

## WHEN WE READ THE BIBLE, GOOD THINGS HAPPEN

The Bible will work wonders in our lives only "if" we are willing to give some **planned quality time** into the reading of it. When we read the Bible, good things happen:

- It will work effectively in us (1 Thessalonians 2:13- <sup>13</sup> For this cause also thank we God <sup>l</sup>without ceasing, because, when ye received the word of God <sup>m</sup>which ye heard of us, ye received *it* <sup>n</sup>not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which effectually worketh also in you that believe.)
- It will give us spiritual light (Psalms 119:105- <sup>105</sup> <sup>c</sup>Thy word is a <sup>l</sup>lamp unto my feet, And a light unto my path.)
- It will give us salvation (Romans 1:16- <sup>16</sup> For <sup>f</sup>I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for <sup>g</sup>it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to <sup>h</sup>the Jew <sup>i</sup>first, and also to <sup>h</sup>the <sup>j</sup>Greek.; 1 Corinthians 1:18- <sup>18</sup> For the preaching of the cross is to <sup>t</sup>them that perish <sup>m</sup>foolishness; but unto us <sup>n</sup>which are saved it is <sup>o</sup>the power of God.)
- It will teach, reprove, correct, and inspire us (2 Timothy 3:16- <sup>16</sup> <sup>x</sup>All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and <sup>y</sup>is profitable for <sup>v</sup>doctrine, for <sup>z</sup>reproof, for <sup>a</sup>correction, for instruction in righteousness:).
- It will cleanse our hearts (John 15:3- <sup>3</sup> Now <sup>c</sup>ye are clean through <sup>d</sup>the word which I have spoken unto you. ).
- It will give and increase our faith (Romans 10:17- <sup>17</sup> So then faith *cometh* by <sup>z</sup>hearing, and <sup>z</sup>hearing by the word of God.; Colossians 1:9-10 <sup>9</sup>For this cause we also, <sup>c</sup>since the day we heard *it*, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire <sup>p</sup>that ye might be filled with <sup>a</sup>the knowledge of his will <sup>r</sup>in all wisdom and spiritual <sup>s</sup>understanding; <sup>10</sup> <sup>t</sup>That ye might walk worthy of the Lord <sup>u</sup>unto all pleasing, <sup>h</sup>v being fruitful in <sup>w</sup>every good work, and <sup>x</sup>increasing in the knowledge of God;).
- It will greatly strengthen us (Acts 20:32- <sup>32</sup> And now, brethren, I <sup>o</sup>commend you to God, and to <sup>p</sup>the word of his grace, which is able to <sup>a</sup>build you up, and to give you <sup>r</sup>an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.; 1 John 2:14 - <sup>14</sup> I have written unto you, fathers, because ye have known <sup>a</sup>him *that is* from the beginning. I have written unto you, young men, because <sup>d</sup>ye are strong, and the word of God abideth in you, and ye have overcome <sup>b</sup>the wicked one.).
- It will give us joy unspeakable (John 15:11 - <sup>11</sup> These things have I spoken unto you, that <sup>a</sup>my joy might remain in you, and <sup>t</sup>that your joy might be full. ; cf. Jeremiah 15:16 - <sup>16</sup> Thy words were found, and <sup>m</sup>I did eat them; and <sup>n</sup>thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart: for <sup>t</sup>I am called by thy name, O LORD God of hosts.).
- It will give us an abundant life here on earth and eternal life in heaven (John 10:10 - <sup>10</sup> The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have *it* more abundantly.; John 10:28 - <sup>28</sup> And I give unto them eternal life; and <sup>u</sup>they shall never perish, <sup>w</sup>neither shall any *man* pluck them out of my hand.; Matthew 25:46 - <sup>46</sup> And these shall go away into <sup>a</sup>everlasting punishment: but the righteous into <sup>et</sup>life eternal. ; John 6:63 - <sup>63</sup> <sup>a</sup>It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: <sup>h</sup>the words that I speak unto you, *they* are spirit, and *they* are <sup>h</sup>life.).

Mike Riley

**AUGUST: BIRTHDAYS:** 5-Shirley Butler, 6-Greg McClain, 9-Charlie Wachsmuth, 10-Shan De Priest, 16-Dalton Moore, 19-Micky Keen, 23-Eli Bryant, 25-Nick Bryant, 28-Kyle Foster, 28-Dylan Holt, 28-Nina Long, 30-Annie Wachsmuth, 31-Ella-Marie Rogers

**ANNIVERSARIES:** 3-Steve & Rita Foster, 8-Joe & Shirley Butler, 14-Terry & Mary Jo Hall, 15-Tim & Wendy Rogers  
21-Charlie & Annie Wachsmuth

### 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 13:3; 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; 22:16; I Peter 3:21**

**We must live faithfully until death. Revelation 2:10; Romans 12:1-2**

### •THOSE TO SERVE – AUGUST LIST IN FOYER

(Please check for your assignment and PLEASE contact one of the Deacons if you know you are going to be absent on that date).

WE WELCOME BLAKE MAYFIELD AGAIN. BLAKE WILL BE DELIVERING THE MESSAGE THIS MORNING AND THIS AFTERNOON AT 5:00 P.M.

### SHUT-INS /NURSING HOME:

Martha Nell Reed, Lakeside Retirement Community, 390 Dr. Smith Lane, McKenzie 38201

Elvy Sauls Jr., Life Care of Bruceton, 105 Rowland Ave., Bruceton 38317

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Wanda Smith's procedure Monday went well and she received good results; Sympathy for family of Sammy and Kevin Hudgins, funeral service was Wed. at Bodkins in Milan; Sharon Wright had CT Scan Wed. and will be having wisdom teeth surgery soon; Pam and David Bryant sick Wed. night; Penny Warren having tests/monitor due to very low heart rate; George Aylor; Kaffie Green Kristie Deruiter, Gary Wallace, Lacey Appleton, Carnell McAlister, Christopher Dunavan, Jimmy McClain; Dwayne Bateman; Sybil Hamilton, Tom Aden, Doris Haskell, Mary Bryant, Tim Rogers, Charlotte Russell, Harold Hutcherson, Charles Foster Vicki Murphy (Lexington), Mike Lane, Ruth Bennett, Heather Harris, Chris Bowers; Aaron Sutton; Valerie Allen

**CANCER:** Carl Wallace (Dale's co-worker), Larry McCulley, (Shelia Alford McCulley's husband) has lung cancer, Dan Foster (Steve's 1<sup>st</sup> cousin) bladder cancer, Jane Woodson, Ray Box (Derrick's uncle), Denise Clemmer, Kenneth Foster, Joe Gordon, Linda Cherry; Jackie Smith, Keith Inman. Lynn Harrison, Deborah Browning; Hattie Brinkley Berry, Christine Johnson, Jimmy Greene (Lori's dad), Lalanie Murphy

(If you requested that someone be added to the prayer list please provide update. Names normally remain on prayer list for 1 month, unless requested to remain)

**Trezevant church of Christ**, 114 Church St., Trezevant, TN 38258, 731-669-3448, Tim Rogers, Minister

### Services:

Sunday Morning

Bible Study: 9:00 a.m.

Worship: 10:00 a.m.

Evening: 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

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MISSIONS: Partners in Africa; West TN Children's Home