

The Christian Center Newsletter 5-26-24

If You Know God, You Know Mercy

The devil is always lying about the character of God. He always tries to destroy the image of a loving and kind God; he wants people to think that God is vengeful and wants to hurt them. In today's Newsletter, I'm going to show you who God really is, so that you can have faith that He will treat you with love and kindness, even though we don't deserve it. Remember this; if you don't understand God's merciful, loving kindness, you won't have faith to receive His goodness. The Scriptures for us to study today will cause us to realize how loving and caring our Father God is, so let's read and study them.

Ephesians 2:1-10 NLT Once you were dead because of your disobedience and your many sins. [2] You used to live in sin, just like the rest of the world, obeying the devil-the commander of the powers in the unseen world. He is the spirit at work in the hearts of those who refuse to obey God. [3] All of us used to live that way, following the passionate desires and inclinations of our sinful nature. By our very nature we were subject to God's anger, just like everyone else. [4] But God is so rich in mercy, and He loved us so much, [5] that even though we were dead because of our sins, He gave us life when e raised Christ from the dead. (It is only by God's grace that you have been saved!) [6] For He raised us from the dead along with Christ and seated us with Him in the heavenly realms because we are united with Christ Jesus. [7] So God can point to us in all future ages as examples of the incredible wealth of His grace and kindness toward by us, as shown in all He has done for us who are united with Christ Jesus. [8] God saved you by His grace when you believed. And you can't take credit for this; it is a gift from God. [9] Salvation is not a reward for the good things we have done, so none of us can boast about it. [10] For

we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things He planned for us long ago.

Once we understand God's wonderful love for us, it won't be hard to believe for His blessings in our lives. Over these many years that I've been studying God's love and kindness, I understand that God is no respecter of persons. He loves everyone the same, because He is Love. I'm going to close this Newsletter with these verses:

John 3:16-18 KJV For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. [17] For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved. [18] He that believeth on Him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the Name of the only begotten Son of God.

If you have sinned and you think God won't forgive you read, this Newsletter over and over again; then you will know that He will forgive you and that He already has forgiven you through Jesus.

Love you,
Pastor Paul

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday Hebrews 2

Tuesday Hebrews 3

Wednesday Hebrews 4

Thursday Hebrews 5

Friday Hebrews 6

Saturday Hebrews 7

Sunday Hebrews 8

STAY CONNECTED

** Here is the link for The Christian Center app- -

<https://subsplash.com/thechristiancenter/app>
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** If you need prayer, call our Prayer Line 580-704-0505

** Singles will be eating after Services at: Rib Crib 2502 NW Cache Rd

** Offices will be closed Monday for Memorial Day. No Early Morning Prayer, Women's Aerobics, Noonday, or Care Group.

** You can give by texting through the TCC app.

** Crosses at the Corner 11am-1pm corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.

** Youth Camp June 10-13; Kids' Camp June 18-21. Ushers have registration forms

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES at 9:45am

Children — 6 months - 5th grade

Youth — 6th -12th grades

Young Singles/College & Career —ages 18-26 Eliav/Kim Nash

ADULT CLASSES

*Foundation 1 - Pastor Paul

*Healing - Lester/Monica Witherspoon

*Faith - Mike Whitley

*Marriage -Danny/Demetrice Williams

*Foundation 2 - Mike Wiggins

*Prayer - Joe Cunningham

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Daily

* Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am

* Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Fri 10-11am in the Gym

* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app

Weekly

** Sunday Services: 9:45 am classes; 10:45am Main Service

** Monday Night Care Group: In Sanctuary under balcony 7pm

** Wednesday Night Prayer: 6pm before Services in the Foundation 1 Classroom

** Wednesday Night: Adult and Youth Services 7pm (Youth meet in Youth area)

** Mobile Prayer: Fri 2-3:30pm Hobby Lobby parking lot

** Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in Sanctuary under balcony

Monthly

*** Crosses at the Corner: 1st Saturday 11am-1pm corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.

*** Women's Meeting: 2nd Saturday 9am in Fellowship Hall

*** Women's Discipleship: 3rd Thursday 5pm in Sanctuary

*** Horse Ministry: 3rd Saturday 10am -1pm at Camp Faith

*** Relationship Class: 4th Saturday 10am-12 in Fellowship Hall. Childcare 4 years old and up