

# CAC's Bulletin for Sunday, November 27, 2016

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### **Sunday AM**

Elder Lorren Godwin preached "Who We Are" from Exodus 21:1-6. People are often confused as to how believers can be free by being servants to God. Jesus said, "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest; Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light" (Matthew 11:28-30). We come to Him and serve Him out of gratitude for delivering us from sin. We stay with Him out of duty for what He has done for us. Exodus 21 shows that if a man becomes impoverished, and out of necessity sells himself to another to settle a debt, he had to serve him for seven years. After the debt was settled he was free, but if he had acquired a wife and children while serving him, although he could go out free, still his wife and children had to remain. Yet if he decided he loved his wife and children more, or his master more, he could proclaim himself a love slave, a servant for life. The judges marked him and he became a love slave, serving out of love rather than obligation. We must mature until we serve God out of love rather than fear or obligation. Only then will we find our true identity of who we really are.

## **Sunday PM**

We were greatly blessed by the Elders in tag-team preaching. Elder Rusty Sandy read II Chronicles 7:14 and spoke of the importance of repetitively renewing your relationship with God. Elders Kieran Joseph, Brian Murphy Jr., JT Sandy, Hannah Sandy, and Baron Claypool all followed in the same vein. Each Elder was led in the same direction in prayer. It was an excellent example of harmony and responding to God's call. Humble yourself and seek His face!

## Wednesday

Jr Elder Kieran Joseph preached "The Devil's Folly" from Isaiah 14:12 and Proverbs 16:18. Satan was once "Lucifer" (son of the morning), an angel in heaven leading a third part of all the other angels. He was gifted to lead in worship, and was perfect until his heart was lifted up in pride. We are all called to be worshippers, and like Satan, we are susceptible to pride. We must be careful to not let arrogance overtake our hearts, lest we fall prey to the folly of Satan. Pride goes before destruction. We must always remember all our giftedness comes from God. Give Him all the glory always. Those who are gifted to lead in worship seem to have an extra large "bullseye" on them and so they must be extra careful. Satan craves to get us to fall to the same mistake he made: pride. Guard your hearts and don't let pride enter into your thinking! Elder Les Benedum preached from Malachi 3:10-12. God opened His window to bless His children. God will bless our fruits and our name. All nations shall call us blessed of God. But if we do not open the windows of our lives then we shut God's blessings out. We need to open the windows in our lives so the blessings of God will flow into our lives. And to take every opportunity we can to be a blessing to others. As God has blessed us, we should be a blessing to others.

Natural Birthdays	Spiritual Birthdays	Anniversaries
Bro. Ken Lamoureux (11/27)	None to be announced.	None to be announced.

# **Announcements / Events / Ministry Opportunities**

- Voice of Truth is aired each Sunday at 11:30am on News/Talk WAJR 103.3 FM.
   Today: "\_\_" by Pastor Joseph
- Mondays at 6pm Family Prayer at CAC, all members attend and help pray!
- Fri-Sat, Dec. 2-3 Purpose Institute Bible classes at CAC
- Wed, Dec. 7 Youth Service (for all ages let our students minister to you).
- Fri, Dec. 9 at 6:30pm CAC Christmas Banquet, Lost Creek Community Center
- Sun, Dec. 18, 10 am **Christmas Plays** courtesy of our Sunday School classes
- Sun, Dec. 25, 10 am One service only on **Christmas Day** Celebrate the Savior!

Fun!	Kids Corner	ner The Wise Men	
The Wise Men The wise men's journey Matthew 3:7-11 (ASV)			

Use the key to complete the verses below about the three wise men.

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7. Then Herod privily called the Wise-men, and learned of them exactly what time the				
appeared. 8. And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search out				
exactly concerning the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word, that I also may				
come and him. 9. And they, having heard the king, went their				
way; and lo, the star, which they saw in the $ { }                               $				
stood over where the young child was. $10$ . And when they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceed-				
ing great $11.$ And they came into the house and saw the young child with				
Mary his mother; and they fell down and worshipped him; and opening their treasures they offered				
unto him				
in a dream that they should not return to Herod, they departed into their own				
country another way.				

#### Fun! Humor

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

Nathan, a young Jewish boy, was admiring the Christmas trees displayed in his neighbor's windows. He asked his father, "Daddy, can we have a Christmas tree?" "What? No, of course not," said his father. "Why not?" Nathan asked. Bewildered, his father replied, "Well, Nathan, because the last time we had dealings with a lighted bush we spent 40 years wandering in the wilderness."

## Fun! Stan 'N' Isaac

## The shenanigans never end.





Special Prayer Needs		Featured Verse
Sis. Rachel Claypool	Sis. Pauline Scheuvront	"Order my steps in thy word: and
Sis. Jeannette Joseph	Bro. Terry Null	let not any iniquity have dominion
Bro. Bill Pearce	Sis. Bev Feathers	over me" (Psalm 119:133).
Sis. Helen Sandy	Sis. Penny Benedum	
Bro. Jim Starkey	Sis. Cindy Murphy	
Bro. Bud Sandy	Sis. Brenda Hudson	
Bro. Donald Tucker	Sis. Carol Moneypenny	



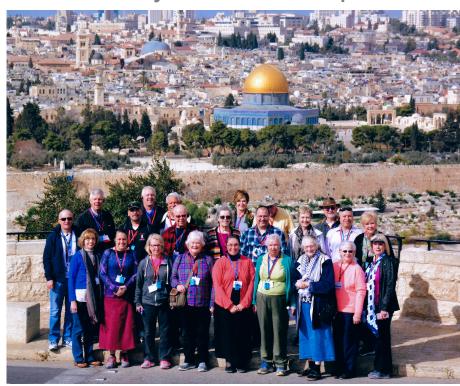
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# Christian Apostolic Church Where Miracles Live!

Welcome home! We're glad to have our Pastor, First Lady, our Pastor's Mother, and Brother and Sister Ramsey back from their trip to Israel!



Above: the great group that accompanied our Pastor and his family in a biblical tour of Israel, walking in the footsteps of Jesus. If you would like to go in the future, start saving money now. It is a trip of a lifetime sure to bless you! The photo above was taken on the Mt. of Olives, with the Old City of Jerusalem in the background.