



# NEWS LETTER

2024  
May



For the entire month of May, our focus in Big City Avenue is on teaching kids how to pray. We will be reinforcing that prayer is simply a conversation with God. It's not about saying the right words, it's about speaking from your heart and listening to what God has to say.

It was exciting to see how many families were eager to pick up the May prayer calendar. Every one of them has been given out! It's a wonderful resource for home as we focus on prayer.

We look forward to hearing about what families had as the "secret prize reveal" under the scratch off square at the end of the month. AND, as a bonus, we encourage your children to bring the completed calendar back to Sunday school to show us and they can get \$50 in Big City Bucks! How awesome is THAT?!

**31**

**PRAYER ADVENTURES**

**FOR KIDS & GROWN-UPS TOO!**

**MAY 1-31**

**5 MINUTES A DAY**

**WHEREVER YOU ARE**

*Let Us Pray! CHALLENGE*

*Start here!*



We wrapped up the "MOVE" series after a fun and active eight weeks of games that the whole room could participate in, silly skits and object lessons. We introduced some new worship songs and even brought back an old favorite!



Many of the Bible lessons were brought to life with our volunteer actors. Easter Sunday some of the boys and girls reenacted the crucifixion and resurrection.



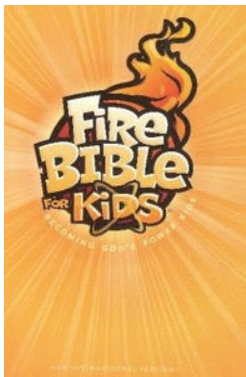
## STAFF SHOUTOUT: Rusty



Rusty has been volunteering in Big City Avenue for a few years already and has mastered many areas of the technical side during our Sunday morning services. He's got a good eye when he's behind the cameras and is very capable at the sound board. We appreciate how willing he is to lend a hand wherever needed.

Rusty comes from a very musical family. He plays piano and often drums for the Riverwood Church Youth Group and for Impact Youth. He keeps active by playing ball hockey once a week at Youth for Christ and basketball twice a week.

It's great to have Rusty a part of our Sunday morning team!



### Return of the Fire Bible!

We are excited to announce that there will be more Fire Bibles available. Quantities will be limited so get yours before they're all gone.

**\$50 Big City Bucks**  
**OR \$35 Real Buck**

## BIG CITY BUCKS ADD UP!

- \$1 Being in your seat **on time**
- \$1 Bring your Bible
- \$2 Say the Memory Verse
- \$2 Bring back a signed take-home paper
- \$5 For your birthday
- \$5 Bring a friend



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Making Giving Fun



Total giving so far for 2024: **\$254.31**

## SERVICE TIMES:

One Way Street and Big City Avenue

**\*Sign in at the back door\***



**9:15 a.m. to 10:15a.m.**

*(sign in opens at 9:00 a.m. - doors close at 9:30 a.m.)*

**10:45 a.m. to 12:00 noon**

*(sign in opens at 10:30 a.m. - doors close at 11:00 a.m.)*