

October 9, 2022

Announcements

David Smith

Song Leader

Chris Moore

Scripture Reading

Rickey Cissom

Opening Prayer

Mark Lindley (A.M.)
Mickey Chandler (P.M.)

Closing Prayer

Brad McAlister (A.M.)
Tim McMillin (P.M.)

Lord's Table

Jarvene Shackelford

Count and Usher

Ricky Cissom & Jimmy Vandgriff
Wednesday Night Song Leader
Ross Shackelford (10/05/22)

OUR RECORD

October 2, 2022

Sunday Bible Study: 76
Sunday Morning Worship: 100
Sunday Evening Worship: 70
Wednesday Night Bible Study: 83

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WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

1. **Hear** the Gospel (Romans 10:13-17).
2. **Believe** the Gospel (Acts 15:7; Mark 16:15, 16).
3. **Repent** of Sins (Acts 3:19).
4. **Confess** Faith in Christ (Acts 8:37).
5. **Be Baptized** for Remission of Sins (Acts 2:38).
6. **Be Faithful** (Revelation 2:10).



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Loveless, Chris Moore, Kevin Shackelford,
Wayne Vandygriff, Larry Wood
PREACHER: Mark Lindley

Chapman Church of Christ

Invites you to

**Friends & Family Day
and
Gospel Meeting**

10:00 A.M. BIBLE STUDY

10:45 A.M. WORSHIP

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED.

1:30 P.M. AFTERNOON SERVICE

*October 9-12,
2022*

**7:00 P.M.
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY
EVENING**

SPEAKER: ADAM MILLER

JESUS, THE BREAD OF LIFE

Mark Lindley

Jesus often used figures of speech to teach spiritual lessons. On the occasion of John chapter 6 Jesus stated, "I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst" (verse 35). Obviously, when Jesus referred to himself as "bread," he was using figurative language to encourage people to come to him and receive everlasting life. Here are a couple of ideas to inspire us to partake of the Bread of Life:

First, we need to consider that each person is composed of body and spirit. James wrote, "For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also" (James 2:26). We can readily see the need to give our bodies the nourishment ("bread") needed to sustain and strengthen our bodies. Without food for our bodies, we could not live for very long. The same is true concerning the spiritual dimension within each of us. Food for the soul is necessary in order to be spiritually strong and healthy. Jesus said, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God" (Matthew 4:4). Jesus' statement shows that the spiritual food needed to sustain our souls is the Word of God (cf. 1 Peter 2:2).

But how often is your soul fed? Does your soul receive the nourishment of God's Word daily? If your body were fed only as often as your soul is fed, how long would you live? Many of us would not live for very long because we often neglect to feed our souls. Some hear a few verses mentioned in a sermon on Sunday, and that is the only spiritual food they receive. Others receive no spiritual nourishment. We often partake of too much food for the body, but starve our souls. We make time for ballgames, hunting, shopping, going out to eat, and other activities we want to do, but then say we are "too busy" to read and meditate on God's Word, the Bible. We must prioritize and arrange our schedules so that we spend time feeding our souls.

Second, Jesus taught that the bread he offers will satisfy. He said that those who receive it "shall never hunger." A spiritual hunger deep within each of us often sends us on a search for satisfaction. We may try to fulfill this inner longing of the soul by getting a better job, buying a bigger house or new car, having the "best" children, engaging in multiple sexual relationships, or by attempting to calm our restless hearts by using drugs or alcohol. These pursuits may provide a temporary escape, but then we find that the spiritual hole within us remains. The only true remedy is Jesus, the Bread of Life. If you are looking for answers, he is your answer.

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Pine Vale Children's Home 2022 Fall Food Drive

We will be doing
monetary donations.
Donation Box is in the foyer.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

*Remember count your blessings,
pray for our lost ones, the sick,
the world and the broken-hearted.*

SICK SUNDAY : Larry & Wilma Wood,
Sharon Pannell and Sailor Fitzgerald

HOME FROM HOSPITAL : Theo Smith,
Debbie Chapman

HOSPITAL : Phillip Loveless (Memphis
ICU), Eva Crawford

SURGERY RECOVERY: Jodie Criswell,
Terry Chapman, Jeff Carpenter

SURGERY: Cheryl Chapman, David
Smith, Pat Shackelford

•**EXTENDED ILLNESS**: Joe Clark, Louise
Pannell (Sharon's Mother), Malone Hurt,
Gerohn Childs, Junior Derrick, Jane Morrison,
George Doss, Joanie Kate, Thad Berryman

•**CANCER**: Sidra Davis, Trish Clark, Lennox
Kennamore (Leukemia), Jimmie Wayne
Roberson, Johnnie Carpenter, Kevin Clifton,
Austin Wentz, Steve Barnes (Mickey & Gail
Chandler's Son-in-law), Betty Faye Ledbury,

•**SHUT-INS**: *Tippah County Health & Rehab*:
Romia Palmer #204, Jimmy Berryman,
Resthaven: Johnnie Carpenter

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