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Bible Class LESSON TEXTS

Sunday, October 17, 2021 #7 Wednesday, October 20, 2021 #8
Noah, Flood, and Promise Gen 8-9 **Tower of Babel Gen 11:1-9**

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

SUNDAY: **WEDNESDAY:**

Bible Class 9:30am Ladies' Bible Class
Worship 10:25 am 10:00 am

Worship 6:00 pm Bible Classes 7:00 pm

Elders: Ernest Shelton 903/628-2201
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 Russell Tyndell 903/748-2672
Deacons: Jody Thomas
John David Thomas Blake Tyndell
Jamey Thomas Mike Raney
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Happenings in God's Family



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Not Ashamed

“For whosoever shall be ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, the Son of man also shall be ashamed of him, when he cometh in the glory of his Father with the holy angels” (Mark 8:38).

The word “ashamed” means to have a negative feeling caused by something that we think is dishonorable, immoral, improper, or ridiculous whether in ourselves or in others. When someone acts in one of these ways and we are embarrassed by these acts, we may blush, turn away, or change the subject because we are uncomfortable with what has happened. This may result in strained relationships with others or pushing others away in order to escape those awkward moments.

On the other hand, when someone behaves well, it creates good feelings. We will talk about what happened to others and “brag” on the positive behavior. We will feel pride instead of shame and be encouraged to engage in a deeper relationship with these persons. We want that because their behavior makes us feel good and creates circumstances where we are less self-conscious.

Pulling all of this together, what Jesus is saying in Mark 8:38 is that those who are ashamed of Him in an adulterous and sinful generation, have their values wrong. Jesus is pure, holy, good, and right. We should feel good about knowing Him and associating with His body, the church. If we find ourselves ashamed of Jesus and His people, we need to examine ourselves. The fault is not in Jesus, but in ourselves for honoring the wrong values. When those values are right, we will love Him and His people and want to associate with them at every opportunity. To turn away from such values is to dishonor Jesus, and one day, He will dishonor us, if we do not repent.

God bless you, and I love you.

Kevin Cauley



Canned beans
(green, navy, kidney, lima, pinto)

Servants, Oct 17	
Announcements: Tommy McGee	
AM Prayers	PM Prayers
Ernest Shelton	Scott Overstreet
Johnny Thomas	Jody Thomas
Lord's Table	
Ben Dooley	Derrell Patterson
Mike Raney	
PM Communion: Mike Raney	
Pick up cards: Maddux Tyndell	
Servants, Oct 24	
Announcements: Tommy McGee	
AM Prayers	PM Prayers
Dave Conley	Jimmy Smith
Monty Crawford	Johnny Thomas
Lord's Table	
Ben Dooley	Derrell Patterson
Mike Raney	
PM Communion: Mike Raney	
Pick up cards: Logan Wages	
<i>If for some reason you cannot serve, please call Mike Raney-903-559-4141, or John D. Thomas-903-490-5572</i>	

Please Pray for ...

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
Mary Hankins	Henry Murray
Amanda Georgakis	Kimberly (Shute) McDaniel
Charles Downs	Cayden Harris
Stephanie Wages	Linda Roberts
Norma Crawford	Vince Hardage
Stephanie Lebsack	Virginia Parrish
James Posey	Marc Higgs
Janiece Richardson	Eddie Wayne Parrish
Jimmie Thomas	Art Schwiethale
Jamey Thomas	Cameron Taylor
Valerie Martin	Romeo Romo
Jon Schwiethale	
Peyton Clark	
Dale Stephens	

<u>Birthdays!</u>	
Alethea Patterson	Oct 17
Logan Wages	Oct 19

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

Mon-Wednesday, Oct 3-6, 2021

Mon ----- 64
 Tues ----- 73
 Evening ----- 72

SUNDAY, Oct 10, 2021

AM Bible class ----- 54
 AM Worship----- 87
 PM Worship----- 53
 Contribution----- \$2,384.00
 Average to Date ----- \$2,830.31
 Budget ----- \$3,100.00

Reminders and Thanks

1. Ladies' Bible Class meets Wednesday mornings at 10:00 a.m.
2. Potluck luncheon for this month was replaced by Stew Supper
3. We have a 5th Sunday coming up, which usually includes opportunities to hear from brethren (men) from among our number willing to preach. Talk to the elders if you'd like to help with such activities.
4. Please stop by the office and confirm your address and information on file so a new directory can be published. Your cooperation is appreciated.
5. Thanks to Wilma Alexander and Sandra Conley for straightening up and cleaning in the janitorial supply room!
6. Thanks to others who worked to prepare for the Gospel meeting earlier this month.
7. Thanks to all who have put their hands to the plow, in laboring for the Lord, inviting others to hear the Gospel recently especially.
8. Thanks to our Brother Dave Conley for maintaining our parking lot with herbicide and repairing our ice maker in the kitchen.
9. Thanks to the ladies who have decorated the interior of our building with flowers seasonally.
10. Thanks to all who try to keep the office updated for the benefit of many.
11. Thanks to our many good examples who show us how to serve like Christ, with humility and love.

Nevertheless he [the living God, v.15] left not himself without witness, in that he did good, and gave us rain from heaven, and fruitful seasons, filling our hearts with food and gladness. [\(Act 14:17\)](#)

He hath made every *thing* beautiful in his time: also he hath set the world in their heart, so that no man can find out the work that God maketh from the beginning to the end. [\(Ecc 3:11\)](#)

But thou shalt remember the LORD thy God: for *it is* he that giveth thee power to get wealth, that he may establish his covenant which he sware unto thy fathers, as *it is* this day. And it shall be, if thou do at all forget the LORD thy God, and walk after other gods, and serve them, and worship them, I testify against you this day that ye shall surely perish. As the nations which the LORD destroyeth before your face, so shall ye perish; because ye would not be obedient unto the voice of the LORD your God. [\(Deu 8:18-20\)](#)

All obedient Honor, Glory, and Praise can/should/must be rendered to God justly and with gratitude. (Mat 5:13-14; Rev 4:11; 5:12; John 4:24; 1 Tim 1:17).