



# The Sunday Messenger

December 8, 2024

Week 50 - Day 343

## 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  
September - May

#### Wednesday

Bible Study 7:00 PM

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Loving. Caring. Sharing.

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

### Matthew 11:1-6

1. Jesus spoke to the \_\_\_\_\_ concerning \_\_\_\_\_.
2. True or False: Jesus said that John the Baptist was not a prophet.
3. "Assuredly, I say to you, among those \_\_\_\_\_ of women there has not risen one \_\_\_\_\_ than \_\_\_\_\_; but he who is \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ than he."
4. "For all the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ prophesied until \_\_\_\_\_.
5. "He who has \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, let him \_\_\_\_\_!"

### Answers to last week's questions:

**Matthew 11:1-6:** twelve, teach, preach; Coming, One, another; blind, lame, cleansed, hear, dead, poor, gospel; offended, Me.

## Bible Wordsearch

PEOPLE AND PLACES

Fit the words in the list into the diagram below reading forward, backward, up, down, diagonally, always in a straight line.

Puzzle #6

X	O	X	B	R	O	B	H	C	A	E	P	S	H	D	ACHBOR	IRAM
C	H	K	E	D	B	A	A	D	N	C	F	I	B	Y	ADAH	ITHRAN
M	P	U	K	E	L	A	M	A	T	A	G	I	J	G	AHOLIBAMAH	JACOB
T	E	A	H	M	I	U	A	D	L	A	L	E	B	H	AKAN	JETHETH
L	Z	A	A	V	A	N	B	E	B	H	T	O	P	E	AMALEK	JEUSH
Q	K	S	D	M	A	R	I	B	A	H	A	Z	E	M	ANAH	KENAZ
C	N	O	A	C	N	D	L	N	E	T	B	N	J	D	BAALHANAN	KORAH
S	H	O	R	I	G	A	O	T	W	A	X	A	A	A	BEDAD	LOTAN
J	N	U	L	A	B	O	H	S	V	H	N	K	C	N	BELA	MAGDIEL
E	D	O	M	E	H	W	A	S	M	A	E	A	O	M	BEOR	MEZAHAB
T	E	A	N	N	A	R	H	T	I	N	S	N	B	I	BILHAN	MIDIAN
P	F	Y	R	I	Q	E	E	D	A	D	A	H	B	T	CANAAN	MOAB
W	A	O	J	U	P	K	I	Z	A	M	U	T	A	A	DISHAN	NAHATH
J	E	U	S	H	X	M	F	N	E	C	H	O	O	E	EBAL	ONAM
B	E	X	O	D	G	S	K	O	F	D	F	H	M	L	EDOM	PAU
															ELON	PINON
															ESAU	REUEL
															EZER	SAMLAH
															GATAM	SHEPHO
															HADAD	SOBAL
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															HEMDAN	ZAAVAN
															HORI	ZEPHO

MORE PUZZLES AT:

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

Singing ... Jerry Ladd, Jr.

**Just Over in the Gloryland  
716 Sing to Me of Heaven  
874 Walking Along at Eve**

Prayer ... Harvey Jones

**324 Alas and Did My Savior Bleed**

*Lord's Supper*

Preside ... Larry Cochran

Serve ... Rob Donaldson, Stephen Richardson

Scripture ... Tony Paul

**Galatians 1:6-10**

**881 Mansion Over the Hilltop**

Lesson ... Jerry Ladd, Sr.

**Go to Church**

**904 Have You Been to Jesus  
396 No Not One**

Closing Prayer ... Jared Cochran

PowerPoint ... Stephen Richardson



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

Go to Church <small>Sunday, December 8, 2024</small>	
Ephesians 5:19	Galatians 5:13
Galatians 1:6-10	Ephesians 4:32
Jeremiah 29:12	Colossians 3:16
Psalms 17:6	1 Peter 1:22
1 Corinthians 16:2	1 Peter 3:8
Acts 20:7	Matthew 16:18
Luke 14:23	Matthew 5:16
1 John 1:7	Colossians 3:17
Acts 2:47	Colossians 3:23

**Galatians 1:6-10 NKJV** I marvel that you are turning away so soon from Him who called you in the grace of Christ, to a different gospel, 7) which is not another; but there are some who trouble you and want to pervert the gospel of Christ. (8) But even if we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you, let him be accursed. (9) As we have said before, so now I say again, if anyone preaches any other gospel to you than what you have received, let him be accursed. (10) For do I now persuade men, or God? Or do I seek to please men? For if I still pleased men, I would not be a bondservant of Christ.

