

Good Morning!

We're glad you are here!

Hymn: 91, "Joyful, Joyful"

# Announcements–Feb. 1, 2022

Combined groups today: Peggy's group w/ Ashley's group in C110

Feb. 3: Women's Equipping Forum: Sexual Issues Women Face,  
6:00–8:00pm, Youth Lounge

Feb. 10: Valentine's Sister Serve, 6:00–7:30pm  
–[2pc.org/women](https://2pc.org/women) to register for both events–

Feb. 13: Mom's Equipping Forum with the Youth Staff, 2:30pm

Feb. 16: Dad's Equipping Forum with the Youth Staff, 6:30–7:45am  
–Both Youth Staff events are in the Youth Lounge–

Movie Recommendation: Show Me the Father

# Proverbs: Introduction and Foundation

## Proverbs 1-4 (1:1-7)

I. The Author(s) and Literary Form, v. 1

II. The Purpose, v. 2-6

III. The Theme, v. 7

IV. Learning and Applying

Main Truth: Knowing the LORD and having His wisdom are central to understanding life correctly and living life well.

# Proverbs: The Book of Wisdom

## **Structure:**

### Introduction, ch. 1-9

1. Prologue, 1:1-7

2. The Foundation of Wisdom, 1:8-9:18

### Six Collections, ch. 10-31

3. The Proverbs of Solomon, 10:1-22:16

4. The Words of the Wise, 22:17-24:22

5. More Sayings of the Wise, 24:33-34

6. The Proverbs of Solomon (copied by King Hezekiah's men), 25:1-29:27

7. The Words of Agur, 30:1-33

8. The Words of King Lemuel, 31:1-9

9. Epilogue, 31:10-31

# Book of Proverbs Basics

## The Author(s) and Literary Form:

Author(s): Solomon and others

Solomon's Background: I Kings 3:5-9, 4:29-32; 11:4

Date: 900-750 BC

Genre: Wisdom Literature; anthology

Structure: see outline in your binder

The Purpose: Author's Aim: Prov. 1:1-6

The Theme: Unifying Theme Sentence: Prov. 1:7