Sharing Cur Faith

I'm away today, feasting on spiritual food at Polishing the Pulpit. I look forward to seeing you all on Wednesday as the GENESIS class resumes.

The 'HE SHALL BE CALLED' sermon series will resume September 3rd. Meanwhile, I will feature in my bulletin articles a few of the other names & titles of Jesus that will not be covered in the sermon series. Today it is FAITHFUL WITNESS.



Here are two valuable lessons: (1) we must feed our faith and starve our doubts, (2) and the best way to feed our faith is focus it on the Lord's promises. We will never face situations for which the Lord has not already given us certain promises in advance.

The way to overcome adversity is to search the Scriptures for the specific promises that relate to our need, focusing on them with mind and heart, claiming them by faith, and trusting Jesus to be as good as His Word because He is the FAITHFUL WITNESS.

This title for Jesus comes from Revelation 1:5 as Jesus shares this last message with John and His church. The entire Bible is reliable because Jesus is a credible, believable, FAITHFUL WITNESS. His Word cannot be broken. It is secure in heaven and given to us here on earth.

When I'm troubled, I open the Bible and I plunge in, asking Jesus to give me the word I need for the moment and so often, He does exactly that! It's remarkable, how a verse, a phrase, a cross-reference, or a sentence, after meditating on it, can bring hope and peace. Instead of allowing my mind to obsess about my problems, I'm learning to focus it on the Lord and on His promise to be my FAITHFUL WITNESS.

Finally, He will be our FAITHFUL WITNESS to confess us as His own on that great Judgement Day (Matthew 10:32-33).

~ *Michael Cox* 501/545.1525• preachermichaelcox@gmail.com

10:15 AM Order of Worship

Welcome/Prayer.....Matt McKee Song Leader.....Nathan Bonde

Prayer......Willie Butler

Scripture Reading/Prayer Tim Wiemer / Corben Nickolson COMMUNION

Scripture Reading	Gaige Bernard
Sermon	Luke Hall

Prayer......Alan Dishongh

B=Brown Book # R=Red Book # SC=Screen

6:00 PM Order of Worship

Welcome/Prayer.....Matt McKee Song Leader.....Nathan Bonde

Prayer.....John Tolleson

Scripture Reading/Prayer Tim Wiemer / Corben Nickolson COMMUNION

Scripture Reading......Gaige Bernard Sermon.....Luke Hall

Prayer.....Alan Dishongh

AUGUST ELDER / DEACON: ALAN DISHONGH / DREW HUDGENS

BAPTISMAL ASSISTANTS: Pam Shelton & Malissa Schuler

Children's 9:00 AM BIBLE CLASSES:

9th - 12th – MPB Billy Hayes / Tim Wiemer

> 7th/8th -room#113 Mark Livingston

5th/6th - room#115 Danny Griffith

1st -4th -room#114 Heather Anderson

Kindergarten –room#108 Christie Landrum

PreK 3-4 yrs. -room#107 Kate Hudgens

2 yrs. -room#105 Lynn Dishongh

3-18 months. -room#106 Martha Dean

Adult's 9:00 AM BIBLE CLASSES:

Adult class - Auditorium "GENESIS: New Beginnings" -Michael Cox

> Adult class - Room#112/Library "First Principles" -Carl Johnson

Adult Class –Room#118"
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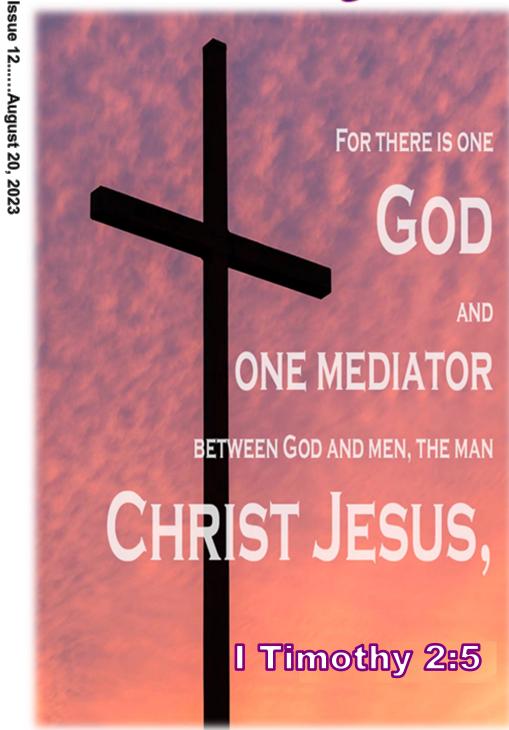


