

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN JANUARY 2024

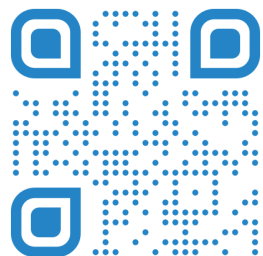
- 1/4 First Thursday Prayer Meeting
- 1/8 Rock Creek Women | Flourish Begins
- 1/9 Immerse Institute Begins
- 1/10 Mid-Week Begins
GriefShare | Loss of a Spouse
- 1/20 Rock Creek Kids | Pancakes for Preschoolers
- 1/21 Fill the Truck Food Drive
- 1/22 DivorceCare Begins
- 1/23 Re|Engage Begins
- 1/25 Rock Creek Men | Man Church



link to january 2024 calendar

IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME ...THANKS FOR JOINING US!

WE WOULD LOVE TO MEET YOU! STOP AND MEET A PASTOR
TO THE RIGHT OF THE STAGE AFTER THE SERVICE.



SCAN THE CODE FOR A LIST OF IMPORTANT ROCK CREEK LINKS!

QUIT IT



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SERMON BY
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QUIT LIVING DEFEATED 1 KINGS 19:1-18

"Elijah was a man just like us..." James 5:17a

THE PATTERN OF DEFEATED LIVING:



_____.
"Elijah was afraid and ran for his life." 1 Kings 19:3



_____.
"I have had enough Lord" 1 Kings 19:4



_____.
"I am no better than my ancestors." 1 Kings 19:4



_____.
"I am the only one left and now they are trying to kill me too." 1 Kings 19:10

THE PROBLEM WITH DEFEATED LIVING:

1. I LET MY _____ DRIVE

_____.
"he prayed that he might die. 'I have had enough, Lord!' he said..." 1 Kings 19:4

2. I _____ EVERYTHING THAT IS

GOING _____ AND _____

EVERYTHING THAT IS GOING _____.

"...I am the only one left, and now they are trying to kill me too." 1 Kings 19:10

"Yet I reserve seven thousand in Israel - all whose knees have not bowed down to Baal and whose mouths have not kissed him." 1 Kings 19:18

3. I LOOK AROUND AND THINK '_____.'

"Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors!" 1 Kings 19:4

THE PATH OUT OF DEFEATED LIVING:

1. BE WILLING TO DO WHAT NECESSARY FOR

_____.
"Then he lay down under the bush and fell asleep.

All at once an angel touched him and said, "Get up and eat."

⁶ He looked around, and there by his head was some bread baked over hot coals, and a jar of water. He ate and drank and then lay down again.

⁷ The angel of the Lord came back a second time and touched him and said, "Get up and eat, for the journey is too much for you." ⁸ So he got up and ate and drank. Strengthened by that food, he traveled forty days and forty nights until he reached Horeb, the mountain of God. 1 Kings 19:5-8

2. BE HONEST ABOUT MY NEED FOR

_____.
"There he went into a cave and spent the night.

And the word of the Lord came to him: "What are you doing here, Elijah?"

¹⁰ He replied, "I have been very zealous for the Lord God Almighty.

The Israelites have rejected your covenant, torn down your altars, and put your prophets to death with the sword. I am the only one left, and now they are trying to kill me too." 1 Kings 19:9-10

3. BE COMMITTED TO MY OWN _____.

The Lord said, "Go out and stand on the mountain in the presence of the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by." Then a great and powerful wind tore the mountains apart and shattered the rocks before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind.

After the wind there was an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake. ¹² After the earthquake came a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire came a gentle whisper. ¹³ When Elijah heard it, he pulled his cloak over his face and went out and stood at the mouth of the cave. Then a voice said to him,

"What are you doing here, Elijah?" 1 Kings 19:11-13

"The Lord said to him, "Go back the way you came." 1 Kings 19:15

"Yet I reserve seven thousand in Israel..." 1 Kings 19:18