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Sunday Morning Bible Study @ 9:30AM

A new study from the book of Job

Sunday Morning Worship Service @ 10:30AM

Men please meet @ 10:20AM before services!

Sunday Spanish Services @ 1:30PM.

Sunday Evening YouTube Service @ 6:00PM

Monday Dinner & Bible Study @ the Seim's

Studying a book, "The Heart of David."

Wednesday Night Zoom Bible study @ 7:00PM

This weeks study Lesson 20 "1 Thessalonians 5:1-11".

GBN Link: Beginning Bible Studies Online

FROM THE BACK PEW!

*HOW ARE YOU GOING TO WIN... IF YOU ARE NOT RIGHT WITHIN!
WITHOUT SPIRITUAL Growth ... NUMERICAL GROWTH WON'T HAPPEN!*

GHOSTED!

In the modern-day vernacular which means the language or dialect spoken by the ordinary people in a particular country or region.

Now that you understand where I am coming from, let me apply it to church members.

Brother or Sister So and So says they are Christians, and they profess they do all that **GOD** says for them to do with some hiccups on a daily basis but ask **GOD** for forgiveness.

1. They call who they want
2. They return a call (sometimes)
3. They see the number on their phone and ignore it
4. Then there are the ones who say they will return the call... hmmm!
5. They don't call at all. These are the people who have decided they don't want to be around you or speak to you at all. The sad thing is that they go one step further and either not speak to you at worship services or they don't show up to avoid you all together.

THIS DOESN'T APPLY TO EVERYONE!!!

Which category do you fall into? (rhetorical question). I give **MARK** his flowers now, he makes calls to people periodically and it's very much appreciated by me. **WE ALL** need to do better. A text, card, or call because there will come a day when any of us won't be able to do it. This is including **ME!**

LOVE: 1 CORINTHIANS 13:1-3

Clear Statements of the Final Judgment



That there will be final appearance before God and a final judgment is obviously taught in the Bible. It is not that in some vague way, open to various interpretations, that somehow men might be brought into His presence. The Scriptures are filled with clear statements which leave no doubt about that final judgment.

Listen to the finality of these words from heaven. “For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ” ([2 Cor 5:10](#)). “For we shall all stand before the judgment seat of Christ” ([Rom. 14:10](#)). “He has appointed a day on which He will judge the world in righteousness” ([Acts 17:31](#)). It is an eternal truth that it will happen.

In view of how sick and spiritually depraved our world has become, why has He not already come? There were those in the first century who thought He should have come and concluded that the Lord had made a promise to return and failed to keep it. In Peter’s second epistle, he writes about this and then gives the reason why He had not come in their day. It is the same reason He has not returned in our day.

There were those who looked around them and concluded that “...since the fathers fell asleep all things continue as they were” ([2 Pet. 3:4](#)). Peter said that those who were saying this had forgotten what had happened in the past. They had done it on purpose (v. 5). It is so easy to fail to see the big picture of God’s dealings with man. The apostle pointed them to the flood in Noah’s day. God’s view of that ancient world was vastly different from those who heard

Noah’s preaching. God kept His promise, and the flood came!

Why did He delay? Read God’s words about this question, and you will have a better understanding about the reason He has not come even in our day. “The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance” ([2 Pet. 3:9](#)). Think of it in these terms. There was room on the ark for many more than Noah and his family, but not one single person wanted to “purchase the ticket.”

The implication of these truths? We live in a world where it is widely believed that the world has nothing to do with a Creator but is the result of an evolutionary process. God has made us, and we live, walk and have our very existence because of Him ([Acts 17:28](#)). Why does He delay of the final judgment? Because *He is not willing that any should perish*. He waits as we try to teach those around us. He has delayed His return because He is waiting for us to tell others about sin and salvation. He is counting on us. We must not fail to be part of saving just one more soul for Him.

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SERVING TODAY

Bible Class: *Bro. Ron Clevenger*
Song Leader: *Bro. Bill Wills*
Streaming/Audio: *Russell Weems*

Worship Order

Call to Worship (Himno)
Announcements... *Bro. Russell Weems*
Opening Prayer (Oracion)... *Bro. William White*
Hymn (Himno)
Lord's Supper (Santa Cena)... *Bro. Steve Robertson*
Hymn (Himno)
Reading- 1 Corinthians 15:58; 16:13... (*Bro. Tyrone Bannister*)
Sermon- *The Kind Of People Needed In The Church (Mark S.)*
Invitational Hymn (Himno)
Closing Hymn (Himno)
Closing Prayer (Oracion)... *Bro. Javier Perez*

Congregational Notes

- *Bible Classes...* *Sunday Morning* is in a new study from the book of Job... *Monday Night* @ the Seim's is studying a book, "*The Heart of David*"... *Wednesday Night* class via ZOOM is studying the book of 1 Thessalonians.
- *Suggestion Box...* There is a small box for suggestions located on the front table. Leave a note on a card with suggestions or request.
- Sign-up to be a greeter.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH MINISTRY

Proverbs 22:9

Bill Wills: (609)547-9408, **Javier Perez:** (609)553-3990.

*****Next Outreach Saturday, March 22nd, 1030AM*****

Items needed for the outreach bags.

Women items: Underwear (all sizes), Feminine Hygiene products, Gloves...*Men items:* Underwear (all sizes), Gloves...*Toiletries:* Tooth brushes, Toothpaste Mouth wash Hand warmers...*Food items:* **Tuna packets, Granola bars, Breakfast bars, Cracker packets.**

FOOD NEEDED FOR THE PANTRY!