**Prayer Requests**

**Mike Abbott** on the passing of his wife, Margie

**Barbara Adkins, Tammy Perry & Katie Sylvester's** sister

**Doris Ann Baker**, Jerry's co-worker and long-time friend of Darlene

**Jean**, Tara's great-aunt & her mom's aunt

**Larry & Darlene Cochran**

**BJ Fruedenthal**, cancer

**Chitika Gooch**

**Danny Gooch**, Chitika's brother, cancer

**Jomarsha**, Chitika's granddaughter, cancer

**Shantra Gooch**, Chitika's daughter in law has cancer

**Claytie Hall**, sister to Richard and Jean

**Linda Harlan**, Ellie's mom, fell recently and broke her hip

**Inez Hopwood**, friend of Rhoda

**Daughter of Inez Hopwood**, stage 4 cancer

**Eric Hyatt**

**Velma Jennette**

**Danny Johns**

**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

**Cliff Kelly**, cancer, friend of the Ladd's

**Carolyn Kimble**

**Danny & Trish King**, brother & sister-in-law of Bobby King

**Jeff Ladd**, Jerry Sr & Dana's cousin

**Jerry & Paula Ladd**

**Jim & Margaret Ladd**; Margaret's family with cancer

**George Lewis**, friend of Harvey, internal bleeding from a fall

**Anne Mae Lindsey**, Ashley & Stephen's grandmother

**Jim Maury**, the husband of Larry's cousin, Carol, has acute myeloid leukemia

**Earline McKinney**, friend of the Cochran's, recovering from breast cancer surgery

**Ruth Netterville**, Richard & Jean's sister

**Jeanine Nix**, Rob's mom (melanoma)

**James & Leda Newberry**

**Florence Nicks**, Rhoda's sister-in-law

**Geoff Odom** on the passing of his wife

**Tresa Overstreet**

**William Pedigo**, Aubrey's granddad

**Kensley Perez**, daughter of Dana's friend, 12-year-old with health issues

**Jeanna Pewitt**, Nancy's sister-in-law

**Earlene Reasonover**, former member

**Pat Richardson**, liver 5-year-old

**John William (JW) Sneed**, Aubrey's 5-year-old cousin

**Marie Ann Sneed**, James' cousin

**Jared Stuffle**, back issues

**Area Anna Swett**, Rhoda's granddaughter

**Katie Sylvester**, room 527B Trevecca Center for Rehabilitation & Healing, 329 Murfreesboro Rd 37210 (615) 839-7629 and son, **BJ Sylvester**

**David Taylor**, Theresa's brother

**Peggy (husband, Mitch) Turner**, Velma's friend, who is battling cancer

**Adrianna Walton**, Paula's friend

**Sarah Whitaker**, James' cousin in KY

**Cynthia Wilkerson**

**Jimmy Wilson**, Josh Wilson's brother & Lilly's uncle

**Pauline Woodroof**, 100-year young cousin of James, Bethany Nursing Home

**Rayleigh Woolbright & 3-year-old daughter, Addie**

**Mary Wyatt & Jacob Copeland**

**Tuesday Morning Bible Class**

Come study God's Word with your family as we read **1 Peter** each Tuesday @ 10 AM.

**Breakfast With Santa ... Dec 14 @ 9AM**

**Family Christmas Party ... Third Sunday Fellowship on Dec 15 will be our Christmas get-together. Bring an inexpensive gift to exchange during a game and lets have a good time together.**

**2024 Milestones**

Birthdays	
Ethan Aleman	12/02
<b>Robert Donaldson</b>	<b>12/12</b>
<b>Paula Ladd</b>	<b>12/12</b>
<b>Katie Sylvester</b>	<b>12/14</b>
Jerry Stephens	12/15
Nancy Johnson	12/21
Tara Coats	12/24
Charlie Cochran	12/27
Anniversaries	
James & Leda Newberry	12/30

**About our JA Family**

Contribution	2024 Avg	
Dec 1	\$836	\$1,225
Budget - revised	\$1,400	\$1,400
Building fund		\$8,775

**Building Fund** – a little paint and new floors really makes a difference in the feel and appearance of the Lord's house. Thanks to **Tony** for his work on the improvements. **Sunday Jan 5** will be a special contribution to help cover the cost, if you want to help. Of course, you can contribute before then, especially if you need a 2024 tax deduction. 😊

