



The Sunday Messenger

May 18, 2025

Week 21 - Day 138

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



Loving. Caring. Sharing.

Welcome – Ron & Janie Harper!

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

Answers to 05/11/2025 questions:

Matthew 14:1-12: John, baptist; Herodias, Philip; daughter, birthday; John, platter; sorry, oaths

Have You Not Read?

Jesus was constantly asking people about their Bible reading:

“Have you not read...?” (Matthew 12:3)

“Have you not read in the law...?” (Matthew 12:5)

“Have you not read...?” (Matthew 19:4)

“Have you never read...?” (Matthew 21:16)

“Have you not read...?” (Matthew 22:31)

What about you? Have *you* not read?

Bible Wordsearch

Christian Action Words

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

Puzzle #12

R E S P O N D O F O L L O W X
M R O F R E P P D I B A Q O E
E V I E C E R E N O T Z S R L
S X A L E A L H R T T E A S B
N D A K Y I E C A F R P P H M
A R B M G R L I A V E R P I U
E B S H I D N L E R A C R P H
L T T T L N N O P I G E T G T
C W A L K E E V S L J R N H L
H O I T T K A E O O D I O V A
C O N S I D E R I P S N I W X
T J I Q R D I C N O O V V E E
E L K M U F E O S U B M I T P
S T U D Y E A M R E P E N T T
T H C A E T R E V N O C Y W L

ABSTAIN
ATTAIN
AVOID
CLEANSE
CONQUER
CONSIDER
CONVERT
DECLARE
DELIGHT
EXALT
EXAMINE
FOLLOW
GLORIFY
GROW
HONOUR
HUMBLE
INHERIT
INSPIRE
KEEP
LEARN
LISTEN
LOVE
MEDITATE
OBEY
OVERCOME
PERFECT
PERFORM
PRAISE
PRAY
PREPARE
PREVAIL
READ
RECEIVE
REJOICE
REPENT
RESPOND
SERVE
SING
STUDY
SUBMIT
TEACH
TEST
WALK
WORSHIP

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

Singing ... Larry Cochran
2 We Praise Thee O God
452 Standing On the Promises
478 Nearer Still Nearer

Prayer ... Harvey Jones
315 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross
Lord's Supper

Preside ... Rob Donaldson
Serve ... Bobby King, Tony Paul

Scripture ... Larry Cochran
Hebrews 10:19-25
480 Blessed Assurance

Lesson ... Ron Harper
Let Us
907 Hark the Gentle Voice
484 You Are My All in All

Closing Prayer ... Jared Cochran
PowerPoint ... Matt Branch



Scan the QR code to view the scriptures for today's lesson or select "Events" in the Bible App (YouVersion) or

<http://bible.com/events/49437083>

Prayer Requests

Barbara Adkins, Tammy Perry & Katie Sylvester's sister
Esther Alcorn, recovering from back surgery
Doris Ann Baker, Jerry's co-worker and long-time friend of Darlene
Teresa Chumney Craft, Darlene's cousin, recently diagnosed with cancer
Kim Currier, Amy Ladd's mom
Chitika Gooch, dizziness
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
Ron Harper, recovering from cataract surgery
Inez Hopwood, friend of Rhoda
Daughter of Inez Hopwood, stage 4 cancer
Eric Hyatt
Velma Jennette
Matthew (Tonya's boyfriend), surgery, his mom, Tresia in car wreck but ok
Alan Johnson, Richard & Nancy's son
Hannah Johnson & family
Donnie Johnson, Richard & Jean's bro.
Pam Johnson, Richard's sister-in-law
Richard & Nancy Johnson
Katina Jones, (husband, Jack) sister-in-law of Stephen Wilkerson, cancer
Carolyn Kimble
Jimmy Kimble, Tom's son and Carolyn's grandson, treatment for MS
Danny & Trish King, brother & sister-in-law of Bobby King
David Knott, husband of Mike Hopper's ex-wife Leigh Ann; cancer with arteries 80% to 100% blocked
Harold Kraous, friend of Tara, stroke
Jerry Ladd, Sr.
Jim & Margaret Ladd; Margaret's family with cancer
Anne Mae Lindsey, Ashley & Stephen's grandmother
Dallas Mathis, James' cousin, skin cancer
Ruth Netterville, Richard & Jean's sister
Jeanine Nix, Rob's mom (melanoma)
James & Leda Newberry
Florence Nicks, Rhoda's sister-in-law
Bonnie Parham, friend of Tara, cancer
William Pedigo, Aubrey's granddad
Jeanna Pewitt, Nancy's sister-in-law
Earlene Reasonover, a former member
Pat Richardson, liver 5-year-old
Josh Roberson, Darlene's nephew, treatments for liver cancer

John William (JW) Sneed, Aubrey's 6-year-old cousin
Marie Ann Sneed, James' cousin
Josie Soqui, (Katie & Jose Soqui), Heather's, may come home from Houston
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
Austin, Abby's bro, was in an accident at work
Peggy (husband, Mitch) Turner, Velma's friend, who is battling cancer
Wendell Watson, friend of James Newberry, in Erlanger Hospital, Chattanooga with multiple health issues
Sarah Whitaker, James' cousin in KY
Cynthia Wilkerson
Jimmy Wilson, Josh Wilson's brother & Lilly's uncle
Mary Wyatt and **Jacob Copeland**

Tonight ... third Sunday fellowship meal after Bible Study.
Tuesday Morning Bible Class
We are studying 1 John each Tuesday morning @ 10 AM. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

2025 Milestones

Birthdays	
Mary Wyatt	05/03
Harvey Jones	05/09
Dorothy Love	05/15
Maximus Anderson	05/17
Abby Tarantola	05/29

About our JA Family

Contribution	2025 Avg	
May 11, 2025	\$882	\$1,223
Budget	\$1,400	\$1,400

Hebrews 10:19-25 NKJV Therefore, brethren, having boldness to enter the Holiest by the blood of Jesus, (20) by a new and living way which He consecrated for us, through the veil, that is, His flesh, (21) and *having* a High Priest over the house of God, (22) let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. (23) Let us hold fast the confession of *our* hope without wavering, for He who promised *is* faithful. (24) And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, (25) not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as *is* the manner of some, but exhorting *one another*, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.