

Larry's Lines...

BREAD UPON THE WATERS

It always comes back to you. "Cast your Bread upon the water, for you will find it after many days". (Ecclesiastes 11:1) These words were spoken by some starry-eyed youngster long on zeal and short on experience. This reckless advice was given by one who had experienced many fruitless ventures, and had found most things in life to be "vanity." It was Solomon, the wisest of men, who advocated casting bread upon the waters as a practice which pays.

A poor widow who lived at Zarephath shared with a man what she thought might be her last meal. Nearly two years later this stranger more than returned the favor. Elijah restored life to her dead son.

The mother of Moses entrusted her baby to the Nile River only to find her faith rewarded beyond her wildest dreams.

Jonathan gave unselfish love to David. Little did he know that the benefits would continue to come even after his death, for David showered kindness upon Mephibosheth the son of Jonathan.

So do your kindness, exert yourself, even in the most unlikely places. Scatter the precious bread. "Give a portion to seven." Let your liberality know no bounds. A recompense will be made.

Over a century ago Stephen Grellet wrote: "I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

Cast you bread upon the waters and it will come back to you. It may be after many days, but it will return.

Have A Great Week,
Larry

Upcoming Events and Announcements

We are no longer collecting pill bottles for Matthew Ministries.

Please do not use push pins on bulletin boards as it tears the fabric.

3 Teachers are still needed for Next Quarter

Attention: Senior Ladies Group

Sherry McCoy will be hosting a Christmas Party at her house on Sunday, December 8, 2019 from 3:00-5:00pm. Christmas cookies and punch will be served and plan to enjoy lots of Christian fellowship. Bring an ornament for the ornament exchange. Her address is 1722 Ridgeview Drive, Springdale Ar.

Attention Ladies: You are invited to a Christmas party at the home of Debbie Goforth at 790 Via Firenz Ave, Sprindale AR, December 7th from 6pm to 9pm. There will be an optional gift exchange (maximum \$15.00). Please R.S.V.P. on the ladies FB page.

LTC WORK DAY! Everyone who is signed up or involved in pre-convention 1 events, such as **PODCAST, CHILDREN'S BOOK, T-SHIRT DESIGN, ART, and Convention 2events**, will be meeting Mon. November 25, 2019 starting at 8:30am. Breakfast will be provided. We plan to be done by noon. Our next work day will be during the Christmas break. See David or Jeremy with questions. If you signed up as an event leader your folders are in the foyer, please pick them up today.

Baby Shower

A Baby Shower for Cole and Whitney Basinger will take place TODAY, November 17, 2019 downstairs at 4:00pm. The couple is expecting a baby boy and they are registered at O' Baby and Walmart. For more information, please see Kayla Holloway.



Happy Birthday

November 18th

Alex Williams

Lilly Anne Witt

November 19th

Krista Casada

Easton Martin

November 20th

Betty Jordan

November 21st

Julien Shew

November 23rd

Tyler Whitted

Pantry Items

Peanut Butter and Jelly and holiday items

Happy Anniversary

November 23rd

Jared and Lexi

Cobb

JAR YOUTH/Mentors



Our next Refuel has been moved to Nov. 20th at Smitty's. This will also be our birthday celebration night before class.

November Mentor Challenge:

Together pick someone in the congregation to send a note to, expressing something you are thankful for.

THE MENTOR TRAINING MEETING WILL BE RESCHEDULED AT A LATER DATE.

Sympathy

Our condolences to the Curlee Family. Phillip's brother-in-law, Larry Dean passed away on Veterans Day, just 6 weeks after losing his wife Loveta, was buried in the National Cemetery with Military Honors Thursday, November 14, 2019. He was 84 years old.

Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits

Those with recent health issues: Smith Cherry will have eye surgery on Monday, Ruth Turner had colon surgery, Shirley Hester had back surgery, Lucy the Great (Justin Cavanah's aunt) was diagnosed with stage 1 breast cancer, Bruce Casada complications after his knee replacement, Charles Couch had 4 stints put in, Lisa Martindale had her gall bladder removed, Arvin Allen will have a heart valve replacement in November, Calvin Billingsley is having heart issues.

Those fighting Cancer: Rachel Myers, Nathan Pirtle, Justin Williams (friend of Justin Cavanaugh), Oma Leta Smith, Elaine Nicklas, Eddie Thomas, Kim Williams (Megan Bassing's Aunt), and Carol Edwards (Laura Hughes's sister).

Those who have lost loved ones: Jessica Harriman Family

Our Expectant Mothers: Megan Johnson and Rachel Ladymon.

Our New Mothers and babies: Sunni/Ivory Jane, Keelie /Levi, Monica/Beaux and Hanna/Charlie.

