



CAC's Bulletin for Sunday, September 30, 2012

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Last Sunday AM

Pastor Joseph preached "Times of Refreshing From the Presence of the Lord" based on Acts 3:19. This message underscored the importance being filled with the Holy Ghost. To be filled with the Spirit is essential for one's salvation. Also, regarding tongues, the pastor addressed the fact of marked difference in purpose, function, and administration between "tongues as evidence" and "tongues in the gifts of the Spirit" that may follow after one is first filled with the Spirit. He described the gifts of the Spirit as being distributed by God as He wills across all Spirit-filled believers, and that His use of various believers to speak forth or go forth and act or work in the Spirit, is somewhat like a skilled musician playing a piano. As an artist, the musician will strike many different keys during a song, just as God gifts and speaks/acts through many different believers in the assembly.

Last Sunday PM

Pastor Joseph preached "Those Who Are Perishing." His title was taken from a phrase used several times in the New Testament—for examples: "For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God" (I Corinthians 1:18) and "And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing" (II Corinthians 4:3). He then preached how short life is, and how important it is to keep our priorities straight. He brought several illustrations of real-life lessons learned from his first boss. Ken Norris was the manager at the Brookshire's grocery store where Bro. Joseph held his first job. That store manager also happened to be a denominational preacher. Pastor Joseph remembered that boss explaining that all the produce in the store was in the process of dying. He gave two analogies. (1) All the lost souls around us are dying. If we don't reach them with the gospel, they will perish. (2) Our natural bodies are in the process of passing away. If we don't work for God now, we will lose our chance to use this life for His glory. We had a wonderful time of communion and foot washing at the conclusion of this service. God anointed these precious rites in a glorious way. Thank God for the body and blood of Christ!

Last Wednesday

Pastor Joseph preached/taught "A Few Important Rules" using II Timothy 2:5 and Jude 1:3 to launch preparatory remarks leading up to an expository reading of Ephesians 4. Paul's words of "He that striveth for the mastery must strive lawfully" have been aptly translated as "if anyone competes as an athlete, he does not receive the victor's crown unless he competes according to the rules." If you want to win, you must obey the rules or the win is worthless because you sacrificed your integrity to make it happen. The words "contend" (Jude 1:3; "earnestly contend for the faith") and "strive" (II Timothy 2:5, an athlete competing) are similar in this usage. When we strive or contend or "fight" for correct doctrine, biblical holiness, and compliance to biblical principles, we must do so "according to the rules" (lawfully). We then noted a few important rules from Ephesians 4. Be humble, gentle; patient, loving, etc.

Natural Birthdays	Spiritual Birthdays	Anniversary
Bro Kenneth Fought (10/3) Bro David Lee Claypool (10/4) Sis Cheri Sandy (10/5) Sis Christina Ramsey (10/6)	None to list. Did we miss something?	Bro Mike and Sis Katrina Sutton (10/4/2003) – congrats 9 years!

Announcements / Events / Ministry Opportunities

- **Voice of Truth, on WAJR 103.3 FM**, is aired twice on Sundays: 11:30am & 11pm. **Today: Creation vs. Evolution, part 23, with Steve & Dana Grohman**
- Today, Sun, Sept 30 – We welcome **Missionary Stan Wilt**, on deputation in WV
- Tue-Fri, October 2-5 – **UPCI General Conference**, at St. Louis, MO

Fun!

Kids Corner

Humor!

It doesn't hurt to have a little biblical humor to enrich your day...

- Q. What kind of man was Boaz before he married Ruth?
A. Ruthless.
- Q. What do they call pastors in Germany?
A. German Shepherds.
- Q. Who was the greatest financier in the Bible?
A. Noah -- he was floating his stock while everyone else was in liquidation.
- Q. Who was the greatest female financier in the Bible?
A. Pharaoh's daughter. She went down to the bank of the Nile and drew out a little prophet.
- Q. What kind of motor vehicles are in the Bible?
A. Jehovah drove Adam and Eve out of the Garden in a Fury. David's Triumph was heard throughout the land. Also, probably a Honda, because the apostles were all in one Accord.
- Q. Who was the greatest comedian in the Bible?
A. Samson. He brought the house down.
- Q. What excuse did Adam give to his children as to why he no longer lived in Eden?
A. Your mother ate us out of house and home.
- Q. Which servant of God was the most flagrant lawbreaker in the Bible?
A. Moses. He broke all 10 commandments at once.
- Q. Which area of the Middle East was especially wealthy?
A. The area around Jordan -- the banks were always overflowing.
- Q. Who is the greatest babysitter mentioned in the Bible?
A. David. He rocked Goliath to a very deep sleep.
- Q. Which Bible character had no parents?
A. Joshua, son of Nun.
- Q. Why didn't they play cards on the Ark?
A. Because Noah was standing on the deck. (Groan.)
- PS: Did you know it's wrong for a woman to make coffee?
Yep, it's in the Bible. It says, 'He brews'

Fun!

Stan 'N' Isaac

Submit your funny things to news@cac.us.com



Special Prayer Needs

Bro Zach Sandy
Elder Charles Hoskins
Sis. Charlotte Evans
Sis. Bev Feathers

Featured Verse

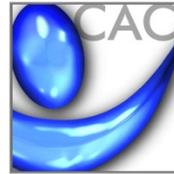
Bro. Jim Starkey
Sis. Michele Pearce
George Jones / kids
Mark Matheny

"But I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway" (1 Corinthians 9:27).



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9/29: Wonderful Reception for Bro. Shane & Sis. Vanessa



What a great time for all! If you missed it, be sure to congratulate them, and consider a card/gift. Thanks to Sis. Lisa Fought for the great photographs.