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Prison Ministry

Century Correctional Institutional:
Sunday 8 A.M.
(excluding 2nd Sunday of each
month)

Century Work Camp:
Sunday 2 P.M.
(excluding 1st Sunday of each
month)

Our Record For Last Week

Sunday A.M. Bible Class 63
Sunday A.M. Worship 88
Sunday P.M. Worship 66
Wednesday 49
Contribution \$3047.00

“Upon the first day of the week let every
one of you lay by him in store, as God
hath prospered him...”
1 Corinthians 16:1-2

Sermons for Sunday October 31, 2010

A.M.
“Is God’s Manna Enough?”
Jesse Claunch

P.M.
“Where Thou Goest, I will
Go”
Jesse Claunch



CENTURY MESSENGER

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October 31, 2010

Schedule of Services

Sunday Services
Bible Study 9:30 A.M.
A.M. Services 10:30 A.M.
P.M. Services 6:00 P.M.

*wednesday
Services*
Bible Study 7:00 P.M.

Radio Program
WPFL FM Sundays
at 12pm

Other Services
Century Care Center
Last Tuesday of each
Month @ 6pm

Do we think more of our Theology than Scripture?

A Greek professor at a University in West Tennessee was asked the question, “Did Peter actually say in the original language, ‘repent and be baptized everyone of you in the name of Jesus Christ FOR THE REMISSION OF SINS?’” The professor’s response was, “Yes, that is what he said grammatically, but theologically, I do not believe that is what he meant.” (Acts 2:38).

The response of this professor shows that he held his own thoughts about God’s words in higher regard and a greater position of respect than he did God’s actual words. This man had allowed his theology (religious thoughts) of God’s word to become a greater authority than the word of God.

Unfortunately this is a growing problem among “religious” people. Some do and practice things they think are pleasing to God, while these things go directly against God’s word. They allow what they think about scripture or the ways they think things should be to supersede the simple and plain words of God. This problem affects every aspect of religion today, from how to worship to how one is saved from sins.

The Christian cannot let his, or anyone’s, theology come before what God has plainly said. If one finds a contradiction between a thought on religious matters and what God word says, then one MUST side on the word of God. (Acts 5:29; John 14:15).

Please do not allow your theology to overshadow the word of God.

-Jesse Claunch

Personal Notes:

**THOSE TO SERVE
OCTOBER 31, 2010**

Sunday Morning

Announcements.....Johnny Burkhead
Opening Prayer Bible Study.....Rummie Tetter
Closing Prayer Bible Study.....Sawyer Hudson
Opening Prayer.....Mark Autrey
Song Leading A.M. R.C.
Song Leading P.M. Lloyd
Closing Prayer..... Herman Prescott
Lord's Table.....Brandon Godwin,
Travis Smith, Bill Hendricks, Austin Autrey

Wednesday Night
Sawyer Hudson

**Hoomesville Church
Of Christ**
Clifford Dixon

**Century Correctional
Institute**
Jesse Claunch

“The God of...”

In well over 200 verses do we find the phrase “the God of.” While some of these refer to “the god of this world,” “the god of the Moabites” and other such pagan deities, the phrase most often has reference to Jehovah God. Of the instances in which we find this phrase used in reference to our God, it is used many times (in some 89 verses) of the God of Israel. It is also found in reference to God being the God of the greats of old (Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, David, etc.). However, there are several times when this phrase is accompanied by some descriptive term which clarifies for us this great and matchless God. Let us notice some of these.

Numbers 16:22 “And they fell upon their faces, and said, O God, **the God of the spirits of all flesh**, shall one man sin, and wilt thou be wroth with all the congregation?” All men are made “in His image” (Gen. 1:26, 27). He is the Author of the souls of men and it is to Him those spirits shall return (Eccl. 12:7). Seeing this to be true, man would do well to bow in reverence to Him and live in obedience to His Will (Heb. 5:8, 9; I Jn. 2:3).

Ezra 5:11 “And thus they returned us answer, saying, We are the servants of **the God of heaven and earth**, and build the house that was builded these many years ago, which a great king of Israel builded and set up.” Far too many want to allow Him to be the God of heaven, but would rather keep Him out of their affairs on earth. He is the God of all, or He is the God of nothing. Paul stated that He “made the world and all things therein, seeing that He is Lord of heaven and earth, [and] dwelleth not in temples made with hands” (Acts 17:24). In order for Him to be our God in heaven (when this life is over), He must be our God on earth (while here we live).

- Eddy Gilpin

Century's News and Notes

Announcements

* Ladies Day at Leonard Street Church of Christ Nov. 6th

*Our Gospel Meeting & Homecoming will be Nov. 7th-10th. Speaker, Bryant Evans. Remember to prepare food for the meal following next Sunday morning worship service.

*Update from Guyana: 23 baptisms, 32 restorations, 1 marriage. Remember to keep Jerry in your prayers, he is scheduled be home Monday.

*Food Preparation List is being updated, those who would like to be added/removed please let Mott know.

Prayer List

Jack Brantley	Zane Brantley
Curtis Chavers	Gene White
Danny Calhoun	Dianna Salter
Walterine Kelly	Stacy Salter
Elaine Lambert	

Violet Montgomery- recovering from surgery
Austin Cagle- 8 yr old diagnosed with Leukemia

Mary Ann Carnley- bone cancer
Lucille Scott - at home, but she is very weak and not doing well.

Ronnie Strickland- (father of Patrick Strickland) at home, but fell and broke rib and having therapy.

Amanda Kelly- recovering from back surgery.

Ray Free- Cancer

Jerry Brantley- Guyana

Mike Cook- pancreatic cancer

Dixie Carlton- suffered a mini stroke, in the hospital in Jacksonville, FL

Happy Birthday!!

Ralph Beasley (31st),

Daniel Branch (5th), Billy Hill

Happy Anniversary!!

None this week