



# CAC's Bulletin for Sunday, June 21, 2009

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Last Sunday AM	Sunday PM	Wednesday
<p>Elder Charles Hoskins taught “The Weapon of Prayer is the Weapon of Attack” using Daniel 6:1-10. King Darius signed a decree stating that anyone who would pray would be cast into a lion’s den. Daniel knew about this decree but it did not stop him from praying. He still prayed three times a day. Prayer is the weapon of attack. We must put on the whole armour of God. Two of the weapons that God gives us are to be on the offense against Satan. They are: the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God, and prayer. We are in a battle against Satan and other spirits of this world. God wants us to use offensive weapons. With the sword of the Spirit we can conquer the enemy. Victory is ours. Prayer is the most powerful weapon God gave us. There are no limitations to prayer. With prayer we can pull down Satan’s strongholds, break his fortresses, and make his kingdom crumble. Pray morning, noon, and night. Pray always. Pray without ceasing.</p>	<p>Pastor Joseph taught “Is There Not A Cause?” using I Samuel 17:4-32. The message of the giant, Goliath, is symbolic of the world’s call: “Send me a man; give me a man.” The message from God sounds the same: “Who will go? Whom shall I send?” God’s call is <i>give me a man</i> and the enemy’s call is <i>give me a man</i>. A same-sounding message from two opposite sources may seem confusing, until we consider them carefully. Goliath (and the world and the devil) only want a man so they can destroy him. But God wants a man so that He can build him up and then use him to bless others. Jesus said, “The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly” (John 10:10). The world tries to offer power, riches, status, pleasure, etc, to fill your soul, but only fights just to fight... <i>with no cause</i>. There’s only emptiness until one serves God. <i>What is your cause in life?</i> We are to serve God and others!</p>	<p>Pastor Joseph taught “Relationships, Part 5: Communication.” The foundation of all relationships is communication. In order to have a relationship with others a person must love himself. God is a communicating God. He communed with Adam and Eve (Gen. 3:8). We can be the friends of God (John 15:15). The principles for good communication are (A) trust; (B) honesty; (C) openness; (D) kindness – speak the truth in love; (E) time &amp; opportunity – schedule time without distraction; (F) listening – not just talking; (G) understanding typical differences between men and women; and (H) rules for “fighting” fair: Be angry and sin not. Be rational. Don’t yell, scream or use harsh language. Don’t use physical violence. Attack the problem, not the person. Don’t “fight” in front of others. Don’t humiliate. Think before you speak. Speak from facts, not assumptions. Don’t let the sun go down on your wrath. “Kiss &amp; make up” (Eph. 4:26). Pray together.</p>

Birthdays & Anniversaries		Submit yours to us today!
Natural Birthdays	Spiritual Birthdays	Anniversaries
<i>Bro. Mark McClain (6/22)</i> <i>Bro. Johnathan Sutton (6/24)</i> <i>Sis. LaDonna Joseph (6/26)</i> <i>Bro. Eric McClain (6/27)</i>	<i>Sis. Jenni Claypool (6/21/1996)</i> <i>Sis. Madison Colombo (6/24/2007)</i> <i>Sis. Kiana Devericks (6/10/2007)</i> <i>Sis. Felicia Sandy (6/12/2002)</i> <i>Bro. Shane Wilhelm (6/17/2004)</i> <i>Sis. Becky Moore (6/26/2005)</i>	<i>None to be announced.</i>

Fun!	Kiddie Corner	Fathers in the Bible
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Announcements / Events / Ministry Opportunities				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CAC’s radio broadcast, <b>Voice of Truth, on WAJR 103.3 FM</b>, can be heard twice on Sundays, at 11:30am and 11pm. <b>Today: Creation Seminar Coming!</b></li> <li>• <b>Bring old clothes, whether worn out or still good</b>, and help “Bulk the Baler.”</li> <li>• Every Wed. at 5:30pm – <b>Sign Language Practice.</b></li> <li>• June 23-July 5 – <b>CAC’s Firework’s Tents at Sam’s Club &amp; Meadowbrook Mall.</b> Please sign up for as many shifts as you can to help staff the tent. Below are all <b>four of the set-up days</b> for preparing the two Fireworks Tents:</li> </ul>				
<b>Prep / Set-up Days for Sam’s Club:</b>		<b>Prep / Set-up Days for the Mall:</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This Tuesday, June 23 at 10am</li> <li>• This Wednesday, June 24 at 10am</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This Thursday, June 25 at 10am</li> <li>• This Friday, June 26 at 11:15am</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sat., June 27, 7-8pm – <b>CAC Prayer Meeting</b></li> <li>• July 12-15 – <b>A Creation Seminar with Steve Grohman LIVE</b> at CAC! Sched:</li> </ul>				
Sun, July 12	Sun, July 12	Mon, July 13	Tue, July 14	Wed, July 15
10:00 am	6:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm
<b>Each session is different! Two hours each. Don’t miss this awesome event!</b>				

**Fun!** Bible Trivia      ●●●●●○○○○ Moderate Difficulty

**Who is the first person mentioned in the Bible as weeping?  
With what did God make the first woman?**

Submit your answer to Sis Rhonda at: [news@cac.us.com](mailto:news@cac.us.com)

Note: The answer to last week's Bible Trivia question was: Eli (found in I Samuel 1:9).  
The answer to the easier question was: Joshua (found in Joshua 6:2-4).

