

PLEASE HELP US CREATE A DISTRACTION-FREE ENVIRONMENT DURING OUR WORSHIP SERVICES. IF YOU NEED TO LEAVE DURING KEY TIMES OF THE SERVICE, YOU MAY BE ASKED TO SIT IN THE BACK WHEN YOU RETURN. ALSO, WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR AMAZING KIDS' CLASSES FOR CHILDREN, BIRTH THROUGH 5TH GRADE. WE REALLY WANT EVERYONE TO EXPERIENCE GOD'S BEST IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICES. THANKS!

## WEEKLY EVENTS

### SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES

9AM, & 10:30AM

### MIDTOWNE STUDENTS

6-12TH GRADE | WEDNESDAYS | 6:00-7:30 PM  
MEETS IN THE MILL. THIS IS A NIGHT OF FUN,  
AWESOME WORSHIP & A RELEVANT MESSAGE.

### KIDSTOWNE | BIRTH-PRESCHOOL

SUNDAY | BOTH SERVICES  
BIBLE STORIES, CRAFTS, MUSIC, AND FUN  
ACTIVITIES TO HELP APPLY THE LESSON  
FOR THE DAY!

### KIDSTOWNE LIVE | K-5TH GRADE

SUNDAY | BOTH SERVICES  
FUN GAMES, MUSIC, LIVE DRAMA, SMALL GROUPS  
AND CREATIVE TEACHING OF GOD'S WORD THAT  
HELPS THEM FIND AND EXPERIENCE GOD'S BEST.

## OUR STAFF

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### SPECIAL KIDSTOWNE | K-5TH GRADE

SUNDAY | 9AM  
REGISTER AT MIDTOWNECHURCH.COM/SPECIAL  
EACH SATURDAY BY NOON TO HELP US  
BEST SERVE YOUR CHILD.

### SUPER KIDS | PRESCHOOL

WEDNESDAYS | 6:30-7:30PM  
PRESCHOOLERS WILL LEARN GOD'S BEST  
THROUGH SONGS, GAMES AND BIBLE TEACHING  
THAT IS ON THEIR LEVEL.

### ELEVATE | K-5TH GRADE

WEDNESDAYS | 6:30-7:30PM  
KIDS WILL LEARN AND EXPERIENCE GOD'S BEST  
FOR THEIR LIVES THROUGH SKITS, SONGS AND  
GROUP ACTIVITIES!

### CELEBRATE RECOVERY

FRIDAYS | 6:45PM: LARGE GROUP  
A CHRIST-CENTERED RECOVERY PROGRAM.  
FIND MORE INFO AT:  
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# THOMAS

## Thomas' Struggle

Doubt says, "I'm not \_\_\_\_\_ about that."

Skepticism says, "I'm gonna need some \_\_\_\_\_."

Disbelief says, "I just can't \_\_\_\_\_ that."

## Thomas' Strategy

**1. Overcome Doubt with \_\_\_\_\_.**

*Eight days later the disciples were together again, and this time Thomas was with them. The doors were locked; but suddenly, as before, Jesus was standing among them. "Peace be with you," he said. John 20:26 NLT*

**2. Overcome Skepticism with \_\_\_\_\_.**

*Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and look at my hands. Put your hand into the wound in my side." John 20:27a NLT*

**3. Overcome Disbelief with \_\_\_\_\_.**

*"Don't be faithless any longer. Believe!" John 20:27b NLT*

*The father instantly cried out, "I do believe, but help me overcome my unbelief!" Mark 9:24 NLT*



EXPERIENCE GOD'S BEST WITH OTHERS  
ALL GROUPS MEET AT VARIOUS TIMES THROUGHOUT THE WEEK  
COUPLES' GROUPS • WOMEN'S GROUPS • MEN'S GROUPS

For more information about Neighborhood Groups **check the box** on your connection card today **or** contact Josh at **Josh@MidtowneChurch.com**

# the Landing™

CelebrateRecovery® for Students



Fridays @ 6pm

For More Info: (870) 834-0380

[celebraterecovery@midtownechurch.com](mailto:celebraterecovery@midtownechurch.com)

A safe place for teens to process life, provide tools to help them, and point them toward the freedom found in Jesus Christ.

## CELEBRATE RECOVERY

A CHRIST-CENTERED RECOVERY PROGRAM

Come and experience freedom from all of life's hurts, habits, and hang-ups through Bible based teaching, worship, and fellowship!



