



CAC's Bulletin for Sunday, December 19, 2010

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Last Sunday AM

Elder Charles Hoskins preached from Mark 11:12-26. Jesus is the great I Am. He is with us when we are on the mountaintop and also when we are in a desert. Jesus cursed the fig tree because it wasn't bearing fruit. We are the salt of the earth and the light of this world. People hear what we say. It can affect others. Stand on God's Word. Have faith in God. Speak His Word. Faith is now. We must look past our problems and have faith in God. If we truly have faith in God, all we have to do when there's a mountain before us is pray. If we believe that the mountain will go away, it will. Have faith in God when you face your challenges. He will give you fruit in due season. Whenever you are sick, call for the elders of the church, and they will pray. You shall be forgiven and raised up (see James 5:15). "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much" (James 5:16). The Canaanite woman fell down at Jesus' feet and worshipped Him. He told her that it wasn't proper to give the children's bread to dogs. She said even dogs eat crumbs from their master's table. He told her, "great is thy faith." God blessed her, even as a Gentile. We must keep our faith in Him. He will give us fruit in due season.

Sunday PM

Pastor Joseph preached "The Threefold Cord" using the fourth chapter of Ecclesiastes as his text. The Book of Ecclesiastes may seem on the surface like a very dark and depressing book, but it is actually just an honest assessment of our dark, sin-cursed world. The wise writer of the book considered all the oppression that goes on in the earth, and he lamented that the oppressed had no comforter. He considered all the work that people do in trying to "keep up" with their neighbors, and all the trouble that people cause themselves in trying to gain riches, and found it all to be vanity. He portrayed another extreme of a fool who does nothing to gain money and thus comes to homeless ruin. The secret to godly success is between the two extremes. One of the most poignant portions of the chapter considers the most priceless commodity ever: true companionship. We ought to strive to protect our marriages, our friendships, and our church. The value of these areas of relationship cannot be overstated. Loneliness is the saddest state. More than just Himself, God has provided people to us for companions. Don't let any wound, transgression, or disagreement separate you from your companions. A "threefold cord is not quickly broken." Be mature. Rise above. It's worth it.

Wednesday

Pastor Joseph taught a lesson about understanding prophecy, using chapters 7, 8, and 9 of the Book of Isaiah. There are several keys, called laws, that help in studying prophecies. Pastor Joseph explained two important keys: The Prophetic Law of Similar Things, and the Prophetic Law of Multiple Fulfillment. Isaiah 7:14, one of the most famous Christmas verses of all, is a verse that displays the reality of multiple fulfillment. Also, many verses about the Millennial Kingdom age have a dual fulfillment. The saints in the Church Age receive (in a somewhat

spiritual sense) what the Jews will get (in more physical ways) during the Millennial Kingdom. Jesus' birth fulfilled many prophecies, including Isaiah 9:6, one of the verses quoted most often as proof of the oneness of God and of the mighty God in Christ. Knowing its context (by studying preceding chapters and by knowing about the laws of prophecy) makes the verse even more powerful.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Submit yours to us today!

Natural Birthdays	Spiritual Birthdays	Anniversaries
<i>Sis. Helen Sandy (12/21)</i> <i>Bro. David Todd (12/21)</i> <i>Pastor Doug Joseph (12/24)</i>	<i>Sis Elizabeth Todd (12/13/2006)</i> <i>Bro. Zachary Sandy (12/22/2002)</i> <i>Sis. Tiffany Sandy (12/22/2002)</i>	<i>None to be announced.</i>

Fun!

Kiddie Corner

Luke 2: 1-12

Luke 2:1 – 12



The Birth of Jesus



Across

- In verse 9 the shepherds saw an " ____ of the Lord."
- " ____ also went up from ... Nazareth" is in verse 4.
- The word after "because" in verse 4 is ____.
- "And there ____ shepherds" is from verse 8.

Down

- "Room for them in the ____" is in verse 7.
- " ____" were watching their flocks in verse 8.
- The third word in verse 4 is ____.
- "He is Christ ____ Lord" is in verse 11.
- The fourth to the last word in verse 2 is ____.



Announcements / Events / Ministry Opportunities

- CAC’s radio broadcast, **Voice of Truth, on WAJR 103.3 FM**, can be heard twice on Sundays, at 11:30am and 11pm. **Today: Chapter One of Tesseract.**
- **Today; Sun., Dec. 19, 10am – CAC Christmas Program & CFC Offering**
- **Sat. Dec. 31 - Jan. 1 – Youth Lock-In** for ages 12 & up. Starting at 7pm and ending at 7am. Food, games, prayer, and fellowship to end 2010 and start 2011.