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ı	PM Worship140
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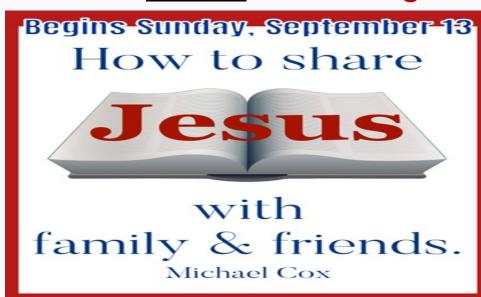
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A study of the book of James Beginning September '23 With Billy Hayes in the auditorium



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BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE: facebook.com/airportroad

Every morning @7AM, Monday-Saturday - 'Fundamentals of the Faith -an online Bible study with Michael Cox **Every evening @9PM, Monday-Saturday** - 'Bible

Investigation' -an online Bible study with Michael Cox

AUGUST 16-24

POLISHING THE PULPIT -PTP

 Sevierville, TN

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22

• Tuesday Ladies' Visitation • 11:30am • MPB • Bring your lunch!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

◆ Tuesday Ladies' Visitation • 11:30am • MPB • Bring your lunch!

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

◆ Tuesday Ladies' September Birthday Lunch ●11:30am

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

• Ladies' Digging Deep Bible Study ● 6pm ● MPB ● Bring Snacks!

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

Tuesday Ladies' "Threads of Compassion" ●10:30am●MPB
 Bring your lunch!

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

Janice Archer
Pauline Crenshaw
Ola Freibolt
Louise Honeycutt
Tina Jeffcoat
Alvena Jones
Walton Kyle
Carla March
Zandra Mendenhall
Mark Myers
Glenda Pannell
Karen Pate
Leslie Pate
Wes/Sue Poole
Stuart Reeves
Carolyn Scott
Freddie Sharpe
Paul Wallace
Ken/Donna Wedsted

- Cooley, Kristyn –Surgery 8/14 went well –will continue recovery at her mother's house
- Jones, Alvena –Neuro block on 7/24
 @the Pain Treatment Ctr worked for 5
 days, headaches returned –follow up on 8/9
- Parker, Charles & Virginia are both doing much better, Virginia was released from the hospital on Sunday, 8/13
- Pendleberry, David –Hip. Surgery 8/11, now at VA Rehab. In North Little Rock
- Wunderlin, Mike –Home with covid doing well with medication

FAMILY/FRIENDS BATTLING CANCER

June Beach

Don Berry

Robin Dahlman

Linda Estes

Jenna Griffith

Karen Haywood

Linda Herrington

Phyllis Madlen

Nevaeh Newcomer

Steve Rynder

Gary Taylor

Jane Taylor

Delorious Tolleson

 Robinson, Mitzi (Heath Larner's sis)Has metastatic breast cancer that has spread to her lungs, lymph nodes & liver

SHUT-INS

Mike/Shirley Baka • Norman/Joyce Bonde Henry Cook • Bill Crow • LaVonne Depew Marcelle Green • Charlie Pate David Pendleberry

ALL MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

- * Bernard, Heidi -GCSO/Investigator
- * Crow, Jake, (Army) Fort Sill, OK
- * Pianalto, Nick (Navy) Japan
- * Schuler, Tommy (Army) Fort Jackson, SC
- * Schuler, Tracy (Navy)
- * Spellings, Randy (Army Nat'l Guard)
 Jackson, TN
- * Vincent, Tyler (VF) Garland County
- Wethington, "A.J" Anthony (AF)
 Whitman AFB, MO
- * Wells, Andrew GCPD/HSPD

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Ben Beach David Blagg Lori Blagg
Kalli Brashears Gerry Brown Alan Cook
Paula Crippen Johnny Jay Davis Tina Hill
Kim James Kenneth Johnston
Beth McCollum Adam McKee Sam Palmer
Gaylon Ross Lee Ratcliff Barbara Sanders
Judy Straut Gladys Taylor Larry
Taylor Trent Trooth Sally Vitale Kay Ward
Kim Weatherford Michael Wedsted
Herbert White

- Hilton, Steve (H.Cook's friend) Has been given 3-6 weeks to live
- ♦ Ramos Family (Pianalto) Prayers
- Rubier, Michelle (S.Brooks' friend)
 Severe back pain
- Rutherford, Don (R. Rutherford's brother)
 Trying to meet criteria for heart pump & heart transplant-may take several months
- John (G. Pannell's brother) Heart attack 8/6, open heart surgery 8/11 all went well, doing great

MISSIONS (Matthew 28:18-20)

- ⇒ Kakinada, India-Ronnie Gootam
- ⇒ Nigeria -Chad Wagner
- ⇒ Pacific Islands -Randy English