

# THE GOING GOSPEL

## THE COUNCIL ON CONVERSIONS - PART 2

Acts 15:13-35

Sunday, November 10, 2024

**Gospel Truth: All saved people are saved through the grace of the Lord Jesus.**

I. The \_\_\_\_\_

James stated that Peter's testimony and Old Testament prophecy showed (implied) that God saved Gentiles by grace through faith in Jesus, with no \_\_\_\_\_ required.

*Point: We can be \_\_\_\_\_, based on God's Word and salvation history, that God saves people by grace through faith in Jesus.*

II. The \_\_\_\_\_

The Jerusalem Council concluded that the Gentiles should not be \_\_\_\_\_ with requirements for salvation since salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus.

*Point: We must base our beliefs on the right interpretation of God's written Word, not on our \_\_\_\_\_ or the conclusions of a modern-day council.*

III. The \_\_\_\_\_

The Jerusalem Council communicated that Gentiles are \_\_\_\_\_ to be circumcised, etc. for salvation, and limited restrictions for them would foster healthy fellowship with the Jews.

*Point: We must \_\_\_\_\_ place wrong requirements on ourselves or others for salvation, since salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus.*

IV. The \_\_\_\_\_

Gentiles rejoiced after hearing that their salvation was secured and that they simply needed to abstain from some things for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes, primarily to avoid offending Jews.

*Point: We should rejoice in God saving us by grace through faith in Jesus, and be careful to not \_\_\_\_\_ (when possible) or cause others to stumble as we fellowship and witness.*



## WORSHIP GATHERING

“Come, Thou Almighty King”

WELCOME & PRAYER

“Your Great Name”

“Yet Not I, But Through Christ In Me”

PRAYER

“Wonderful Grace of Jesus”

MESSAGE

PRAYER AND COMMITMENT

CLOSING PRAYER

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **budget Q & A** is today in the conference room immediately following the 10:30 a.m. service. Church members with questions or concerns about the proposed 2025 budget may attend to meet with the Stewardship Committee and staff members. Budgets were mailed last week and extra copies are available in the sanctuary.

The **Wednesday evening church-wide fellowship meal** menu for this week is smoked chicken, potatoes, baked beans, and dessert. Meals are served in Boatner Hall from 4:45 - 5:45 p.m. Sign up at the Welcome Center by Monday at 9:00 a.m.

The senior adult **monthly fellowship dinner** is Thursday, November 14 at 6:30 p.m. in Boatner Hall. The program will be provided by Grant Butler. The menu is pork loin, brown rice, green bean almondine, & dessert. Pay \$8 at the door. Sign up at the table by the elevator.

Everyone is urged to attend and to invite others to the **doctrinal study** on Eschatology (the study of last things) Sunday, November 17 from 4:00 - 6:45 p.m. in Boatner Hall. Invitation cards are available on the front pews. Children 1st-6th grade will be led by Bro. Jeff, and childcare will be available for K5 and under.

All **students 7th-12th grade** are invited to participate in the following activities this month:

- Sunday, November 10 - *Open Gym Night* from 5:00 - 7:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, November 13 - “*A Time to be Thankful*” during the Gathering at 6:00 p.m.
- Saturday, November 16 - *Common Ground “GROGG”* from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the 201 building

The **Mission First Thankful Feast** is Thursday, November 21. Contact Michael Holyfield if you are interested in serving at this annual event. If you would like to travel as part of a group, meet at 4:30 p.m. on the west side of the church parking lot. Mission First is located at 275 Roseneath Ave., Jackson, MS for those who prefer to travel individually. Bring a dessert to share!

Make plans now to attend our annual **Church-wide Thanksgiving Fellowship Meal** Sunday, November 24 at 5:15 p.m. in the gym. Bring any potluck dishes you like. Please bring enough for your family plus one guest. The church will provide paper products and drinks. Food should be brought to the designated tables in Boatner Hall between 4:50 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. We will begin eating at 5:15 p.m. This will be a wonderful time for our church family to gather and give thanks to the Lord. All new members who have joined since this time last year are encouraged to attend for a special time of recognition and thanksgiving. The **special-called business meeting** to vote (by ballot with no discussion) on the proposed 2025 budget will follow the meal.

We are encouraging everyone at Park Place to make a plan to love and serve together this December with your family, Sunday School class, or ministry team. During these **14 Days of Christmas** (Dec. 8-21), let's all find ways to care for people face-to-face and share the hope that we have in Jesus. If you have any questions, you can contact Daniel Bray (dbray@ppbc.net).

## CONTRIBUTION REPORT

11/3/24

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$37,771
Weekly Budget Required	\$35,660
Giving over (under) budget	\$2,111
Global Impact	\$350
Construction & Renovation	\$170
Other	\$146
Total Received	\$38,437
<b>YTD Budget Needed</b>	<b>\$1,569,027</b>
<b>YTD Budget Received</b>	<b>\$1,465,180</b>

## REJOICING OVER DECISIONS MADE

This Week



Elliot Bray

*Requesting Membership by Baptism*

Grant Butler

*Requesting Membership by Transfer of Letter*



Jackson Carter

*Requesting Membership by Baptism*

Last Week

Eli Rank

*Requesting Membership by Transfer of Letter*

