



Arlington Church of Christ

*"The churches of Christ greet you."
Romans 16:16*

Who is the Programmer?

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"It all just happened," so they say. When confronted by the awesome designs seen the world around them the evolutionist dismisses it as something that just happened by chance. Their favorite line is "given enough time, anything might happen". But if an evolutionary change occurs by 'chance' and requires millions of years for even one to 'happen' - then how can one possibly explain the complex systems we see in even 'common' insects? If one tries to dismiss it as 'programmed into their DNA, then the question arises - who is the 'programmer'?

For example, the maggot, which can only wiggle around, somehow transforms itself into an insect with antennae, a built-in gyroscope, wings, and a system that allows it to grip and land on any surface. It can take off without a runway, fly in random patterns, and land upside down on a ceiling. To say that this is simply 'inborn' or in their genes begs the question of how it got this information in the DNA? The evolutionist has no answers, but to those with an open mind - the obvious and only possible answer is God.

Or another example, the 17 year locusts (cicadas) came out in our area in 2021. On almost exactly May 24th every 17 years, these insects come out of a waiting period some 18 inches below ground wearing a 'clear protective suit' which they must shed. After doing so, they use wings which they never used before to fly to find a mate. After mating, the females cut through the bark of a tree and deposit their eggs, then they cut the twig $\frac{3}{4}$ through. As a result, the twig dies and falls to the ground where the eggs hatch and the larva crawl into the ground to begin the cycle all over again. The adults live above ground only about 3 weeks and never see their offspring. To allow them to continue this cycle, they must avoid being eaten by birds, so they are able to emit an unbearable noise which measures up to 100 decibels (a subway train screeching to a stop) some 60 feet away. This is loud enough to damage eardrums and drives away their predators. But how could this have evolved in just one cycle? If it did not all happen at once, if it occurred in small steps as proposed, those partially evolved one would have been eaten, never able to pass on changes to their offspring. You see, evolution doesn't make sense scientifically when compared to the facts. But the presence of a creator who is all powerful, has a master plan for all things, and is able to put in place the DNA code from the beginning - this is the only logical answer and the one given in Bible.

Revelation 4:11 "You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being."

Sunday Bible Classes.....9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship.....10:30 a.m.*

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Wednesday Class.....7:00 p.m.

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Who was the king that allowed the Jews to return home after the Babylonian captivity?

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER LIST

Joe McCollum — undergoing
radiation and chemo treatments for
esophageal cancer

*See the caring cards list in the lobby

*"The effective prayer of a righteous
man can accomplish much."
James 5:16*



BIRTHDAYS

6/16 Kim Roark
6/19 Terry Roberts
6/24 Holly Terlau
6/28 Nancy Frith
6/29 Nathan Bauer
7/5 Manuel Montesclaros
7/10 Wrajean Nauman

*"For where two or three have
gathered together in My name,
I am there in their midst."*
Matt 18:20

UPCOMING EVENTS

6/22 Fellowship Dinner after morning worship
7/06 Sack Sunday (bring donations for the pantry)
7/11 Ladies' Class noon at the building

ANNIVERSARIES

7/26 Joe & Doris McCollum
7/28 Rob & Holly Terlau

MEN TO SERVE	6/15		6/22	
	AM	PM	AM	PM
Announcements	Jeff McCollum	John Bauer	Jeff McCollum	John Bauer
Song Leader	Jeff McCollum	John Bauer	Jeff McCollum	John Bauer
Lesson	Joe McCollum	Joe McCollum	Joe McCollum	Joe McCollum
Opening Prayer	Jeff Nauman	John Bauer	John Bauer	Michael Menard
Lord's Table	Michael Menard	Michael Menard	Ron Hartman	Ron Hartman
Lord's Table Assist	Matt Williams	—	Del Picket	—
Closing Prayer	Ron Hartman	Joe McCollum	Ron Hartman	Joe McCollum
Greeters	Joe & Doris McCollum		John & Terri Bauer	
Wednesday Devotional	(6/18) John Bauer		(6/25) Jeff McCollum	
Wednesday Song Leader	(6/18) Jeff McCollum		(6/25) Michael Menard	

SCRIPTURE READING

TRIVIA ANSWER

PANTRY NEEDS

	AM	PM
June 15	Ezra 9, 10	Acts 1
June 16	Neh. 1-3	Acts 2:1-13
June 17	Neh. 4-6	Acts 2:14-47
June 18	Neh. 7, 8	Acts 3
June 19	Neh. 9-11	Acts 4:1-22
June 20	Neh. 12, 13	Acts 4:23-47
June 21	Esth. 1-3	Acts 5:1-16

*"Blessed are those who hear the
word of God and keep it!"*
Luke 11:28

Over the counter medicines/aspirin
Canned meats— fish, chicken & SPAM
Canned Veggies— all kinds
Boxed Potatoes
Peanut butter and Jelly
Breakfast Cereal
Fruit Juice— apple, grape, pineapple, etc.
Small- Flour and Sugar
Laundry detergent
Face soap & Shampoo
Toilet Tissue & Paper Towels