



The Sunday Messenger

April 14, 2024

Week 16 - Day 105

James Ave. church of Christ

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Welcome ... To Our Friends

May you find our congregation friendly and our worship uplifting and to the glory of God. Please stay after worship so we may meet you, and do come back to worship with us again.

The JA family assembles for Worship and Study

Sunday

Bible Class 9:00 AM
Worship 10:00 AM
Bible Study 6:00 PM

Tuesday

Morning Bible Class 10:00 AM
October - May

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 PM

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Loving. Caring. Sharing.

How Much Do You Know ... About the Bible?

Matthew 3:13-17

Jesus came from _____ to John at the _____ to be baptized.

“And John *tried to* _____ Him, saying, ‘I need to be _____ by You, and are You coming to me?’”

Jesus said His baptism was to fulfill all _____.

“When He had been baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the _____; and behold, the heavens were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a _____ and alighting upon Him.”

The voice from heaven said, “This is My _____ Son, in whom I am well _____.”

Last week's scripture solutions:

Matthew 3:1-6: preaching, wilderness; repent, heaven; crying, straight; hair, locusts; Jordan

Matthew 3:7-12: Pharisees, Sadducees; fruits, repentance; ax, fire; sandals; winnowing, threshing, chaff

Romans 6:1-18 NKJV What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin that grace may abound? (2) Certainly not! How shall we who died to sin live any longer in it? (3) Or do you not know that as many of us as were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into His death? (4) Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. (5) For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be *in the likeness of His* resurrection, (6) knowing this, that our old man was crucified with *Him*, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin. (7) For he who has died has been freed from sin. (8) Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him, (9) knowing that Christ, having been raised from the dead, dies no more. Death no longer has dominion over Him. (10) For *the death* that He died, He died to sin once for all; but *the life* that He lives, He lives to God. (11) Likewise you also, reckon yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord. (12) Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its lusts. (13) And do not present your members *as* instruments of unrighteousness to sin, but present yourselves to God as being alive from the dead, and your members *as* instruments of righteousness to God. (14) For sin shall not have dominion over you, for you are not under law but under grace. (15) What then? Shall we sin because we are not under law but under grace? Certainly not! (16) Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, you are that one's slaves whom you obey, whether of sin *leading to* death, or of obedience *leading to* righteousness? (17) But God be thanked that *though* you were slaves of sin, yet you obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine to which you were delivered. (18) And having been set free from sin, you became slaves of righteousness.

**On the Lord's Day ...
We Worship God**

Welcome ... Jerry Ladd, Sr.
Singing ... Jerry Ladd, Jr.

470 Victory in Jesus
611 Heavenly Sunlight
895 I'll Live in Glory

Prayer ... Harvey Jones
324 Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?

Lord's Supper

Preside ... Rob Donaldson
Serve ... Larry Cochran, Bobby King

Scripture ... Jerry Stephens
Romans 6:1-18

852 When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder

Lesson ... Jerry Ladd, Sr.
Discipleship is Not Free

915 Trust and Obey
3 Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah

Closing Prayer ... Stephen Richardson
PowerPoint ... Stephen Richardson



Scan the QR code to view the scriptures for today's lesson, or select "Events" in the *YouVersion* Bible app.

<http://bible.com/events/49244388>

Prayer Requests

Barbara Adkins & husband, Katie Sylvester's sister & brother-in-law
Doris Ann Baker, Jerry's co-worker and long-time friend of Darlene
Jean, Rob's mom (melanoma)
Amy Doyle, & husband, *Ilyas Warris*, stomach issues
BJ Fruedenthal, cancer surgery
Danny Gooch, Chitika's brother, cancer
Jomarsha, Chitika's granddaughter, cancer
Shantra Gooch, Chitika's daughter in law has cancer
Andy Hall, friend of the Ladd's, throat cancer
Claytie Hall, sister to Richard and Jean
Inez Hopwood, friend of Rhoda
Daughter of Inez Hopwood, stage 4 cancer
Eric Hyatt upcoming surgery
Velma Jennette
Scarlett, Velma's great niece
Alan Johnson, Richard & Nancy's son
Hannah Johnson & family
Donnie Johnson, Richard & Jean's brother
Pam Johnson, Richard's sister-in-law
Richard & Nancy Johnson
Katina Jones, (husband, Jack) sister-in-law of Stephen Wilkerson, cancer

