

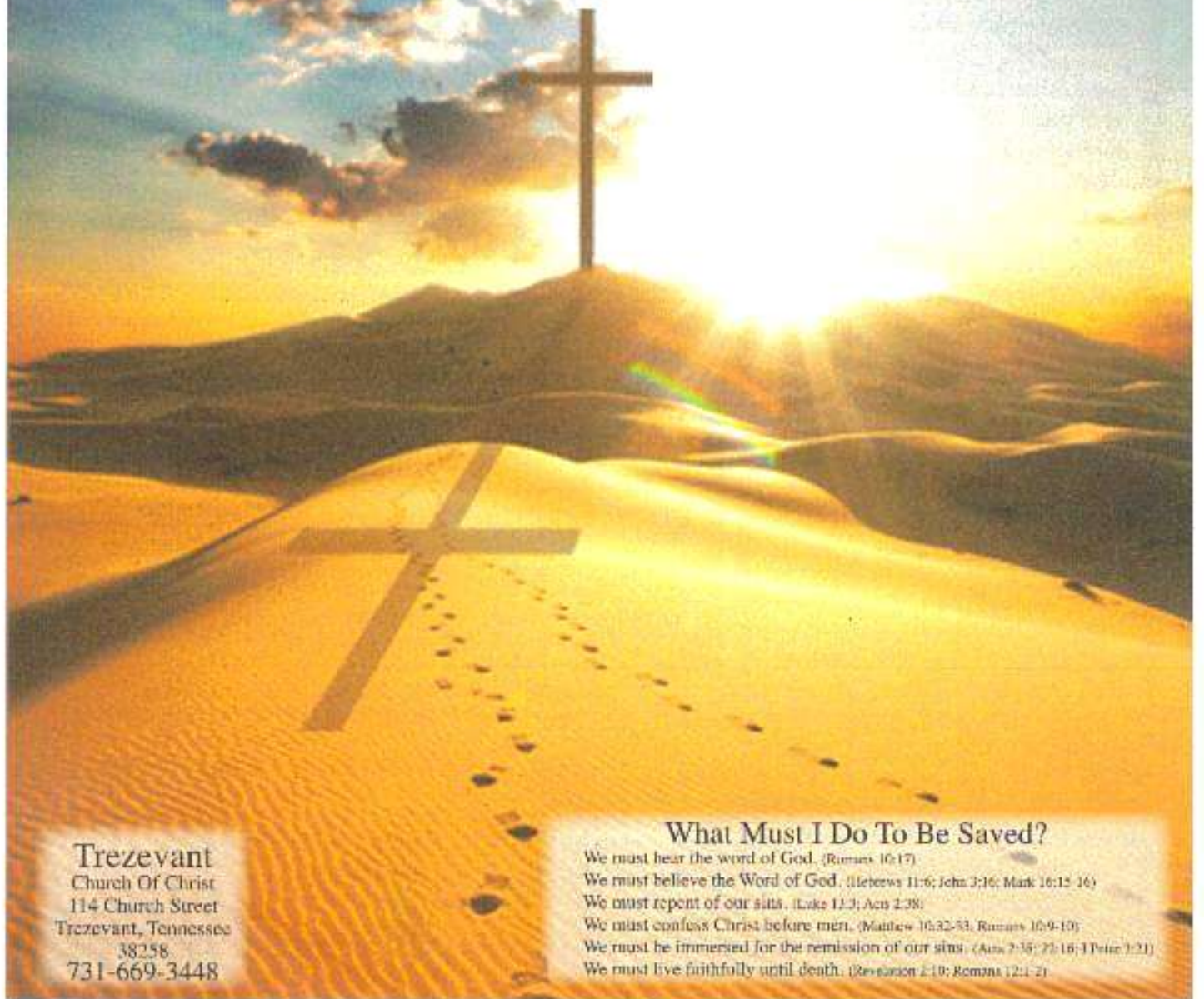
The Follower

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Matthew 16:24

"Then Jesus said to his disciples,
If any [man] will come after me
let him deny himself and take his
cross, and follow me"



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What Must I Do To Be Saved?