**ONLY 1 IN 3 PEOPLE ARE AT CR FOR DRUG OR ALCOHOL ADDICTIONS**

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT: 6:00 Dinner • 6:45 Large Group • 7:45 Small Group • 8:45 Missing Piece Café

FOR MORE INFO EMAIL: [CELEBRATERECOVERY@MIDTOWNECHURCH.COM](mailto:CELEBRATERECOVERY@MIDTOWNECHURCH.COM)

# ARE YOU PRAYING?

**PRAYERFUL**

Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart. Colossians 3:2

**MINDFUL**

Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart. Colossians 3:2

**THANKFUL**

Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart. Colossians 3:2

**ASK GOD TO SHOW YOU HOW YOU CAN HELP MAKE OUR NEW BUILDING A REALITY**

# SO WHAT?

*"My Lord and my God!" Thomas exclaimed. John 20:28 NLT*

**When I focus on the Living Proof,**

I will be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

## BOYZ IN THE WORD

SUNDAYS

9AM-10AM

FOR 6-12TH GRADE BOYZ

IN "THE EDGE" 5TH GRADE ROOM

Email [aaron@midtownechurch.com](mailto:aaron@midtownechurch.com) for more info



SUNDAYS

10:30-11:30AM

5TH GRADE STUDENTS  
IN THE CLASSROOM UNDER THE MILL

[brook@midtownechurch.com](mailto:brook@midtownechurch.com)

**UPTOWNE**  
*girls*  
Midtowne Church  
Women's Ministry

For More Info Email:  
[women@midtownechurch.com](mailto:women@midtownechurch.com)

**HELPING MEN FIND & EXPERIENCE GOD'S BEST**



**MIDTOWNE MEN**

FOR MORE INFO EMAIL: [men@midtownechurch.com](mailto:men@midtownechurch.com)

# MAKE THE BEST OF IT

1. Have you ever heard this story about Thomas before? If so, what has been your impression of the kind of person Thomas was? Why did you think that?
2. Has this message changed the way you think about Thomas? If so, how and why?
3. Have you ever experienced doubting your spiritual life? If so, how did you deal with it? How did this message help you deal with doubt?
4. Do you think it is sinful to doubt or be skeptical? Why or why not?
5. What would you say to someone who was skeptical of the resurrection of Jesus? Why do you believe it to be true?
6. Is there a part of your spiritual life that you have difficulty fully believing? Why? What do you think it takes to overcome that disbelief?
7. What is one specific thing you will do this week to be more Secure in your Faith?



Please stay seated during the message



Please don't re-enter service if you exit



Please leave spills until after service has ended

Budget Needs: Weekly/YTD  
 General Fund: \$19,142.77/\$267,998.78  
 Land Fund: \$3,358.10/\$47,013.40  
 Backpack: \$784.03/\$10,976.39

Received: Last Week/YTD  
 General Fund: \$17,322.53/\$255,536.78  
 Land Fund: \$2,743.00/\$47,818.61  
 Backpack: \$970.00/\$18,893.01



## THE FRONT PORCH

Tuesday, April 23rd at 11:30 am  
Midtowne Church  
Lunch will be provided

Men & Women 65 or older, please join us for lunch, conversation, and fun!

Love to bake?  
Contact Nancy at 501-529-5595 if you would like to provide something sweet.

text PORCH to 501-365-9556 to sign up



## Children's Ministry

VOLUNTEER DINNER IS TONIGHT!

6:00 in KTL



## FORGED

HELPING MEN FIND AND EXPERIENCE GOD'S BEST.

Meets every Monday Night  
6:00pm at Midtowne Church  
text FORGED to 501-365-9556 to sign-up.



## GRIEF SHARE®

A GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

NEW CLASS BEGINS SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST  
5:30-7:00PM AT MIDTOWNE CHURCH

TEXT "GRIEF" TO 501-365-9556 TO SIGN-UP  
FOR MORE INFO EMAIL BARB AT GRIEFSHARE@MIDTOWNECHURCH.COM



# GIVE ONLINE!

- ▶ GO TO OUR WEBSITE  
Midtownechurch.com
- ▶ CLICK ON "GIVE"  
Make your one time gift or set up recurring giving.



MIDTOWNE CHURCH

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO FEED

# BACKPACK MINISTRY

FEEDING CHILDREN IN OUR COMMUNITY

- ▶ TO ADOPT A KID TEXT "ADOPT" TO 501-365-9556  
FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL  
BACKPACKINFO@MIDTOWNECHURCH.COM
- ▶ \$20 PER MONTH FEEDS ONE CHILD

# OVER 500 KIDS

IN OUR COMMUNITY