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*"Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter:
Fear God, and keep his commandments:
for this is the whole duty of man."-Ecclesiastes 12:13*

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June 3-6 "God's Prescription for the Time-Starved, Burned Out, Over-worked 21 Century Christian!"

Welcome To Our 2018 Gospel Meeting!



with guest speaker:
Dr. Bill Davis,
elder at the
Arlington Road
church of Christ,
in Jacksonville,
Florida, & an editor
of 'Think' Magazine.

9:30 am - Sunday AM Bible Class:
"God's Prescription for Worry"
10:30 am - AM Sermon:
"God's Prescription for Busyness"
5:00 pm - PM Sermon:
"God's Prescription for Damaged Emotions"

6/3 **Monday - 7:00 PM:**
"God's Prescription for the Stress of Dark Valleys"

6/4 **Tuesday - 7:00 PM:**
"God's Prescription for the Stress of Indecision"

6/5 **Wednesday - 7:00 PM:**
"God's Prescription for the Fear of the Future"

2018 | Gospel Meeting

Please turn off or silence your phone devices-thank you!

SAVE the DATES! for **WBS** July 22-25!



Shepherds Notes
By Boyce Edwards

WHERE HAVE THEY GONE?

My question has to do with the men and women of integrity in the world. It seems to me they are disappearing like the buffalo nickel!

Of the word integrity, William Wilson says, “wholeness, entireness; integrity of mind, uprightness, innocence; put for that simplicity which is remote from mischief or ill design: Gen. 20:5, marg. ‘or, simplicity, or, sincerity,’ I Kings 9:4; Ps. 7:8; 25:21; 26:1,11; 41:12; 78:72; Pro. 19:1; 20:7”-Old Testament Word Studies, William Wilson, page 230.

Let’s take a look at a couple of biblical texts dealing with the subject of integrity.

1. “Said he not unto me, She is my sister? And she, even herself said, He is my brother: in the integrity of my heart and innocency of my hands have I done this”-Genesis 20:5. This is the defensive, urgent, and sincere appeal king Abimelech made to God after he had taken Sara to be his wife. Because of the lie told by both Abraham and Sarah, Abimelech thought he was right in doing this. God acknowledged the king’s integrity-verse 6. The point of emphasis here is that king Abimelech was the kind of man who wanted to do right things, and because of his fear of the Lord, he obeyed God in restoring Sara to Abraham! King Abimelech’s integrity is still shining for all the world to see today!

2. King David said, “But as for me, I will walk in mine integrity: redeem me, and be merciful unto me”-Psalm 26:11. Some of the context here will help us to more fully understand the meaning of the word integrity. David started the chapter by saying that he walked in his integrity and trusted in the Lord-v. 1. He was aware of God’s lovingkindness and walked in His truth-v. 3. King David did not fellowship with wicked people and lived an innocent life-vs. 4-6. He was thankful and told others about God’s wonderful works- v. 7. David was also one who loved God’s house and the place where His honor dwelt-v. 8. And in the verse we began with, we learn that David pled for God’s redemption and mercy-v. 11. David’s teaching rises to a great climax in verse 12 where he sees himself as one who stands on “level ground,” and he will heap blessings upon God in the congregations of God’s people!

All people perhaps need to be reminded of the fact

that David wears a title that no one else ever wore, and the title was given by God Himself. God called him, “A man after mine own heart”-I Samuel 13:14 & Acts 13:22. After David committed the two cardinal sins of adultery and murder, God forgave him because he had a broken and contrite heart-see II Samuel 12:13; Psalm 51:17. Men and women of integrity are those who, after they have sinned even great sins will beg for God’s mercy and forgiveness! May God give us more men and women of integrity! God bless, Boyce.

Speakers & Sermon Dates:

***Dan Carter**

Graduate, Brown Trail School of Preaching

• June 10th & 24th

• July 1st, 8th

• August 12th, 19th

***Al Washington**

Graduate, South West School of Bible Studies

• June 17th

• July 15th, 22nd

• August 5th, 26th

***Boyce Edwards**

Graduate Sunset School of Preaching (SSOP)

• July 29th

• September 30th



Old Testament Study
(In Chronological Order)

Day 7 - Job 14-16

Day 8 - Job 17-20

Day 9 - Job 21-23

Day 10 - Job 24-28

Day 11 - Job 29-31

Day 12 - Job 32-34

Day 13 - Job 35-37

Day 14 - Job 38-39

Day 15 - Job 40-42

Day 16 - Genesis 12-15

Day 17 - Genesis 16-18

Day 18 - Genesis 19-21

Day 19 - Genesis 22-24

**If you would like to join the forum to ask questions, share insights, or to receive encouragement, please see Gaylen or Nichole Williams.*

From the Desk of Dan Carter

SAYING GOODBYE

One of the hardest things to do is to say goodbye. Even when we know that we will meet again, it is still hard to let go.

As of late, we have lost many loved ones. We have faith, and understand, that we will be together again, yet, it hurts.

I recall when just twelve years of age, I said goodbye to my granddad Carter. I cried and cried. I was so close to him that it was just about all I could do to keep on living. I dreamed of him over and over. I remembered all the good times and the way he cared for me. It was a great shock. In fact, it is still hard to talk about it. That has been a long time ago.

Since the passing of granddad, I have lost many others, including brothers, parents, wife, and dear ones in many places. I don't think I could ever get used to saying goodbye.

Recently, John, my eldest son, took a job in New Mexico. It is over eight hours away. I just hurt so bad that it is hard to describe. I know, I will see him and the family again; I know, he has not passed away; but still, it hurts. We are so very close. I will cherish all the memories of laughter and tears. I will remember how often we enjoyed fishing and golfing. I will miss those times.

