## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS!**

The High School Graduate Commissioning Service will be on Sunday, June 6, 2021. Forms are due today. Contact Pastor Aaron with any questions.

### MAY 30 - ORDINATION CELEBRATION FOR PASTOR AARON

We will celebrate Pastor Aaron's ordination on Sunday, May 30. For that Sunday, we will only have the 10:45 a.m. service. There will be no first service and no Sunday School. Please join us at 10:45 for this special service. There will be nursery, 2's & 3's, Children's Church, and Junior Church during that service.

## LOVE OFFERING FOR KIMRA SUTTON

This Sunday is the last Sunday to give toward the Kimra Sutton love offering. Please mark your offering clearly either 'Kimra Sutton' or 'Kimra Love Offering' or the like.

### WILLOWBROOK SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Bill Fenton ministers at Willowbrook near Bob Evans on Sundays at 3 p.m. He is seeking anyone who would like to minister in music to the residents. In-person services begin June 6. It is likely that folks performing special music will need to be vaccinated for COVID-19 per Willowbrook policy.

### **PRAYER MEETING CONTINUES**

Prayer meeting will continue through the summer at 7 p.m. on Wednesday in the auditorium.

## **FIRST FRIDAY**

Main Street Delaware is reopening outdoor First Friday gatherings throughout the summer. DBC plans on participating in this outreach opportunity the first Friday of June, July, August, and September. In June, we'll be distributing treats including general church information to those who stop by our booth. If you're interested in sharing the love of Christ with our community through building relationships and sharing invitations to church please contact Pastor Brad Harris for more details. The June First Friday will be 6/4 from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.



# **Elect Exiles**

# 1 Peter 1:1-2 | Introduction to 1 Peter

## Who was Peter?

- 1. Peter was a \_\_\_\_\_ Jn. 1:40-42
- 2. Peter was a \_\_\_\_\_ Mk. 1:29; Jn. 1:44
- 3. Peter was an \_\_\_\_\_ Matt. 10:2
- 4. Peter was \_\_\_\_\_\_ Matt. 14:22-33; Lk. 22:54-62; Acts 12:5-17
- 5. Peter understood \_\_\_\_\_ Acts 5, 12:1-5

## Who was Peter writing to?

- 1. Elect Addresses their \_\_\_\_\_ status.
- 2. Exiles Addresses their \_\_\_\_\_\_ status.
- 3. Of the Dispersion Addresses their \_\_\_\_\_\_ status.

When and where was this book written?

What was the context around Peter's writing?

## Why was Peter writing to them?

- 1. To give \_\_\_\_\_\_ 1 Peter 1:3 2:10
  - Despite the circumstances that they face, believers can have \_\_\_\_\_ because of the \_\_\_\_\_ that has been gifted to them by Jesus Christ.
- 2. To encourage \_\_\_\_\_\_ living. 1 Peter 2:11 4:6
  - Christians should be \_\_\_\_\_ examples in the midst of their suffering.
- 3. To encourage \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1 Peter 4:7 5:11
  - God works great \_\_\_\_\_ into a Christian's suffering.
  - One day, we will no longer be \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **Practical Study Ideas**

 Pick up a 1 Peter Scripture Journal and read through 1 Peter four times over the next two weeks.

- Reflect on the suffering that you currently experience as a Christian. Journal how you can live a Christ-honoring life despite the suffering you're called to endure.
- 3. Persistently pray for believers who are suffering for their faith.

## <u>NOTES</u>