- We must hear the word of God. (Romans 10:17)
- We must believe the Word of God. (Hebrews 11:6; John 3:16; Mark 16:15-16)
- We must repent of our sins. (Luke 11:3; Acts 2:38)
- We must confess Christ before men. (Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:9-10)
- We must be immersed for the remission of our sins. (Acts 2:38; 7:18; 1 Peter 3:21)
- We must live faithfully until death. (Revelation 2:10; Romans 12:1-2)

HOW TO BE RELIGIOUSLY MISERABLE

AUTHOR UNKNOWN

Some members of the church never attend regular assemblies of the congregation with any degree of regularity. This has been the practice of some since New Testament times (Hebrews 10:25).

At first such a member realizes that he is doing wrong; his conscience hurts him. His feeling of guilt are amplified and he feels miserable when a fellow Christian says something to him about being missed at church. This feeling grows every time he is near a preacher at some public gathering for fear the preacher might say something about his being absent. Then, when brethren begin calling upon him, his distress is multiplied because he knows why these members are visiting him.

By this time his misery may motivate him to try going to church again-but just on Sunday mornings! "Maybe," he thinks, "this will get rid of the misery." Then when everyone at church tells him they certainly have missed him and how glad they are to see him, he feels guilty. In fact, he may feel somewhat like a stranger. Then if the sermon has some point which makes him feel uncomfortable (as almost any sermon will now), there are more feelings of guilt.

By this time, the cycle is complete. This member feels guilty for not going to church, and he feels miserable when he does! One can hardly get more miserable than this!

THE ANSWER IS OBVIOUS: Attend all the services of the church. Get involved in every good work. Take full advantage of every opportunity to grow and prosper in Christ. Fully, totally, wholly give yourself to the Lord. This cures religious misery immediately and works every time it is applied to the problem.

We Need Everyone to Attend Every Service and Be Active in the Work at the Trezevant Church of Christ!

Cards Needed!

Glenda Rogers
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Jerry Martin
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(Had a port put in place Friday and
will begin chemo this week.)

All our sick/shut ins would
appreciate a card of
encouragement.

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www.trezevantchurchofchrist.org

First Impressions

A company, feeling it was time for a shake-up, hires a new CEO. This new boss is determined to rid the company of all slackers. On a tour of the facilities, the CEO notices a guy leaning on a wall. The room is full of workers and he thinks this is his chance to show everyone he means business!

The CEO walks up to the guy and asks, "And how much money do you make a week?"

Undaunted, the young fellow looks at him and replies, "I make \$200 a week. Why?"

The CEO then hands the guy \$200 in cash and screams, "Here's a week's pay; now GET OUT and don't come back!"

Feeling pretty good about his first firing, the CEO looks around the room and asks, "Does anyone want to tell me what that slacker did here?"

With a sheepish grin, one of the other workers mutters, "He's the pizza delivery guy."

"Lay hands suddenly on no man. . . ." I Timothy 5:22

NEWS AND NOTES

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays: November- 9-Haley Chrisman, 17-David Bryant, 18-Hayden McClain, 18-David Brasher, 28-Joshua Brasher.

Anniversaries: November- 25-J.T. & Glenda Rogers. If anyone is overlooked on a birthday or anniversary please let Tim know.

HEALTH WATCH

Sick this past week: Shan De Priest, Rhonda Aden, Diane Giles. Ruby Fesmire (10th Grade at West Carroll) was diagnosed with cancer. She is going to St. Jude. Lois Arrington received a good report from her heart cath this past Wednesday.

SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME

Annie Lee Hall, Billy Bennett, Horace Ray Coleman, Glenda Rogers.

PRAYER LIST

Betty Wiggins, Josie Plunk, Sherry Parker, Rennie Kennedy, David King, John David Presson, Rena Arrington, Paul Wallace, Leah Farley, Jerry & Betty De Priest, Reitha Martin, Zach Crider (dialysis/on transplant list), Angie Holmes, Shirley Vinson (Mistee Cooper's Mom), **CANCER:** Ruby Fesmire, Natalie Jackson, Marie Gallimore, Sherry (Argo) Stout, David Johnson, Tolbert Ray, Gail Pritchard, Sue Bush, Karen Johnson Lawson, Helen Watkins, Hollis Gallimore, Randy Miller, Mary Wilson, Jay Rogers, Dwayne Bateman, Christie Fullerton, James Green (Lori's dad), CJ Wachsmuth, Joey Anderson, Beth Wells (completed treatments), Pat Schneider, Samantha Wallace, Beth Ann Potter, Jerry Martin, Oscar Davidson, Vickie Foster, Josie Plunk. **MILITARY:** Troy Pollack

Let's continue to remember all our men and women serving our Country in the military.

