SUNDAY: BIBLE CLASSES @9:00 AM; WORSHIP @10:15 AM; WORSHIP @6:00 PM; WEDNESDAY: BIBLE CLASSES @7:00 PM

ONLINE CLASSES FOUND ON:

facebook.com/airportroad & D YouTube

- ► 2-Minutes for Encouragement @7AM Daily;
- ► 2-Minutes to a Better Family Life @7:07AM Daily;
- ► Bible Investigation @9PM Week Nights;
- ► MATTHEW: The Arrival of the King on Sat. @9AM
- ► PHILIPPIANS: Rejoice on Wed. @9AM

Last week I wrote about SALT. While I'm not currently preaching about the QUESTIONS JESUS WANTS TO ASK YOU & ME, the questions Jesus asked still probes my mind. Like the one Jesus asked in Matthew 5:13 "You are the salt of the earth; BUT IF THE SALT LOSES ITS FLAVOR, HOW SHALL IT BE SEASONED?"



This passage challenges you and me to stand out in a bland world. Food without the necessary salt is bland. Just ask me as I am on a low salt diet. Jesus is calling you and me to enhance the world God has placed us in.

Did you notice that Jesus said salt can lose its flavor. Think for a moment about how you and I can lose our distinctiveness: We can walk away from the uniqueness that God calls us to be. We can leave His commands and follow after man's commands. We can become more like the world, thus losing our saltiness.

Remember, God designed you and me with specific strengths and talents to bring His light into our community. Live life with a purpose! Every day presents opportunities for you to leave a positive mark about the Lord's church with someone you encounter. Don't miss those opportunities!

Please join me every Sunday night @9 for SUNDAY NIGHTS WITH MICHAEL as I answer some of the TOUGH QUESTIONS that have been posed to me during these past 48-years. This evening the question is: "Why do you take the Lord's Supper every Sunday? Isn't your weekly observance causing a very special part of worship to become commonplace?"

Also, don't forget our new classes on the books of Matthew (Saturday morning) and Philippians (Wednesday morning) as well as our ongoing 2-minute classes on encouragement and family life plus BIBLE INVESTIGATION.

The study guides for MATTHEW & PHILIPPIANS are located by the fake palm tree in the rear of the auditorium or you can have them emailed to you each week.

Now, as I close out all my online Bible classes, it is our hope, it is our wish, it is our prayer that we all live for Jesus 24/7...may God bless YOU!

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

10:15 AM Order of Worship

Welcome/Prayer.....Mark Livingston Song Leader.....Nathan Bonde

R#991 -"This is My Father's World" R#957 -"This World Is Not My Home"

Prayer.....Luke Fader

R#376 - "He Paid a Debt"

COMMUNION

Scripture Reading & Prayer Tim Togami / Willie Butler

R#129 - "Amazing Grace"

Scripture Reading.....James Bonde Sermon....Josh Romo

"What the Church Looked Like -Perseverance"
II Corinthians 4.7-12

R#909 -"There's a Fountain Free" B#387 - "Lead Me to Some Soul Today"

Prayer......Danny Griffith

B=Brown Book ☐ R=Red Book ☐ SC=Screen

6:00 PM Order of Worship

Welcome/Prayer......Mark Livingston
Song Leader.....Xander Collier

R#611 -"Heavenly Sunlight" R#578 - "We Will Glorify"

Prayer.....Bill Brannon

R#382 - "Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?"

COMMUNION

Scripture Reading & Prayer Tim Togami / Willie Butler

R#924 -"Just As J Am"

Scripture Reading....James Bonde Sermon....Josh Romo

"God's Purpose in Joseph Genesis 45.3-8

R#902 -"Nothing But the Blood" B#387 -"Lead Me to Some Soul Today"

Prayer......Danny Griffith

<u>AUGUST ELDERS / DEACONS</u> DANNY GRIFFITH / LESSEL COLLIER

BAPTISMAL ASSISTANTS: Pam Shelton & Pennie Garner

Adult Bible Classes 9AM:

Auditorium
Michael Cox

Room#118
"History of the Church"
-Andy McCormick

Room#112/Library
"First Principles"
-Danny Griffith

MPB-Downstairs
Young Professionals
- Tim Togami

Children's 9AM BIBLE CLASSES:

9th - 12th - MPB Josh Romo

5th -8th -room#113 Lessel Collier

1st -4th -room#114 Heather Anderson

3yrs -K -room#107 Lynn Dishongh & Kerry McCormick

1-2 yrs -room#105
Barbara Wells &
Autumn Wells

3-18 months -room#106 Martha Dean

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10:15 AM Worship
Wednesday Bible Class102
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August 31,

church of Christ Welcomes you!

For Christ did not send me to baptize, but to preach the gospel, not with wisdom of words, lest the cross of Christ should be made of no effect.

1 Corinthians 1:17

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· SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 2026

. 10:00AM: Session 1

. 12:00 PM: Sandwiches provided in MPB
. 01:30 PM: Sessions 2 8 3

. SUNDAY, JANUARY 25, 2026

. 09:00 AM: Bible Class . **10:15** AM: Worship

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WEDNESDAY: BIBLE CLASSES @7:00 PM

Are You in the House with the Blood on it?

