



CAC's Bulletin for Sunday, September 16, 2012

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Last Sunday AM

Elder Keith Fought preached “Bring On The Flood” using Isaiah 59:1-2,16-21 and Ephesians 6:10-19. Isaiah wrote that the sins of the people of Israel had separated them from God. When their calamity came, God hid His face from them because of their sins. In today’s world, we need to always wear the whole armor of God. The true battles we face are not against flesh and blood, but against spirits of darkness, and against our own past. In our darkest hour, when the enemy comes in like a flood to destroy us, the Spirit of the Lord will raise up a standard against him. The word standard refers to a flag or banner. This raising up of a standard also shows that God will make a way of escape for us. God will deliver us out of the flood and raise us up to higher ground. God permitted the devil to flood Job’s life with so many calamities that Job lost everything except his wife. But God knew that Job would pass the test and not lose his faith. Once it was proved that Job would not curse God, but rather continue to love God, Job was restored and supplied with double of all that he had before. Don’t be afraid of the flood!

Last Sunday PM

Pastor Joseph combined an important lesson on Christian Monotheism (regarding the Oneness of God) with an anointed message about the New Covenant, using Deuteronomy 6:4-9 and Jeremiah 31:31-34. Although the whole Bible is inspired of God (literally “God breathed”) and is profitable, not all its commands are of equal importance. Jesus was once asked what is the most important command. His answer was clear: He said the greatest command is Deuteronomy 6:4 “Hear, O Israel, the LORD our God, the LORD is one.” In any Jewish Bible printed in Hebrew, this verse is the only passage in the whole Bible that is highlighted with letters that are larger and bolder. God commanded the Jews to teach this and other truths of His commands to their children daily at every opportunity, and to continually ponder upon them, including placing the commands upon their doorposts and gates, and upon their heads and their hands. Any time a so-called “new truth” comes along, saying for example that God is three, we must reject it out of hand, knowing that “God the Lord is ONE” is the most important truth in all of God’s word. So what is different about the New Covenant over the Old? It is NOT the introduction of a radical new view of God as a committee of multiple divine persons! No, according to Jeremiah 31, the difference is that in the New, God writes His laws in our hearts, instead of us depending solely on external sources to try to internalize His teachings. *Everyone needs the baptism of the Holy Ghost!*

Last Wednesday

Jr. Elder Hannah Sandy preached from Esther 3:1-6; 5:11-14; 6:1-11; 7:9-10. The Lord is always working “behind the scenes” on behalf of His people. We need not stoop to the level of our adversary in bitterness and hate. God will handle our enemies in the end if we walk humbly before Him, if we walk on holiness and trust

God. She illustrated these truths powerfully from the biblical account of Esther, showing that neither Queen Esther, nor her uncle (and adoptive father) Mordecai, ever stooped to the level of hate and bitterness of their racist antagonist, Haman. In the end, God granted them favor with the King, and helped them out of what seemed like an impossible situation, preventing them from being slaughtered by anti-Semitic people who had watched a law passed authorizing Jews’ annihilation. Elder Fought then preached “I’ve Made My Reservation” from I Peter 1:3-25. As believers who serve the Lord Jesus Christ, we have an inheritance in heaven reserved for us. It is life eternal, in a body incorruptible, in a place undefiled, with a mansion that will never fade away. But even more precious than our new bodies and our wonderful mansions, is the fact that we will be with Jesus, the one who died to save us from our sins! Our majestic and wonderful Savior will be what makes heaven to truly be heaven for us! If you have obeyed from the heart the Gospel of the Lord Jesus, which obedience is summarized in Acts 2:38, then you have made your reservation too! Don’t let petty problems of this life hinder you!

Natural Birthdays	Spiritual Birthdays	Anniversary
Elder Keith Fought (8/31) Sis Ryann Ramsey (9/8) Sis Renee Bargo (9/8) Bro Andrew Colombo (9/9) Bro Mason McCann (9/9) Sis Brandy Benedum (9/12)	Tammy Channel (9/6/1981) John Sandy (9/1979)	Bro David and Sis Diana Todd (9/13/1980) – congrats 32 years! Bro Larry and Sis Donyia Mullins (9/17/1966) – congrats 46 years!