Don't Forget The Pantry Item This Week!

Canned White Beans & Baked Beans

	<u>Last Week's Record</u>	<u>Goals</u>
Bible Study:	*76	65
Worship AM:	*85	85
Worship PM:	68	70
Wednesday:	*66	55
Contribution	*\$3,308.06	\$1,450.00

Invite A Friend To Worship!

IT IS HARD . . . To convince your children that the church is the world's most important institution when you give little to help finance its work and encourage them to do likewise.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

November 13th- We will be honoring/recognizing All Veterans. We will also have a special presentation for the veterans in attendance. Please invite all your family, friends and neighbors, especially if they are veterans.
December 11th- Holiday Meal.

Bible Reading for the week of November 6th

Sunday November 6th - Luke 13-15
Monday November 7th - Luke 16-18
Tuesday November 8th - Luke 19-21
Wednesday November 9th - Luke 22-24
Thursday November 10th - John 1-3
Friday November 11th - John 4-6
Saturday November 12th - John 7-9

Let's encourage one another in reading the New Testament by the end of this year. Please turn in your total chapters read for the week in the box in the foyer. I will post the running total in the bulletin each week.

**Chapters Read:
This Week: 633
Grand Total: 633**



Veterans Day is November 11th!
We are going to recognize our men and women who have served our country on **Sunday, November 13th**. Please invite all your friends, family and neighbors, especially if they are veterans. Please write down your name, branch of service, years served and give to Shane or Tim. We would like to have the list as soon as possible this week. Also, if your husband or wife served our country in the military please give us the same information.

Sunday Morning	November 6, 2011	November 13, 2011
Power Point	Shane De Priest	Shane De Priest
Greet	Shane & Brooke	Shane & Brooke
Announcements	Dale Aden	Dale Aden
Song Leader	David Bryant	David Bryant
Scripture Reading	Norris De Priest	Charlie Wachsmuth
Opening Prayer	Nick Bryant	Tim Rogers
Preside - Table	Steve Foster	Steve Foster
Preside - Table	Terry Hall	Terry Hall
Table	Keith Poveyhouse	Keith Poveyhouse
Table	David Brasher	David Brasher
Table	Garrett Wright	Garrett Wright
Table	Ben Holmes	Ben Holmes
Closing Prayer	David Brasher	Dale Aden
Sunday Night	November 6, 2011	November 13, 2011
Song Leader	Nick Bryant	Nick Bryant
Opening Prayer	Keith Poveyhouse	David Bryant
Scripture Reading	William Murre	Norris De Priest
Table	Steve Foster or Terry Hall	Steve Foster or Terry Hall
Closing Prayer	Joshua Brasher	Mark Wright
Wednesday	November 9, 2011	November 16, 2011
Opening Prayer	Steve Foster	Mark Wright
Closing Prayer	Dillon Foster	Joshua Brasher

WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:00a.m.

Worship 10:00a.m.

Evening Worship 5:00p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00p.m.

"Bible Classes For All Ages"

COME WORSHIP WITH US

We welcome all our visitors and invite you to attend at every opportunity.

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Americans Prefer Family Over God!

A 2007 study by the Barna Group found that seven out of ten adults choose their earthly family over their heavenly Father when asked to choose the most important relationship to them. Of the 1004 adults over the age of 18 that were surveyed,

- One-third said their entire nuclear family is more important than God.
- Twenty-two percent named their spouse as the most important relationship in their lives.
- Seventeen percent said their children were of chief importance.
- Three percent identified their parents as the most important relationship in their lives.

Interestingly, when asked to identify the most important group or network in their life, 29 percent named their church.

"He that loveth father or mother more than me is not worthy of me: and he that loveth son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me." -Matthew 10:37