Shut-Ins who need your continual prayer and consideration! Oma Leta Smith, Lenora Sutton, Emmett Windham, Shirley Bates, Roger and Shirley Gross, Norma Williams, Roy Howard, Betty Jordan, Geneva Montgomery, Vada Loker and Kendra Phillips.

Remember in Prayer: Our Military Service Men and Women deployed overseas and protecting our country abroad and at home. The leaders of our Church, our community, our state, and our country.

Please finish up your Wednesday night classes. We will not be having classes on November 27th due to our Thanksgiving Devotion and our new Quarter starts December 1, 2019.

BIBLE CLASSES THIS QUARTER

SUNDAY MORNING:

Adult Auditorium Class: Matt Bassing. Acts

Adult Class #1: Beginning of Hall. Alan Fortenberry. Colossians, Philemon

20-30's. Downstairs. Justin Goforth & Darron Mitchell. Story of God's People

JAR YOUTH. TEEN ROOM. JP Bradford & Matt Johnson. Romans

WEDNESDAY NIGHT:

Adult Auditorium Class: Terry Huffmaster. Kings/ Chronicles (OT Study)

Adult Class Downstairs: Mike Mitchell. In depth Bible Study

Adult Class #2:End of Hall. Doug Goodpasture. Job. Song of Solomon

Ladies Class. Beginning of Hall. Leah Myers. Psalms

JAR YOUTH. TEEN ROOMS. JP Bradford & Matt Johnson. Romans

THE LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

Kevin Murray

Song Leader

Mike Mitchell

Hymn #

Hymn #

OPENING PRAYER

Brad Harriman

Hymn #

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE

Psalm 22:14-21

Joe Harriman

Communion Prayer

Virgil Harmon

LORD'S SUPPER

Offering

Hymn #

SERMON SCRIPTURE

I Corinthians 15:58

Galatians 6:9

Revelation 2:10

Richard Hutton

Faithful Until Death

Revelation 2:10

Invitation Hymn #

Announcements

Kevin Murray

Closing Hymn #

Closing Prayer

Nelson McCoy

Welcome Visitors!
We are so happy to have you and consider you our honored guest. If we can help you in any way, please don't hesitate to ask any of our members. We would love to help make your visit a pleasant one.

November Events

November 19th

Threads of Love

November 21st

Elders Meeting

November 24th

Singing Night

November 27th

Thanksgiving Devo (NO CLASS)

ReFuel @ Smitty's

November 28th-29th

Office Closed

December Events

December 1st

Deacons Meeting

New Quarter

December 7th

Teen Devo/Christmas party @ Myers

December 10th

Golden Age Christmas Dinner

December 12th

Wrapping with the Police

December 14th

Polar Express/Christmas Caroling

December 15th

Holiday Meal

December 25th (NO CLASS)

Christmas Devo

December 29th

Youth Led Service

December 31st

New Years Eve Party

AM Sermon Outline

- Why is this world in such a mess? Because man has forgotten God.
- Why Do We Have Trouble being Faithful?
 - We are too busy.
 - We can't stand the test.
- Promise to the Faithful.
- Promise to the Unfaithful.
Be Faithful until death and I will give you the crown of life.



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COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday:

Bible Class: 9:30 AM

Morning Worship: 10:20 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

Wednesday: 7:00 P.M.

Website: johnsonchurchofchrist.com

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PROOF OF OUR LOVE November 10, 2019

Bible Study: 184

Morning Worship: 260

Evening Worship: 148

Wednesday Night: 157

Chapters Read: 135

Contribution: \$11709.00

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE November 17, 2019

Sunday Evening

Song Leader: David Cherry

Opening Prayer: Heath Huffmaster

Sermon: A Growing Church

Scripture: Acts 2:47

Announcements: Darron Mitchell

Closing Prayer: Virgil Harmon

November 20, 2019

Wednesday Evening

Song Leader: Ethan Ladymon

Prayer: Justin Goforth

Devotional: JP Bradford

Announcements: Phil Curlee

Closing Prayer: Michael Marvin

November 24, 2019

Sunday Morning

Announcements: Kevin Murray

Song Leader: Mike Mitchell

Opening Prayer: Chesley Martin

Communion Scripture: Heath Huffmaster

Communion Prayer: Dustin Mayhew

Sermon Scripture: Randall Harriman

Closing Prayer: Bobby Hill

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Wednesday 8:30 - 6:30

Friday 8:30 - 2:30

ELDERS

Alan Fortenberry

Virgil Harmon

Joe Harriman

Terry Huffmaster

Kevin Murray

DEACONS

Jim Allen

Pete Ball

JP Bradford

David Cherry

Jared Cobb

Josh Fortenberry

Doug Goodpasture

Randall Harriman

Richard Hutton

Heath Huffmaster

Chesley Martin

Steve Martindale

Michael Marvin

Dustin Mayhew

David Shew

WELCOME

to

Johnson church of Christ



November 17, 2019