Announcements / Events / Ministry Opportunities

- **Voice of Truth**, on WAJR 103.3 FM, is aired twice on Sundays: 11:30am & 11pm. **Today: Creation vs. Evolution, part 21**, with Steve & Dana Grohman
- **Today:** Launch of our annual **Christmas For Christ** fund drive for N.A. missions
- Wed, Sept. 19 – **Evangelism Prep**, under direction of Outreach Director Claypool
- Sat, Sept. 22 – **Outreach Teams**, under direction of Outreach Director Claypool
- Sun, Sept 23 – **Communion & Footwashing**
- Mon-Sun, Sept 24-30 – CAC to host **Missionary Stan Wilt**, on deputation in WV
- Note **cancellation** of Wedding Reception for Shane & Vanessa Wilhelm
- Tue-Fri, October 2-5 – **UPCI General Conference**, at St. Louis, MO

Fun!

Stan 'N' Isaac

Submit your funny things to news@cac.us.com

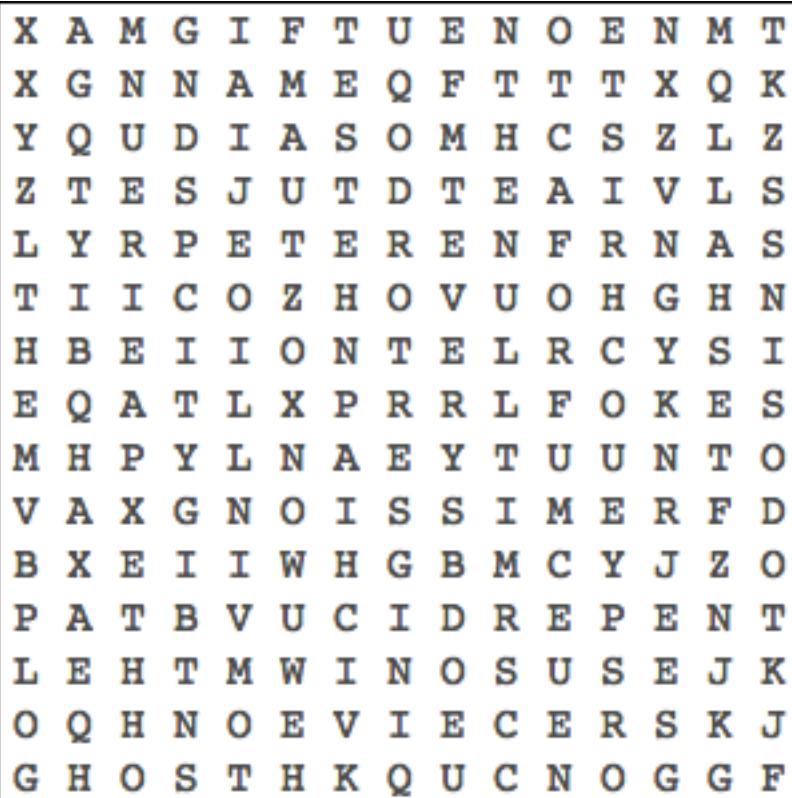


Fun!**Kids Corner****Acts 2:38 Word Search**

We've hidden each word from this Bible verse in the word search puzzle. Circle each word as you find it!

Verse: Acts 2:38
Search Words:

Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

**Special Prayer Needs**

Bro Zach Sandy
 Elder Charles Hoskins
 Sis. Charlotte Evans
 Sis. Bev Feathers

Bro. Jim Starkey
 Sis. Michele Pearce
 George Jones / kids
 Mark Matheny

Featured Verse

"And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible" (1 Corinthians 9:25).

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Last Friday's "Reverb" event (by F.I.S.H. Student Ministries) was excellent! Record crowd for CAC (181) & very powerful!



Thanks to Sis. Lisa Fought for the great photos!