

Evelyn Fulmer, Ethan Leinen, Mason Ogle, and Rachel Smith are our college students. Please consider donating items to a box for a care package for each of them. If donating money please give to Deb Ogle and she will see that it gets to them.

# Wednesday Night Classes

A new Wednesday night Bible class will begin in the auditorium starting in March. Roman Perez will be teaching the book of Colossians. This will be a class for all interested adults. Andrea Leinen will continue teaching the ladies class upstairs in the fellowship serving room.

# **Youth Rally**

Our youth wil be hosting our annual youth rally themed His Presence March 8th-10th. Speaker is Sean Algaier and song leader Shawn Smith. Sign ups for meal assistance and desserts are located the welcome center. Please speak to Jordan Ford if vou can open your home to host visiting youth.

# **Men's Breakfast**

Men mark your calendars we will be having our next mens breakfast March 23rd at the building at 8 am. We will be reassigning our brother to brother partners as well as working on a few projects around the building.

### **Praver Requests**

Please remember the following brought forward last Sunday: Jack Loftus's wife Diane Loftus tumor and difficulty falling.

	March Birthdays & Anniversaries	
4th 4th 5th 7th	Caronna Kinney Lisa Dollen Aubry Winkler Lauren Morales	
10th 11th 17th	Evelyn Fulmer Ethan Leinen Jason Leinen	



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Jack Loftus	Diane tumor and falls			
Mason Ogle	Hardware bent/replaced			
Austin Hunter	Dad health			
Jake Sola	brother in law cancer			
Evalina Holcomb	Health			
Jack Loftus	Son Randy cancer			
Adams Family	McKenzie hm stability			
Brian Deckman	Chemo & dialysis			
Ryan S	Father cancer/radiation			
Delores Bolte	Health			
Jason Leinen	Protection & health			
Ukraine church	Protection			
College Students	Military			
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