

Prayer List



Bdays/Anniv.



To Our Visitors



Of Our Number

- ◆ Janice Carnley—sick; tests 12/28
- ◆ Braden Hilburn—upcoming tests
- ◆ Lisa Mashburn—neurosurgeon 12/30
- ◆ Jim Ward—chemotherapy, PET Scan in early January
- ◆ Brenda Ray—back pain

Others in Need

- ◆ Charlie Bush—pneumonia; A.Fib.
- ◆ Thomas Bush—11 yrs. old, cancer
- ◆ Jennifer Cook—cancer
- ◆ Tim Dixon—lymphoma; chemo
- ◆ Dalton Kitzan—hunting injury
- ◆ Madison McCall—test on 12/27
- ◆ Harold Moore—fell from tree, broken back and ribs
- ◆ Jason Rickmon—cancer
- ◆ Scott Sweeney—broke both legs
- ◆ Wade Wilkerson—fell, broke several bones; not doing well
- ◆ Pray also for those who have lost loved ones, government leaders, our military, alien sinners, erring brothers/sisters, the church at Baker and worldwide.

January

- ◆ Kynlie Lawson, Jan. 17

We are happy and honored that you are here! Please fill out a visitor's card and give us a chance to get to know you. If you have any questions about anything said or done in Bible class or worship, please ask. We seek to give a Bible answer to every Bible question (1 Peter 4:11).

Events



Privileged to Serve



- ◆ December 27th—
Fourth Wednesday Singing

Announcements—Leo Derrick
Song Leading—Caleb Howze (Wed.)
 David Howze (Sun.)
Serving the Lord's Supper
 Head: Andrew Mashburn; Helpers: Wilfred Derrick, Ethan Howze, Mark Howze
Lord's Supper PM
 Head: Leo Derrick
 Helper: Ethan Howze
Scripture Reading—Rick Laux

Faithful Worship — **1) Praying** to God the Father in the name of Jesus Christ (Luke 11:1-2; John 16:23; Eph. 5:20; Phil. 4:6); **2) Singing** without mechanical instruments (Matt. 26:30; Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16-17; Heb. 2:12); **3) Preaching** God's Word (Mark 16:15-16; Acts 2:42; 20:7); **4) Giving** as prospered, cheerfully (1 Cor. 16:1-2; 2 Cor. 9:7); **5) The Lord's Supper** on the first day of every week (Matt. 26:26-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 11:20-34; 16:2; Heb. 10:23-31).

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Meeting Times

Sundays:

- 10AM Bible Class
- 11AM Worship
- 5:30PM Pew Packers
- 6PM Worship

Wednesdays:

- 7PM Bible Class

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The Lamb Returning as a Lion

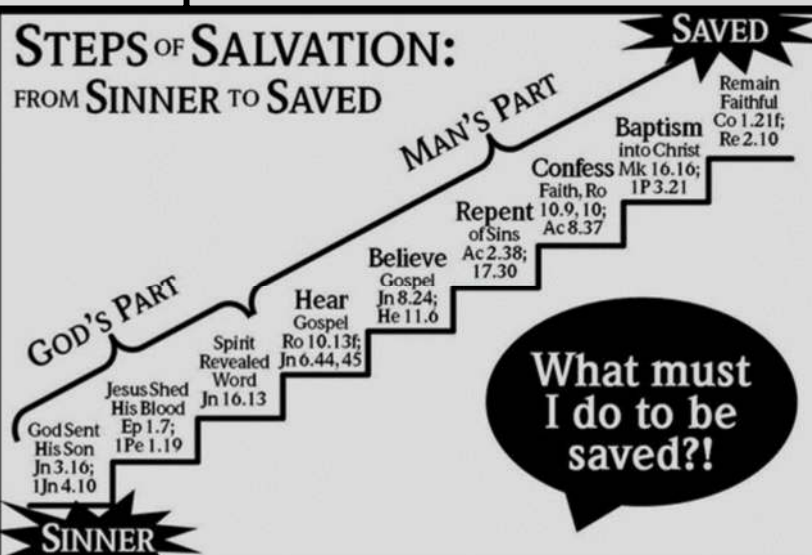
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We don't know exactly when Jesus was born, and we don't know when He will return, but we do know that when He comes this time, He's not coming as a baby. He first came as the little Lamb of God, but He will return as the LION of Judah, in fiery judgment (Gen. 49:9-10; Jn. 5:22-29; Acts 17:30-31; Rev. 5:5). He first came to be our Savior (Luke 19:10); He's coming the second time to be our Judge.

What if He's coming back today? Have you obeyed the Gospel? "...when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels, in flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ: Who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of his power" (2 Thess. 1:7-9; cf. Rom. 10:16; 1 Pet. 4:17).

Both Peter and Paul said the Gospel must be obeyed--not simply believed. The most fundamental facts of the Gospel are the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ (1 Cor. 15:1-4). We obey that Gospel when we die to sin, are buried in water baptism, and are raised to new life (Romans 6:3-5). Paul said after we obey that form of doctrine, we are free from sin (Romans 6:16-18). After baptism, we must not continue in sin, but rather remain dead to sin to be alive to God (Romans 6:2,11; cf. 6:1-22).

STEPS OF SALVATION: FROM SINNER TO SAVED



What must I do to be saved?!

"...but ye have obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine which was delivered you. Being then made free from sin, ye became the servants of righteousness" (Rom. 6:17b-18).

"...ye were the servants of sin..." (Romans 6:17).

Calling on the Name of the Lord

(Some slides from a recent sermon)

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Strong's Greek Lexicon

“name”

G3686

on'-om-ah

From a presumed derivative of the base of G1097 (compare G3685); a “name” (literally or figuratively), (*authority, character*): - called, (+ sur-) name (-d).

The Name of the Lord (name = authority)

Praying in	Miracles done in	Speaking in	Doing all in	Calling on	Baptized in
John 14:13,14	Acts 3:6	Acts 4:18	Col. 3:17	Joel 2:32	Acts 2:38
John 15:16	Acts 4:10	Acts 5:40		Acts 2:21	Acts 8:12, 16; 10:48; 19:5
John 16:23, 24	Acts 4:29,30	Acts 9:27, 29		Romans 10:13-16	1 Cor. 1:13
Eph. 5:20	Acts 16:18	James 5:10		1 Cor. 1:2	1 Cor. 6:11
				Acts 22:16	Matt. 28:18-20

We “call on the name of the Lord” (appeal to His authority) to be saved when we are baptized to be saved (Acts 2:21>2:38; 22:16; cf. 1 Peter 3:20-21).

Acts 2:21	Acts 2:38
“...whosoever shall call on <u>the name of the Lord</u> shall be <u>saved</u> ”	“...Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the <u>name of Jesus Christ</u> for the <u>remission of sins...</u> ”

Acts 22:16