1 Timothy 5:8; 2 Corinthians 9:7

*****Spaghetti and sauce*****

Money donations are gladly accepted to help purchase food to stock the pantry!

Oatmeal (Regular or Instant), Box Cereals, Grits (Regular or Instant), Tuna Fish (In the packets), Beans/Peas (Dry good bags), Mash Potatoes (Box/packets), Corn Meal, Flour, Cooking oil, Pasta, Sauce, Sardines, Peanut Butter & Jelly, Mac & Cheese, Soups, Canned fruits.

PRAYER REQUEST

- *Ginny Hesser* is currently in Royal Suites on Jimmie Leeds Rd. in Galloway. Twp. A visit would be nice.
- *Jose Morillo* recovery from surgery.
- *Melida* is & steadily improving from her stroke.
- *Debbie Shurig*, continue praying for her health.
- *Deb R. Richardson*, continue praying for her health.
- *Teri Clevenger*, dealing with chronic back pain.
- *Natalie Weems*, continuing health issues.
- *Virginia Hesser*, health.
- *Tim Height*, health.
- *Elsie Thompson*, suffering from dementia.
- **FRIENDS & RELATIVES**
- *Ruth Stevens*, issues with her foot.
- *George Mathis*, is doing better with health issues, friend of the Will's & Christensen's.
- *Tamara Shurig* request prayers for friends Chuck & Nutan, for good health and love through prayers.
- *Tito Montalvo* (Deb Shurig's brother) needs prayers for health and good judgment in his life.
- Prayers for Dalene White's mom Joanie who is on hospice.
- *Damaris' nephew* in the Dominican Republic has been missing months now. Pray for their family.
- *Rhina* who visits the Spanish service, is suffering from various diseases and is in a lot of pain.
- Ron's co-worker (*Jerry Mauger*) son-in-law has colon cancer and is receiving treatments.
- *Gary Smalls*, (Ruth Stevens Son-in-law) is home. *Michelle* (Ruth's daughter) is undergoing dialysis 3x a week.
- From the Weems; *Charlotte Dorsey*- health issues and cancer treatment,...*Paul Huber (step-dad)*- health issues... *Gina Palmer*- lung cancer... *Toni Lynn Charlesworth*- for spiritual strength as she & her family deal with her cancer & care...*Susan Blackwell*- personal issues.
- *Mrs. Holland*, music teacher at Pilgrim Academy, pancreatic cancer is doing better, continue to pray for complete healing.
- *Rob Mar* (Linda's Meredith's cousin), Barbara Keenan (Linda's sister) *Ryan Keenan* (Linda's nephew) for spiritual strength & health, *Jack Keenan* (Linda's B.I.L.) suffering from cancer.

What Jesus DID for YOU ...and why

He created you
(John 1:3; Col. 1:16)

He came to this earth for you
(Phil. 2:6; John 1:14)

He died on the cross for you
(Rom. 5:8; Gal. 2:20)

He shed His blood for you
(Eph. 1:7; Heb. 9:12)

He was raised from the dead for you
(1 Cor. 15:1-26; Rom. 8:34)

Because...

He loves you
(Eph. 5:2; 1 John 3:16)

He wants to save you
(Matt. 20:28; Tit. 2:14)

He wants to take you to heaven
(John 14:1-3; 1 Thess. 4:17)



What Jesus EXPECTS of YOU ...and why

Learn and know the truth (Rom. 10:17; John 8:32)

Obey the will of God (Matt. 7:21; John 14:15; Heb. 5:8-9)

Believe Jesus is God's Son (John 1:12; 3:16; 20:30-31)

Repent (turn) from your sins (Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30)

Confess your faith in Jesus (Matt. 10:32; Rom. 10:9-10)

Be immersed into Christ (Acts 2:38; 22:16; Gal. 3:27)

Live faithfully and serve Him (Rev. 2:10; 1 Cor. 15:58)

So that...

You can prove your love for Him (John 14:15; 1 John 5:2-3)

You can be saved from your sins (Acts 2:38; 1 John 1:7)

You can go to heaven (Matt. 7:21; Heb. 5:8-9)



THE KIND OF PEOPLE NEEDED IN THE CHURCH

1 Corinthians 15:58; 16:13

Introduction This morning we will see that the church needs to be made up of good people. We will examine how and why they are needed.

I. People who are righteous before God

- (A) Like Noah (Gen.7:1; 2 Pet.2:5)
- (B) A righteous person does righteousness (1 Jn.3:7)
- (C) Eternal life is in store for the righteous (Matt.25:46)

II. People who are good family members

- (A) Fathers who act like fathers like Abraham
 - (1) Gen.18:19
- (B) Mothers who act like mothers (1 Tim.1:5)
- (C) Children who act like children
 - (1) Eph.6:1-3
- (D) A must for an elder (1 Tim.3:4-5, 12)

III. People who are uncompromising

- (A) Like Moses (Ex.10:24-26)
- (B) We cannot afford to compromise with error
 - (1) Gal.2:4-5

IV. People who choose to serve the Lord

- (A) Like Joshua (Josh.24:15)
- (B) The church needs people like this today
 - (1) Rom.12:10-11
 - (2) Psa.100:2

V. People who are mighty in the Scriptures

- (A) Like Apollos
 - (1) Acts 18:24, 28
- (B) The only way to become spiritually strong is by searching the Scriptures
 - (1) Jn.5:39
 - (2) Acts 17:11

Conclusion Today's church is in need of folks who are ready to step up and serve the Lord, just as Jesus came into the world to serve, and not be served. In being Christ-like, we must be those servants.

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