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Jesus Saw Souls!

We usually see what we are looking for. We tend to get focused on a single matter and fail to see all that is happening around us. Determined to purchase a special item in a store often makes us bypass items of even greater value. We see what we are focused on. This is what happened in John chapter four when the disciples returned from purchasing food in a Samaritan village. They saw Jesus talking to the Samaritan woman, but their focus was on the food they had purchased. Jesus had seen the woman's soul while the disciples were seeing food. Is it possible that we make the same mistake in our lives? Are we so focused on our own lives that we fail to deal with those things which really matter?

We need to see souls. This is what Jesus did. We deal with cash at the register in the stores, but fail to see the person behind the register. We speak to those around us about every topic except the one that focuses on their souls. We have hundreds of "friends" on Facebook, but rarely ever see their souls and never address what they really need to hear from us. Are we really their friends? What about visitors to our services? We may see them and even realize we do not know them, yet never think about their souls. They come into our lives and provide great spiritual opportunities, yet we never see their souls. Imagine the impact on visitors if scores of individuals greeted them!

We must love souls. Until love—"agape love"—is manifested, others will never know that it exists. It was God's love that prompted Him to give His Son. It was the Son's love that caused Him to see the soul of the adulterous woman at the well in Samaria. Think again of visitors to our services. They will never see Palm Beach Lakes as a place where troubled souls are loved, until we show that love to them.

We must lead souls. Not every Christian is equipped to have a one-on-one study with a lost visitor, but there are actions all of us can take in leading visitors to the Lord. We all can speak to visitors. We all can sit with visitors. Welcome them to sit with you, or leave your "assigned" seat and go sit with them. We all can write visitors. The addresses from their registration cards are readily available at our Sunday night meetings. Take time to write to those you met and those you sat with to remind them who you are, where you met them and how glad you were they came. We all can pass visitors on to others. After you meet a visitor, introduce them to other members who can also welcome them. We all can tell others about visitors. Let others know who you met, what you learned of them, so further contacts can be made.

Let us all see souls. Let us all love souls and show it to them. Let us all lead souls in every way we can. Jesus did!

by Dan Jenkins

SUNDAY

Bible Classes for All Ages	9:30 am
Morning Worship Assembly	10:30 am
Evening Worship & Classes	5:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes for All Ages	7:00 pm
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ladies activities

LADIES RETREAT OCT 11th & 12th

Selene is hosting a "Ladies Retreat". Friday night (Oct 11th) at 6 pm we will meet at the Melting Pot in Jenks and have Cheese and Chocolate. It is \$15.00 per person and this covers tax and gratuity (but not your drink). Then we will dismiss to our own homes to sleep. Saturday morning (Oct 12th) at 9 am we will meet at the building for breakfast, singing, devotional and a craft. The activities are planned to be finished no later than 1 pm.

Even if you cannot make it for both days, come on the day that you can and enjoy some time with your sisters in Christ. Please sign up if you are planning to have dinner at the Melting Pot on Friday and there is also a sign up list for the breakfast on Saturday.

family spotlight

CELEBRATE

We will be celebrating Bob and Betty Simmons' 60th Wedding Anniversary (it was Sept 16th) during our Fellowship Meal on Sept 29th. A cake will be ordered and a basket will be set out for any cards. Congratulations to Bob & Betty!

WEDDING DAY

We have received an invitation to the wedding of Kayla Wheeler and Ryan Burcham on Saturday, the twelfth of October at 2 pm at the Memorial Road Church of Christ in Edmond, OK - reception to follow.

Are You Excited!
Work on our
new auditorium
is really coming
along this week!
Hurray!



upcoming events

Sunday, September 29th

This will be our 5th Sunday Fellowship meal with early evening service. **Group Hill** is responsible for set/clean up. Special Contribution for the building fund.

Friday and Saturday, October 11th & 12th

Ladies Retreat

Sunday, October 13th

Youth Zoo Day (bring sack lunch)
Elder's and Deacon's meeting at 3:30

Saturday, October 26th

Fall Get Together (wiener roast)

Saturday, November 2nd

Time Changes (turn clocks backward)

IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

- Eddie Whitchurch received a good report from his CT scan.
- Mary Watson is home from the hospital and doing well. They have put her on blood thinners.
- Scott Lack is doing some better, he should have had his stitches removed at his doctors appointment last Thursday.
- Barbara Vaughan is having respiratory issues.
- Stephanie White was in a car wreck on Monday. She sprained her ankle and has some burns and soreness from the airbag. She will be wheelchair bound until her left ankle is better - her right leg was injured in a car wreck years ago and she cannot walk very far on it.
- Dolores Scherman (former member) had her back surgery and is still in the hospital. She is very confused and disoriented, high heart rate, possible mild stroke; will do a CT Scan.
- **Our friends and family:** Dan & Edna Jones; Shelia Byers (cancer); Suzanne Stamps; Leola Harmon (stroke); Jean Lovett (cancer); Sue Gilbert (Leasa's mother); Eddie Morgan (cancer); Jennifer Dunn (thyroid cancer); Linda Patterson (stroke); Rita Chalakee (lung cancer); Beverly Wooley (shoulder surgery); many others.
- **Service men and women:** Ron Wilson; Jenna Sullivan.