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

**When Mary and Joseph took Jesus to Jerusalem after His birth, what were they to sacrifice to the Lord?
Why was Jesus born in a manger?**

Submit your answer to Sis Rhonda at: news@cac.us.com
Last week’s answer: She kept and pondered them in her heart (see Luke 2:19).
Answer to easier question: They were keeping watch over their sheep (Luke 2:8).


Fun! HUMOR Send in your funny stories to news@cac.us.com

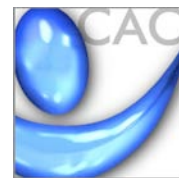
GOD RINSES
The church junior choir was putting on a car wash to raise money to pay their expenses for a special trip. They made a large sign, CAR WASH FOR CHOIR TRIP, and on the given Saturday business was very good. But by two o'clock the skies clouded and the rain poured and there were hardly any customers. Finally, one of the girl washers had an idea. She printed a very large poster which said, WE WASH (then an arrow pointing skyward) GOD RINSES. Business boomed!

A CHRISTMAS SONG
A mother took her three-year-old daughter to church for the first time. The church lights were lowered, and then the choir came down the aisle, carrying lighted candles. All was quiet until the little one started to sing in a loud voice, “Happy Birthday to you, happy birthday to you....”

Special Prayer Requests		Featured Verse
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sis. Jeannie Walls • Bro. Jim Starkey • Sis. Mary Barberio • Sis. Renee Bargo • Sis. Charlotte Evans • Bro. David Moore 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sis. Helen Sandy • Sis. Shirley Cole • Sis. Mary Snelson • Sis. Mary Harris • Sis. Betty Murphy • Pastor Fred Parkins 	<p>“And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS; for he shall save his people from their sins” (Matthew 1:21).</p>

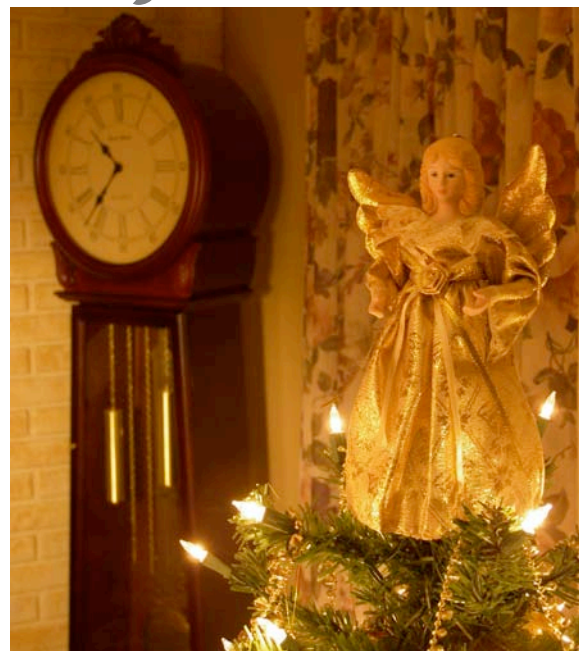
Did we miss something? Please let Sis. Rhonda Moore know: news@cac.us.com

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Merry Christmas to all!



Christmas photo by Pastor Joseph, taken at home.
Submit your photos for the front of the bulletin to pastor@cac.us.com

Exciting New Release: Tesseract



Daniel & Tess are childhood sweethearts who finally marry. Meanwhile, in another space-time, on an untainted world called Sset, the Corlan (a sinless race blessed with genetic memory) govern a paradise that has never felt the bitter sting of death. Back on sin-cursed Earth, Tess and Daniel are childless. Although they are well acquainted with pain and loss, their relationship is solid, and they live their life to the fullest in service to God and others. Fast forward over a thousand years into the future, when an unspeakable evil arises on Sset, devastating the moon world’s surface and decimating the Corlan population. Yet the Creator of both that universe and ours was not caught off guard. He’s had Daniel and Tess in mind for saving the Corlan species from extinction since before either realm was created. Although our world has had visitors from that one, this is the first time in history that it’s gone the other way. Teleport with Tess and Daniel to a place beyond time, space, and imagination. Tesseract will transform you in mind-stretching ways. Paperback: \$9.95 — Kindle: \$7.95