What do you do when it begins to storm outside? You take shelter. Friends, it is raining all around us today and there is only one shelter to take refuge in; the one and only church. Matthew 16:16 -19 reads, "And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God. And Jesus answered and said unto him, Blessed art thou

Simon Barjona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in heaven. And I say also unto thee, That thou are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it." Notice, he says church and not churches. There is only one church, no other. Ephesians 2:12-22 tells us that Jesus is the "chief corner stone," and that we are to be one in Christ. I ask you, can one stone be the foundation for more than one building at the same time?

We all know the account of the plagues on Egypt, the last of which was the death of the firstborn. Before this plague the children of Israel were told to spread blood from an unblemished lamb on the door posts of their houses. The only possible way they were spared from the plague, from death, was to be in the house with the blood on it (Exodus 12).

Likewise, we must be in the house with the blood on it today. Christ, our lamb without blemish, shed his blood for all of us. To be saved we have to be in the church. His blood is on the church, so we must be inside to escape death. Matthew 26:27-28 tells us that his blood was shed for many. Ephesians 1:7 says, "In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace" Again we see that we have to be redeemed through his blood.

The question of whether or not one is in the house with the blood on it is a very important one that we as Christians need to be asking those that are out in the world. If the answer is no, then it is our obligation to teach them how to get into that house. Let us remember that we also need to examine ourselves daily to be sure that we are still within the house ourselves. May we always strive to remain inside that house and to gather as many inside with us as we possibly can!

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TUESDAY. SEPTEMBER 2



- Tuesday Ladies' Birthday Luncheon
 - 11:30PM●MPB●All Ladies' Welcome to attend! David's Burgers~3802 CENTRAL AVE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

- LADIES' DIGGING DEEP BIBLE STUDY●6PM ●MPB
- ◆All Ladies' Welcome to attend!◆Bring a Snack!

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Tuesday Ladies' Visitation • 11:30PM • MPB • Bring a Lunch!

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

TEEN DEVO • 5:30PM • MPB

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

SENIOR GAME DAY • 1-5PM • MPB • Bring your favorite Games, Cards, Dominoes,...& Snacks!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

HOME BUILDERS @GARLAND COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS • 1-4PM • We will meet @1PM @ticket booth in Carnival Ride area. Camival Ride matinee price from 1-4PM is \$2 per ticket or \$1.50 when purchased in a sheet of 20(saving \$10). Each ride takes one ticket during this time (normally each ride takes 3-5 tickets). Please RSVP on Lightpost if you plan to attend

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

TUESDAY LADIES' VISITATION • 11:30PM • MPB • Bring a Lunch!







SYMPATHIES EXTENDED TO

- Carolyn Scott & Family, her brother, James "Wilburn" Welcher, age 91, passed away on Tuesday, August 26th
- Ron Chambers & Family, his wife, Betty Chambers passed away on Tuesday, August 26th. Memorial Service will be 10:30AM on Saturday, September 6th at Cabot church of Christ -500 N 2nd ST. CABOT. AR

MEMBERS

Pauline Crenshaw Debbie Frenzel Bob Garner Billie Gregory

Jean Kazimier

Bob Johnston Walton/Elaine Kyle●Christie Landrum Carla March • Ricky/Zandra Mendenhall Glenda Pannell

Karen Pate

Leslie Pate Stuart Reeves●Freddie Sharpe●Neva Tharp Diana Ward • Ann White • Patricia Wireman

- Cook, Henry -Home now
- Crenshaw, Pauline Recovering from broken leg -NO VISITORS PLEASE -Getting help
- Fader. Sarah -Home now
- Freibolt, Ola -Leg keeps swelling & foot keeps turning blue
- Griffith, Danny -Home now
- Grisham, Karin -Home now
- Wunderlin, Mike & Dina -Covid
- Ugbade, Debbie -Home now, after fall & surgery, long recovery ahead

BATTLING CANCER

Jennifer Baker • Gabe Barnhart • Andy Bennett Jim Blagg●Nona Barton●June Beach Sherry Daniel Sheree Gallagher Jack Haywood Pam Jackson • Alvena Jones • Sandy Land Brenda Lavender • Daryl Macon • Phyllis Madlen Eugene Pipkins • Delorious Tolleson Bettie Lou White

Ward, Kenny -Food-Train sign-up on Lightpost

SHUT-INS

Craig Archer

Mike/Shirley Baka

Henry Cook LaVonne Depew

Marcelle Green

Lorene Mount Charles/Virginia Parker • David Pendleberry Wes/Sue Poole

Pat Richens

Linda Woeppel

ALL MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

- * Crow, Jake (Army) Fort Lewis, WA
- * Schuler, Tommy (Army) Fort Johnson, LA
- Schuler, Tracy (Navy) Meridian, MS
- * Spellings, Randy (Army Nat'l Guard) Jackson, TN
- * Tombs, Levi (AF) Home now
- * Vincent, Tyler (VF) Garland County
- * Wethington, "A.J" Anthony (AF) Whitman AFB. MO
- Wells, Andrew & Madison-GCPD/HSPD

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Kim Butler

Courtland Palmer

Breanna Dishongh Jenna Duvall Paula Crippen Cindy Cunningham Becky McCombs • Matthew Qualls Rhonda Rivers • Don Rutherford • Barbara Sickels John Smith●Judy Straut●Bob Troutman Harrel Walters

Kay Ward

 Bradford, Stephanie, & her mother, Marjorie Home was destroyed during 8/19 storm. Marjorie has a badly twisted ankle, otherwise okay. (They are close friends of Martha Dean & members of the N. Main church in Malvern Stephanie is also a member of the 70 W 'Digging Deep' group)

MISSIONS (Matthew 28:18-20)

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