



# EKKLESIA

Be welcome. Be accepted. Be loved.

## **EXILE**

*February 16th, 2025*

**Mitra Sarshuri**

Our guest speaker today is Mitra Sarshuri. Mitra is originally from Vonore, TN, but currently resides in Manchester, CT with his spouse, Ryan, where he is a paraeducator. Mitra graduated from Carson-Newman in 2020, where he got to know Dave as a Religion major and member of the Faith & Justice Scholars Program. Mitra is a big K-Pop fan, an outdoor enthusiast, and a lifelong Vols fan (with an amazing Dolly tattoo, as well!). We're so glad to have Mitra with us today!

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **BIBLE STUDY DISCUSSION GROUP - TUESDAY @ 7:00PM**

*The Tuesday Night Bible Study group will not meet this Tuesday, February 18. We will resume on Tuesday, February 25.*

Meeting in our church worship area, we will study I Peter, and our discussions will run concurrently with Dave's winter sermon series. Participants will need a good updated scripture translation and the following resources:

- I and II Peter and Jude for Everyone - Bible Study Guide by N.T. Wright
- New Testament Everyday Bible Study Series by Scot McKnight on I and II Peter and Jude

### **BLANKETS COLLECTION & DISTRIBUTION**

It's that time of year to start collecting blankets so we can give them away when the weather starts to get cold. Take a look for any gently used blankets and keep your eyes open for sales and start bringing them in!

### **COMMUNITY FOOD BOXES**

February	Collins
March	Overly
April	Cross

### **BLANKET DISTRIBUTION**

February 17	Jennifer Moore
February 24	Overly

#### **PRAYER**

Your church family wants to pray for you. *Send prayer requests to Terri Bradshaw at:*  
[terri@eklovewell.org](mailto:terri@eklovewell.org)

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#### **ONLINE GIVING**

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