GOSPEL MEETINGS

- Oct 6th - 9th the Sperry congregation will host a Bible Lectureship.
- Oct 13th - 16th the North Sheridan congregation will host a Gospel Meeting.
Please see the flyers posted on the bulletin board for more information.

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Kay Robinson, Sept 29	Renee Whitchurch, Oct 6	Roman Martinez, Oct 8
Mary Watson, Oct 1	Tonya & Tony Davidson, Oct 6	Lucas Williams, Oct 8
Ryan Edwards, Oct 1	Bobby Hill, Oct 6	Kevin Marquez, Oct 6
Rosalie O'Neal, Oct 2	Marisa Wadkins, Oct 7	Jennifer McCafferty, Oct 10
Jennifer Wadkins, Oct 3	Nick & Steph White, Oct 7	James Hamilton, Oct 12



- **Lydia Jones** knows the number of books in the whole Bible and in the Old Testament.
- **Colby Mendoza** knows the number of books in the whole Bible and in the Old & New Testaments.
- A trip to the Zoo is being planned for our Youth on Sunday, Oct 13th. You will need to bring a sack lunch, a drink and entrance fee will be provided (you will need funds for any extras). See Matt for questions.

ASSOCIATE MINISTER

We are excited to announce that Matt Caldwell has agreed to be the part time Associate Minister for our congregation. He will be working with our Youth and in the Education department.

MEETING

Elder's & Deacon's meeting 3:30, Oct 13th

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION

Sunday, Sept 29th is a 5th Sunday and we will have our Special Contribution for the Building Fund. The collection plate will be passed twice; the second will be for the building fund. If you have any questions please feel free to talk to any of the elders.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Sunday, Sept 29th is a 5th Sunday and we will have our **Noon** Fellowship Meal. Group Hill is responsible for setting up and cleaning up. Also, we will have our evening service moved up to 1:00.

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Attendance: Last Week

Sunday Bible Classes
Sunday AM Worship
Sunday PM Worship
Wednesday Bible Classes

130
164
107
75

Contribution

Sunday Contribution \$4,588.80
Budget \$4,041.00
Over Budget \$4,547.80
Building Fund \$433,194.53

Men To Serve

Sunday Morning

Song Leader Bill Path
Opening Prayer Larry Grown
Closing Prayer Sonny Pulliam
Scripture Reading Bob Simmons
Lord's Table Jack Lierly
Jeff Bullinger
Keith Riggs
Hayden Bullinger

Ushers Randy Crawford
Topper Causby

Greeter Steve Rucquoy

Lock Building Bruce Rothell; Bob Simmons

Sunday Evening

Song Leader Jerry Buller
Opening Prayer Ryan McCafferty
Closing Prayer Matt Caldwell
Lord's Table Jack Lierly
Jeff Bullinger

Wednesday Evening

Opening Prayer Jesse Byers
Closing Prayer Bobby Hill
Song Leader Ben Williams

Communion Preparation

9/1 Marcia Riggs
9/8 Shirley Hood
9/15 Earline Lierly
9/22 Cathy Burcham
9/29 Rita Risley
10/6 Marilyn Pulliam
10/13 Steph Bullinger
10/20 Janice O'Shields
10/27 Shirley Hill

Next Quarterly Ladies Meeting

Sunday, December 8th
3:30 pm

EAT THIS BOOK READINGS

9/29 Isa 5-7; Ps 83; Acts 6
9/30 Isa 8-9; Ps 84; Acts 7
10/1 Isa 10-12; Ps 85; Acts 8
10/2 Isa 13-14; Ps 86; Acts 9
10/3 Isa 15-19; Ps 87; Acts 10
10/4 Isa 20-22; Ps 88; Acts 11
10/5 Isa 23-25; Ps 89:1-29; Acts 12



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"These were more noble... they searched the scriptures daily..." (Acts 17:11)

Sundays at 7:30 a.m. KWHB
TV47 or Cable Channel 7

Search Programs:

Sept 29 - What Grace Teaches
Oct 6 - God's Plan for Marriage
Oct 13 - Love and Respect
Oct 20 - Overcoming Hurts
Oct 27 - Building Intimacy

Sunday Morning Sermon

The Wisdom of the Song of Solomon
Song of Solomon 8:6-7

Sunday Afternoon Devotional

Blessed Are The Merciful
Matthew 5:7