**EVENT CALENDAR** 

### THE LATEST



### **DRIVE-THRU SETUP**

1:00 PM – 4:00 PM Help us setup, things for all abilities!



### NO PRAYER NIGHT OR MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Enjoy time with friends and family!





### **CHRISTMAS DECORATING**

After the 2<sup>nd</sup> Service Bring a soup to share and decorate with us!

### **CHRISTMAS DRIVE THRU**

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Help us get ready for this year's Drive-thru! Contact the church office.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

**November 26** - Christmas Decorating

**December 4 -** Christmas Drive-Thru Opens

**December 24 -** 10:30 AM Combined Service

December 24 - 5 PM Candlelight Service

December 31 - 10:30 AM Combined Service



### EL SALVADOR MISSIONS TRIP 2024

Be sure to save the date for next years missions trip. If you don't have a current passport, be sure to get it updated now so you can join us at King's Castle in El Salvador from July 24 through August 1. Contact our church administrator at *randy@freedomchurchcp.org* to get on the list for more information.

### ANGEL TREE (A PROGRAM OF PRISON FELLOWSHIP)

### NOW THROUGH SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

Angel Tree helps strengthen relationships between incarcerated parents and their children through Christmas gifts. This year, we have the opportunity to serve several children in our community by purchasing/delivering gifts and sharing the love of Jesus.

You can help by grabbing a name from the tree in the lobby, purchasing a gift ( $\sim$ \$25), and bringing it back before December 11. You can also give to get a gift card for the guardian.

If you have any questions contact Charlene Spear at 530-499-2593.

# WAYS TO GIVE

1 OFFERING BOX

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# FREEDOM CHURCH

**TODAY'S DATE** NOV 19, 2023

**SERVICE TIMES** 9 & 10:30 AM

NURSERY (BIRTH-4)
Opens at 10:15 AM

KIDS CHURCH (K-6)

Dismissed after worship



**TODAY'S SERMON:** 

# PART 2: YOU CAN ALWAYS COME BACK

**TODAY'S SPEAKER** 

SCOTT WILLIAMS

LUKE 15

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### **DISCUSSION IGNITERS**

# PART 2: YOU CAN ALWAYS COME BACK



LUKE 15

SCOTT WILLIAM

**Luke 15:17-24** "When he came to his senses, he said, 'How many of my father's hired men have food to spare, and here I am starving to death! 18 I will set out and go back to my father and say to him: Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. 19 I am no longer worthy to be called your son; make me like one of your hired men.' 20 So he got up and went to his father. "But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him. 21 "The son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' 22 "But the father said to his servants, 'Quick! Bring the best robe and put it on him. Put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. 23 Bring the fattened calf and kill it. Let's have a feast and celebrate. 24 For this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.' So they began to celebrate.

## 4 Steps To Coming Home **REMORSEFUL** – sorry for the \_\_\_\_\_\_, but doesn't want to change the \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ "I want to go home" **REPENTANCE** - Changes \_\_\_\_\_\_ behaviors to go home so\_\_\_\_\_ mistakes wont be repeated. 3. Come home Repentance is \_\_\_\_\_ + a commitment to \_\_\_\_\_ Every change starts with a \_\_\_\_: I want to go home Why don't people repent? That desire becomes a \_\_\_\_: I'm going home That decision becomes an \_\_\_\_: I go home True repentance always produces a I John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. When you come home,

you are \_\_\_\_\_

Come Home: Part 2 // Luke 15

1	Tell of a time you got lost. Did a GPS, map or someone else's directions lead you in the wrong direction?
2	How does a person who is lost spiritually, find their way back to God?
3	Do you think it is easier for a prodigal to find their way back to God verse someone who never had a relationship with God? How?
4	What is the first step in coming back to God? What if a person has no desire?
5	What are the next two steps in coming back to God. Explain the difference and why both are important.
6	What is the difference between remorse and repentance? How can you tell the difference in someone's life that is truly repentant?
7	What is the danger if we are only remorseful. Have you seen that play out in your life or someone else?
В	What are 3 reasons some refuse to repent?
	When a person returns to God, how does the Father react? How should we react?