**Foyer Service & Nursery Ministry Schedule**

Thank you!	Sunday, June 21		Wednesday, June 24	Sunday, June 28	
	AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
<b>Guardian Angels:</b>	Sis. Natoshia Ramsey	Sis. Felicia Sandy	Sis. Brittney Murphy	Bro. Jason Channel	Bro. Brandon Channel
<b>Nursery Helpers:</b>	n/a	Bro. Adam & Sis. Brandy Benedum	n/a	n/a	Bro. & Sis. Bargo

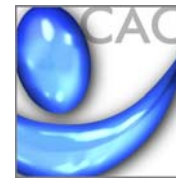
**Fun!** HUMOR      Send in your funny stories to [news@cac.us.com](mailto:news@cac.us.com)

A first-time dad was taking a turn at feeding the baby some strained peas. Naturally, there were traces of the food everywhere, especially all over the infant. His wife came in, looked at the infant, then at her husband, shook her head and asked, "What in the world are you doing?" He replied, "I'm waiting for the first coat to dry, so I can put on another."

Junior had just received his brand new driver's license. To celebrate the special day, the whole family went out to the driveway and climbed into the car for his first official drive. Dad went immediately to the back seat, right behind the newly licensed driver. Junior said to his dad, "I'll bet you are back there to get a change of scenery, right? After all these months of sitting up here, teaching me how to drive?" "Nope!" said dad, "I'm going to sit back here and kick the back of your seat as you drive, just like you've been doing to me for sixteen years!"

Special Prayer Requests	Featured Verse
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sis. Pam Harris</li> <li>Sis. Betty Murphy</li> <li>Bro. Jim Starkey</li> <li>Bro. Billy Cole</li> <li>Sis. Shirley Cole</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sis. Mary Snelson</li> <li>Sis. Mary Harris</li> <li>Sis. Kathy Scott</li> <li>Sis. Anna Epplein</li> </ul> <p>"The father of the righteous shall greatly rejoice: and he that begetteth a wise child shall have joy of him." (Proverbs 23: 24)</p>

Did we miss something? Please let Sis. Rhonda Moore know: [news@cac.us.com](mailto:news@cac.us.com)



**Christian Apostolic Church**  
Community of the Redeemed

**Honoring Natural Fathers and Gospel (Spiritual) Fathers  
On Father's Day**

"Even though you have ten thousand guardians in Christ, you do not have many fathers, for in Christ Jesus I became your father through the gospel. {16} Therefore I urge you to imitate me. {17} For this reason I am sending to you Timothy, my son whom I love, who is faithful in the Lord. He will remind you of my way of life in Christ Jesus, which agrees with what I teach everywhere in every church" (1 Corinthians 4:15-17 NIV).

Pastor Joseph writes, "Sam A Joseph, my natural Dad, who was not a Bible believer, was convinced he had not done a good job as a dad. But in my estimation, as his son, I feel that he did better than he thought. Certainly he had many flaws and made many mistakes, yet still, overall, I have essentially positive feelings toward him. If I now feel thus—even about an unbelieving dad who cursed, smoked, drank, abused verbally and at times physically, and who abandoned us, physically at first, and eventually via suicide—then all of us dads who are believers (and who struggle at times with feelings of inadequacy, of not being equal to the task) should be *encouraged*. Our children are indeed far better off with us in their lives. Our children will one day *truly* assess our respective measure. (I mean to say that we as men are prone to inaccurately assess ourselves.) *Most likely you're doing better than you think you are.*"

Pastor Joseph continues, "My spiritual dads, *Clyde Avery Self* and *William Harry Cole*, are both great men of God, although their respective greatnesses are in different areas and composed of vastly different aspects. Neither perfect, both flawed during their trek to full redemption, yet quite great nonetheless. The former is long since promoted to glory, and the latter is up in years and in poor health. I encourage all our dads: Steel yourself against *needlessly* negative self-assessment, while standing corrected by *needful* self-critique. Why is it that men often unquestioningly believe those negatives that are spoken or thought, yet firmly doubt any positive words and thoughts? I believe it is part of the fallen nature which God works to repair in us during the redemption process. Whenever God, or your wife, or your child, reveals a fault in you, take it in stride and strive to do better. But more importantly, whenever the Lord or any of the people in your life tells you that you're a good husband, good dad, good friend, or good man, *believe it, as best you can.*"

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