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**BIBLE LESSON TEXTS**

Sunday, Mar 21, 2021 #195	Wednesday, March 24 #196
Ten Virgins Matt 25:1-13; 31-46	Parable of Talents Matt. 25:14-30

**GOD'S SALVATION PLAN**

Divine Love: ..... John 3:16  
God's Grace: ..... Ephesians 2:8  
Christ's Blood:..... Romans 5:9  
Holy Spirit's Word: .....Romans 1:16  
Sinner's Faith:..... Acts 16:31  
Sinner's Repentance: ..... Luke 13:3  
Sinner's Confession: ..... Romans 10:10  
Sinner's Baptism:..... Acts 22:16  
Christian's Love:..... Matthew 22:37  
Christian's Work: ..... James 2:24  
Christian's Hope: .....Romans 8:24  
Christian's Endurance: ..... Revelation 2:10

**SERVICES**

<b>SUNDAY:</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY:</b>
Bible Class 9:30 Worship 10:25 AM	Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 AM
Worship 6:00 PM	Bible Classes 7:00 PM

<b>Elders:</b>	Ernest Shelton 903/628-2201
	Johnny Thomas 903/628-1292
	Russell Tyndell 903/748-2672
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	John David Thomas Blake Tyndell
	Jamey Thomas
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<b>Minister:</b>	Kevin Cauley Local# 430/200-7870



**Loving Those Who Only Love Us?**

One of the criticisms that Jesus leveled toward the religious people of His day was loving only those who loved you back. Consider what he says in Matthew 5:44-48:

Love your enemies, and pray for them that persecute you; that ye may be sons of your Father who is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sendeth rain on the just and the unjust. For if ye love them that love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same? And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the Gentiles the same? Ye therefore shall be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

In essence, what Jesus is telling us is that if we only love those who love us back, then we are no better than those we consider to be our enemies. The Pharisees despised both publicans and Gentiles, yet, their behavior was basically the same as theirs in their regard for their enemies. So, how could they show their enemies that they were any different than they were? They couldn't! Jesus, however, calls us to a higher standard: loving others as God loves us. He even loves those who don't love Him back. That is the kind of love that we must show for others.

Sometimes, however, we fail to do this even toward our own brethren. What is the answer? We must repent and love each other as the Lord wants us to love one another. This means spending more time with one another, accepting one another as Christ Jesus has accepted us, and talking to one another about our concerns. When we do this, we will grow in love.

God bless you, and I love you.  
Kevin Cauley

**OUR FAITH IN ACTION**

**Wednesday, March 10, 2021**

Devotional/classes -----	54
<b>SUNDAY, March 14, 2021</b>	
AM Worship-----	83
PM Worship-----	43
Contribution-----	\$2,799.35
Average to Date -----	\$2,796.70
Budget -----	\$3,100.00

<b>March 21, 2021 Servants</b>	
Announcements: Johnny Thomas	
<b>AM Prayers</b>	<b>PM Prayers</b>
Johnny Thomas	Derrell Patterson
Jimmy Smith	Eddie Cauley
<b>Lord's Table</b>	
Jody Thomas	Ben Dooley
Jamey Thomas	
PM Communion: Jody Thomas	
<b>March 28, 2021 Servants</b>	
Announcements: Johnny Thomas	
<b>Am Prayers</b>	<b>PM Prayers</b>
Jimmy Smith	Scott Hobson
Jim Patterson	Dave Conley
<b>Lord's Table</b>	
Jody Thomas	Ben Dooley
Jamey Thomas	
PM Communion: Jody Thomas	
<i>If for some reason you cannot serve, please call Mike Raney-903-559-4141, or John D. Thomas-903-490-5572</i>	

<b>Please Pray for ...</b>	
Don Grider	Wyvon May
Mary Hankins	Faith Salfen
Meg Shelton	Gerald Watkins
Winnie Tucker	Robin Upson
Marie McPherson	Blake Drinkard
James Love	Keith & Helen Clark
Clara Inman	Ginger Plumlee
Juanita Higginbotham	Mary Hankins
Amanda Georgakis	Kimberly (Shute) McDaniel
Charles Downs	Cayden Harris
Stephanie Wages	Henry Murray
Norma Crawford	Anita Raney
Stephanie Lebsack	
Grieving families	

***Sunday morning Bible classes are back! Come study with us!***



"WHAT A SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS! ALL THEY WANT TO TALK ABOUT IS HEAVEN. WHY DON'T THEY DISCUSS MORE PRACTICAL THINGS LIKE INVESTMENTS, HEALTH INSURANCE, MEDICAID, OR SENIOR CITIZENS' HOUSING?"

**A Big Hairy Deal**

1. This animal's hair was used to make a covering for the tabernacle.
2. A plague that turned hair white.
3. Whose strength was said to be related to his hair?
4. The type of hair that clothed John.
5. The vow an Israelite made when he separated himself to the Lord.
6. Whose hair was so heavy he polled (weighed) it every year?
7. Who compared his beloved's hair to a flock of goats that appear from Gilead?
8. Isaiah prophesied this would happen to Jerusalem and Judah related to hair.
9. Seven hundred men of this tribe could throw a stone at a hair and not miss.
10. Jeremiah told the people of Judah to cut their \_\_\_\_\_ and take up lamentation, for God had forsaken them because of their wickedness.
11. What was the condition of Shadrach's Meshach's, and Abednego's hair when Nebuchadnezzar called them to come from the fiery furnace?
12. "Nor shall you swear by your head, because you cannot make one hair \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_."
13. "If a woman has long hair, it is a glory to her; for her hair is given to her for a \_\_\_\_\_."
14. "Do not let your adornment be merely outward — \_\_\_\_\_ the hair, wearing gold, or putting on fine apparel. "

Answers found in [NKJV]: Exodus 26:7; Leviticus 13:3; Numbers 6:1-6; Judges 16:10-17; 20:14-16; 2 Samuel 14:25-26; Song of Solomon 6:5; Isaiah 3:24; Jeremiah 7:29; Daniel 3:26-27; Matthew 5:36; Mark 1:6; 1 Corinthians 11:15; and 1 Peter 3:3



"NOAH, YOU'RE CAUSING A SHORTAGE OF GOPHER WOOD, AND THE PRICE OF PITCH IS OUT OF SIGHT!"

What men have to say never negates the authority of God, nor our responsibilities to his commands. (Acts 5:29; 1 Sam 15:24; Mark 7:7-9.) The presumption of Many brings only ephemeral complacency, for the Word the Lord has spoken will judge us in the Last Day. (John 12:48) jp

**PANTRY NEEDS**  
Sandwich crackers w/ cheese or pnut butter