Discipleship is Not Free

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John 3:16 • **Romans 6:1-18**
Romans 5:8 • **Romans 12:1-2**
1 John 1:7 • **Mark 10:17-22**
Isaiah 53:1-12 • **Acts 5:1-11**
Luke 9:23-26 • **Luke 16:19-31**
Matthew 6:33 • **2 Timothy 2:15**
Luke 14:26 • **John 14:15**
Hebrews 10:25

Carolyn Kimble
Tavis Kimble, knees
Danny & Trish King, brother & sister-in-law of Bobby
Theresa King, knee replacement, May 14
Amy Ladd
Dana Ladd, sprained wrist
Kylie Ladd, healing from broken foot bone
Jerry & Paula Ladd
Anne Mae Lindsey, Ashley & Stephen's grandmother
Dorothy Love
Phil McFarland and Margaret Rushing
Ruth Netterville, Richard & Jean's sister
James Newberry & wife Leda
Florence Nicks, Rhoda's sister-in-law
Freddie Overstreet – friend of the Ladd's
William Pedigo, Aubrey's granddad
Lonnie Petty, friend of the Ladd's
Jeanna Pewitt, Nancy's sister-in-law
Pat Richardson, liver 5-year-old
Melody Smith, Paula's sister, bone, knee
Charlie Smithey
John William (JW) Sneed, Aubrey's 5-year-old cousin recovering from bone marrow transplant surgery, at home
Marie Ann Sneed, James' cousin
Dennis & Ramona Swett, Rhoda's daughter & son-in-law
Chris Tabeling, back issues
David Taylor, Theresa's brother
Peggy (husband, Mitch) Turner, Velma's friend, who is battling cancer
Adrianna Walton, Paula's friend, surgery
Sarah Whitaker, James' cousin in KY
Barbara (cancer) recovering from oral surgery; & *Cynthia Wilkerson*
Rayleigh Woolbright & daughter, *Addie* who is 3 years old is in Vanderbilt with possible meningitis
Mary Wyatt, at home

Shut-ins

Katie Sylvester - Rolling Hills Apt/ 6535 Premier Dr. Apt #C-15, 37209-2947 (615) 839-7629 (macular degeneration, congestive heart failure)

Sympathy to the family of *Shelley Lovelace* (a co-worker of Jerry Sr.) on her passing last week. Her mother-in-law, Shelby Lovelace attends Charlotte Heights.

Men's Business Meeting ... there will be a short meeting after worship this morning to discuss building maintenance.
Youth ... Sunday afternoon youth fellowship & devo Apr 21st after worship.

Tuesday Morning Bible Class

Hebrews is happening each Tuesday @ 10:00 AM. Come & study God's Word with your family.

2024 Milestones

Birthdays	
April 2024	
Bobby Perry	04/03
Jerry Ladd, Sr	04/05
Velma Jennette	04/10
Nina Aleman	04/14

About our JA Family

Contribution	2024 Avg	
Last Week	\$1,144	\$1,487
Budget	\$1,560	\$1,560

Word SCRAMBLE

Unscramble the letters to form a Bible word!

N U N A M O I T

Clue: A place where Jesus prayed

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PLAN OF SALVATION



Hear the Gospel

ROMANS 10:17

Believe that Jesus is God's Son

ACTS 16:30-31, HEBREWS 11:6

Repent of Sin

ACTS 17:30-31

Confess Jesus as God's Son

before Men

ACTS 8:36-37, MATTHEW 10:32, ROMANS 10:9-

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Be Baptized (immersed)

in the Name of Jesus Christ

for the Forgiveness of Sins

ACTS 2:38

Live Faithfully

1 JOHN 1:7, REV 2:10