

THE COLDWATER CONTENDER

"...ye should earnestly contend for the faith..."(Jude 3)
July 16, 2017

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Johnny Downs
Josh Fulcher
Josh Price
Wesley Tucker

PREACHER

Luke Puckett

SUNDAY SERVICE

Bible Class: 9:30
AM Worship: 10:15
PM Worship: 1:00

WEDNESDAY

Bible Class: 7:00pm

LADIES CLASS

Will resume in
the fall



A Message To Our Visitors

It is our privilege to have you visiting with us today. Please know that you are our honored guest. Please let us get to know you, and fill out an attendance card so we can have record of you being here. Please return to be with us again at your earliest opportunity. If you have questions or would like to study the Bible with us, please let us know. Thanks again for visiting with us, and may God continue to bless you according to His divine purpose.

THOSE TO SERVE

Announcements:

Bill Vincent

Lead Singing:

Josh Price

Opening Prayer:

Richard Price

Scripture Reading:

Nathia Whitley

Lord's Table

Johnny Downs
Richard Price
Luke Puckett
Wesley Tucker

Closing Prayer:

Gerald Rule

Greeters (East)

Jill and Kayla

Greeters (West)

Josh and Andrea

WELCOME

AM: Which?

Scripture reading:

Matthew 19:16-22

PM: Liberty in the Lord

Scripture reading:

Galatians 5:1-5

REMEMBER NOW THY CREATOR—

By: Jerry Joseph

The writer of old declared, “Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth...” (Ecclesiastes 12:1). Every accountable young person must make the decision to either be a servant of sin or a servant of righteousness (Romans 6:16-18). Why should a young person decide to “Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth...”?

It is a DECISION against the Devil.

The devil desires that one not obey the Gospel and begin to live for Christ during youth. When one does obey the Gospel, the devil is not pleased because he lost a citizen in his kingdom. (Col. 1:13). He will do whatever he can to persuade young people not to listen to the Words of Christ (John 12:48; Hebrews 1:1-2; John 14:6). He does not want youth to have a love for the Lord (John 14:15). If he can accomplish this, then no person, young or old, will ever become a servant of God. The devil knows that as one gets older, the decision to obey God becomes more difficult. If one decides not to begin to obey God during one’s youth, the devil is so happy and his work in the future even easier. “...Resist the devil...” (James 4:7).

IT DIRECTS ONE TO BE TRULY HAPPY
NOW AND IN THE HEREAFTER

In the thinking of many today, true lasting happiness is found in popularity, power, possessions and pleasure. Solomon learned that happiness is not found in these things (Ecclesiastes 1:16-17; 2:1-10). He summed it up by saying, “behold, all was vanity and vexation of spirit, and there was no profit under the sun” (Ecclesiastes 2:11). Then in

verse 13 of chapter 12 here is the conclusion “...Fear God, and keep his commandments; for this is the whole duty of man.”

The Apostle Paul reminds us that joy and lasting happiness is found “in the Lord” (Philippians 4:4). When one submits to the Lord in obeying the Gospel in faith (Hebrews 11:6); repentance (Luke 13:3); confessing Christ (Matthew 10:32-33) and by being baptized (Mark 16:16), they are “in the Lord” (Galatians 3:26-27). Our relationship with God has changed; sins have been forgiven; we have all spiritual blessings (Ephesians 1:3) with the hope of eternal life (Titus 1:2).

Don’t delay (young or old) in remembering the Lord by becoming a child of God while you have the time, the opportunity and the desire. Don’t wait until it is too late...!

—Vai The St. Peters Proclaimer

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Announcements

- ⇒ **Reading plan:** Isaiah
- ⇒ **Team workgroup:** Team **3 (Josh Fulcher)** meets today
- ⇒ **Team workgroups:** To find out which team you are on, see the bulletin board.
- ⇒ **Area events:** Please see bulletin board for more info. Several meetings, singings, and Bible schools are coming up in our area.
- ⇒ **Personal invitation handouts** are available . Please make sure to take some and handout or leave with a tip, and invite someone to services.
- ⇒ **Monthly Men's Class:** Aug 1st at 6:30pm
- ⇒ **Singing and Fellowship:** July 22 at 6:00pm
- ⇒ **Fish Fry:** Friday July 28th at 6:30 here at the building (see Josh Fulcher for more info and be sure to sign up)
- ⇒ **5th Sunday Potluck:** July 30th
- ⇒ **Pantry item** for this week is: Noodles
- ⇒ **Sick:** If you know someone who is sick, please get this information to your team leader or Luke.

Prayer/Sick List

- ⇒ Mae Downs
- ⇒ Helen Tidwell
- ⇒ Hyland Darnell
- ⇒ Norma Darnell
- ⇒ Shirley Rule
- ⇒ Vicki Wilson (Having tests run)
- ⇒ Kim Scott
- ⇒ Kristen Scott
- ⇒ Sue Owczyk (Peggy N. sister)
- ⇒ Trish Puckett (recovering from knee surgery)
- ⇒ Sonny McManus (Member at Seven Oaks, has colon cancer)
- ⇒ Paul Brandon
- ⇒ Debbie Smith (Kevin's sister-in-law-cancer)
- ⇒ Dennis Thomas (Judy Black's cousin, has throat cancer)
- ⇒ Greg Black (Kathy Black's son)
- ⇒ Billy Irvan
- ⇒ Trudy Smith
- ⇒ Dean Chadwick (Tammy's mother)
- ⇒ Lashell Jones
- ⇒ Continue to remember all those who have lost loved ones this year

WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

Hear the Word
(Rom 10:17)

Believe the Word
(John 8:24)

Repent
(Luke 13:3)

Confess Christ
(Rom 10:10)
(Acts 8:37)

Be Baptized
(Acts 2:38)
(Acts 22:16)

Remain Faithful
(Rev 2:10)
(Acts 8:12-24)

Heaven can be your
home if you obey God!
(Heb 5:8-9)

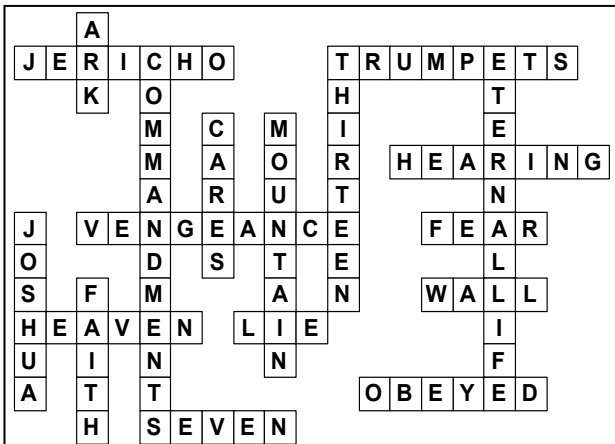
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other helpful links and
material.



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| Heaven | Worship |



Bible question: What king had 1,400 chariots and 12,000 horsemen?

Last week's question and answer: What insect is held up as an example to the lazy man? (hint: sluggard)
 Answer: Ant (Proverbs 6:6-8)

Those answering: Kay Robertson, Linda Jones, Daniel Puckett, Rachel Adams