

BIBLE TRIVIA

- 1.) Whose sight was restored in the city of Damascus by Ananias ?
- 2.) Where did Jacob sleep and dreamed of Jacob’s ladder?
- 3.) Who said “as for me and my house we will serve the Lord”?
- 4.) What did Paul say was the fulfillment of the of the law?
- 5.) How many Jews were exiled to Babylon by Nebuchadnezzar?



SERMONS FOR SUNDAY

**A.M.: Dale Foster**  
**Wear Shoes That You Want Filled**  
**Proverbs 22:6**  
**P.M. Cancelled**

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**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE DEVOTIONAL**

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Welcome Visitors

We want to personally thank you for joining us today. It is our prayer you leave our worship service with an uplifted spirit. Below is what you can expect during our services.

**SINGING:** Non-instrumental singing plays a great part of our worship services. We hope that you will find this to be an uplifting praise to the Lord. (Eph. 5:19)

**LORD’S SUPPER:** Each Sunday we observe the Lord’s Supper, which reflects on the death, burial and resurrection of our Lord Jesus, and the hope of everlasting life we now can live through Him. (I Cor. 11:23-26)

**CONTRIBUTION:** During the service, we as members are given the opportunity to give a portion of what God has given us. This money is used to support the church and to help spread God’s Word. (I Cor. 16:2)

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**Schedule of Services**

Sunday morning & online services are available, all Sunday night and Wednesday night service at the building are cancelled due to COVID-19.

**Sunday:**

Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening	6:00 p.m.

**Ladies Bible Class:** (Sept-May)

Tuesday 9:30 a.m.

**Wednesday Bible Class** 7:00 p.m.



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**The Exception to Forgiveness**

Many times, I have seen the devil working those around us in this selfish world. Job1:7

It has been my experience that one of the devil’s preferred methods is to prevent the act of forgiveness. The devil does this by convincing the world of exception to forgiveness, that there are rules to follow in order to forgive. We see examples of this behavior with statements like:

he/she does not deserve it.

he/she will have to apologize first.

he/she need to explain in greater detail what they did and why it’s wrong.

If I forgive, I will be condoning their offense.

If I forgive, others will take aggressive action against me for the offense.

If I forgive, I am weak to let the other person win.

He/she is not in my life, so I don’t need to forgive!

It’s too much to forgive.

I’m just too angry to forgive!

**Continue-**



## Pray for our family

**Terry Peavler** surgery is scheduled for September 30th at St Lukes Woodlands.

**Sherlyn Cartwright** is seeing a wound care specialist for her leg and is in pain.

**Howard Roden** fell and had to get stitches on his head, he is in need of prayers.

**Doug Allee** is back home after successful knee surgery.

**Betty Love** is struggling with fatigue. She would like to thank everyone for the prayers and encouragement.

**Jackie Crawford** is at St Lukes Hospital and is in need of prayers, she misses everyone.

**Lanellsia** has requested prayers for a family friend.

**Please remember: Betty Love, Bobby Freeman Myrtle Jones, Howard Roden, Debbie White, Sherlyn Cartwright, Tim Cartwright, Mark Florez, Linda Carpenter, Jennifer George, Russel Dukes Jr, Scott Warren And ALL of the first responders and those dealing with Covid-19.**

### Bible Trivia Answers

- 1.) Acts 9:17-18
- 2.) Genesis 28:19
- 3.) Joshua 24:15
- 4.) Romans 13:10
- 5.) Jeremiah 52:30



We would like to welcome our new Brother in Christ Terrell Cary who was Baptized on September 6<sup>th</sup> after service.

### IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING



### WORSHIP SERVICES

Following Governor Abbott's order for re-opening Texas the worship service in person is at a limited capacity. We will have worship services at the building and Facebook live/online service.

If you are over the age of 65, or in a high-risk group, we encourage you to participate in our online services.

We ask that you follow the guidelines below while worshipping at the building:

- All attendees over the age of 10 will need to wear a face mask.
- The only exceptions for wearing the face mask will be when partaking of the Lord's Supper and men that are publicly speaking while leading in our worship service.
- Enter and exit the building through the front door. This will help to minimize the touching of common items.
- For communion, we will have disposable cups. They will be available as you enter the building.
- Sit in alternate rows. Half of the auditorium rows will be closed.
- Individuals may sit with members of their household but must maintain 6 feet between members of different households.
- There will no bible classes, evening worship, Tuesday ladies bible class or Wednesday night services at this time.
- Please maintain social distancing while fellowshiping with other members. We look forward to seeing each of you this Sunday. Please continue to pray that we all may come together soon with all of the saints here at 249 Church of Christ.

## Continue-

The devil will say anything to rob you of the power of forgiveness! Forgiveness transforms anger and hurt into healing and peace. Forgiveness can help you overcome feelings of depression, anxiety, and rage, as well as personal and relational conflicts.

The power of forgiveness is the power of God. When we forgive others, we act like Jesus with love. It was God's will that Joseph be reunited with his brothers and to his father In Genesis Chapters 45 – 46. Joseph's Forgiveness enabled him to be with his family who he loved.

A Christian must forgive in order to be forgiven!

Matthew 6:14. For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. 15. But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

There's nothing that man could do to you that compares to the cross, and look at what Jesus did with the power of forgiveness.

Then Jesus said, Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do. Luke 23:34

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