Saying goodbye is difficult. To those of you, and, it is everyone who suffers from this emotion, as do I, just remember this: We Are On Our Way To A Place Where We Will Never Say Goodbye Again!

Heaven will be a grand place. Want it be wonderful over there? Think of all the loved ones. Think, also, of all the ones we will get to meet and enjoy like: Abraham, Moses, Sarah, Mary, Peter, Paul, and James. But, the grandest of all, we will get to see our Savior. We will get to laugh and talk with our Lord. We will never grow old. We will never say goodbye!

Now, to keep this from being melancholy, let me brighten our thoughts! In our assemblies, when we meet and sing those beautiful songs, when we pray together, and when we hug each other, isn't that a taste of Glory Divine? Often I think of my brothers and sisters who have gone on. We have so many wonderful things to talk about when we get together over there. We will laugh and cherish every good memory. The bad things will pass away. It will be a new day! A glorious day! A blessed day!

Look forward to that grand reunion! Get ready and remain ready for that day!

THOSE TO SERVE THE WEEK OF JUNE 3, 2018:

PARKING LOT DUTY: TONY SHELTON

HALL MONITOR: ROGER DEEM

AUDIO/VIDEO SYSTEMS FOR JUNE:
JACOB BRYANT

ANNOUNCEMENTS: TREVOR HEILMAN

SONG DIRECTOR: GAYLEN WILLIAMS

COMMUNION:
(NORTH) BOYCE EDWARDS, BRUCE BROWN
CHARLES CULVER, ANTUWAN PERRY

(SOUTH) ZACK PETTIES, ANDRE PETTAWAY
GRAHAM TUCKER, PATRICK SELLERS

SCRIPTURE READING: DENNIS MARLER

PICK UP CARDS: RANGER SANDERS
BO & COOPER BRYANT

PRAYERS:
(A.M.) LEE FISHER, AL WILSON
(P.M.) BOYCE EDWARDS, DENNIS MARLER

NURSERY ATTENDANTS (A.M.):
ANGELA & DERICA THOMAS

EVENING SONG DIRECTOR:
REGGIE BASS

EVENING COMMUNION:
ZACK PETTIES & ROGER DEEM

WEDNESDAY SONG LEADER: REGGIE BASS

WEDNESDAY PRAYER:
DERREL HEGINBOTHAM

PREPARE COMMUNION FOR JUNE:
VICTORIA POLANCO

NEWS FROM THE PEWS

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

BIBLE CLASSES -9:30 A.M.

WORSHIP-10:30 A.M.

EVENING WORSHIP-5:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

Classes/Worship-7:00 P.M.

BIBLE STUDIES AND COUNSELING OFFERED

- ⇒ Bible Studies With One Of Our Preachers Or Elders
- ⇒ Free Bible Correspondence
- ⇒ Free Marriage And Family Counseling

To our visitors—Thanks for being with us today, and please come again!

Our mission is to share the Good News of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ with our neighbors for their soul's salvation.

****Our speaker for today is Dr. Bill Davis.***

Please fill out an Attendance Card and pass it to the inner aisle so we may have a record of your attendance.

THANK YOU!

OUR SICK: Lois Brown continues to have arthritis pain. Please keep her in your prayers.

CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK & HOMEBOUND: Dora Ray Chanslor, Diedre Jones' mother, Alice Allison, Garnie & Nada Miller, Mildred Butlar, Shawn Forkey, Betty Garnett's daughter in law (Jessica Garnett), Donna Hines's friend's granddaughter (Kylie Pruitt), Jodi Culp's mother and her husband, Trudy Perrault's granddaughter (Lieda), her granddaughter's husband, great grandson (Jesse), & her daughters (Trudy & Carol), Linda Moore's brother (Carl Britton), James & Tammy Garner & family members (Christel Alcozer & Mary Simmons), Connie Cruz and her friends (Jane Rubio, Juanita Cardenas & Yolanda Perez) & Rey & Connie's family here & in Puerto Rico, Willard Dunn, Linda Walts, Tina Pallo, Jim Dukes, Scott Davis, David Shilling, Brenda Sellers' mother, stepmother, nephew (Matthew), & her sister (Jesse), Al & Gayle Wilson's sister-in-law (Regina Farmer), Alice Saffor, John Llewellyn's sister (Janet Schleyer), Nelda Cox, Sybil Cason, Jonathan Simmons Sr., Janet Simmons, Jonathan Simmons Jr., Gail Mende's son (Eric), Shirl Foster, and Amanda Petties' nephew. Please keep these members and loved ones in your prayers as they battle health problems.

VISITATION TEAMS:

Visitation Team #4 will meet with their leader, Derrel Heginbotham, today, to get their visitation assignments. Team members are: Derrel & Carla Heginbotham, Lee & Natalie Fisher, Roger & Linda Deem, Dan Carter, Angela Thomas, and Martha Bell.

FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK LUNCHEON:

Join us for our monthly Fellowship Potluck Luncheon today following the morning service in the Fellowship Hall.

KITCHEN GROUP #6 will have kitchen duties.

JUNE

3-Fellowship Luncheon following the morning services. (Kitchen Group #6)


3-6-Summer Gospel Meeting with Dr. Bill Davis.

10-Sunny Glen Children's Home Drive will begin. We will be collecting trash bags & refried beans.

30-Independence Day Fellowship at the Nolanville Campgrounds.

JULY

4-Office will be closed in observance of Independence Day.


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WOW! 29 PAIRS!



Thank you for your eyeglass donations! This is an ongoing project to help children who can not afford prescription eyewear. If you would like to donate prescription eyeglasses, there is a green box in the foyer to place them. For any questions, please see Derrel Heginbotham or Reggie Bass.