

THE GOING GOSPEL

Saul Through the Wall

Acts 9:19b-31

Sunday, July 21, 2024

Gospel Truth: Jesus is worthy for us to proclaim Him, even when it leads to persecution.

I. The _____

Then: Saul's preaching was Christ-centered and _____.

Today: Our preaching and witnessing must be Christ-centered, correct, and _____.

II. The _____

Then: Saul encountered persecution, but escaped with the _____ of fellow-believers.

Today: Believers face persecution and work together to _____ each other.

III. The _____

Then: Believers in Jerusalem were afraid of Saul, until Barnabas _____ on his behalf.

Today: Discover the truth, discern what is best, and _____ the truth for the good of others and the glory of God.

IV. The _____

Then: Saul left dangerous places to avoid _____.

Today: Believers sometimes leave dangerous places to continue ministry _____.

V. The _____

Then: Peace with the church included lack of persecution, encouragement, the fear of the Lord, the comfort of the Spirit, and _____ growth.

Today: Enjoy peace from God when He blesses the _____.



WORSHIP GATHERING

"Praise Him! Praise Him!"

WELCOME & PRAYER

"Your Great Name"

"O Church Arise (Arise, Shine)"

PRAYER

MESSAGE

PRAYER AND COMMITMENT

SPECIAL PRAYER FOR KC MISSION TEAM (10:30 ONLY)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Celebration Sunday is July 28! See the following schedule of events:

REGULAR SUNDAY MORNING ACTIVITIES - 7:45, 9:00, & 10:30 AM

OPEN HOUSE AT THE NEW MISSION HOUSE - 12:00-2:00 PM (Rescheduled from 7/21)

RECEPTION FOR DANIEL BRAY & FAMILY - 4:30-5:15 PM (Boatner Hall)

MEAL & MESSAGE - 5:15 PM (Gym) *The menu is chicken strips, mac & cheese, salad, and cookies (\$5 per meal with a family max of \$20). The quarterly business meeting (with the deacon vote) will follow the meal. Childcare will be provided (4 & under) during the business meeting and teaching portion.*

The **church-wide work day** is Saturday, July 27 from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Breakfast will be provided. Sign up at the Welcome Center or see Brett Lunsford for more information.

The following **deacon nominees** are to be voted on (by ballot, based on a majority vote) during the quarterly business meeting Sunday night, July 28: Eddie Coleman (non-ordained), John McLendon (non-ordained), Jason Courtney, Jimmy Holden, Phil Hunt, Wesley Taylor, & Doyle Whitehead. Members may vote for one, some, or all of the men to serve as deacons. See deacon handout for more information about the nominees.

Mark your calendars for the next **doctrinal study** Sunday, August 11 from 4:00-6:45 p.m. in Boatner Hall. Dr. Shawn Parker, Executive Director-Treasurer of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board, will be teaching on the doctrine of God (Theology).

All students (7th-12th grade) are invited to a **Student Lock-In** Wednesday, July 24. The lock-in will begin at 6:00 p.m. during The Gathering and will end at 12:00 a.m.!

All ladies are invited to the last **Summer Women's Connection** Thursday, July 25 from 6:00-8:30 p.m. in Boatner Hall. The theme is Christmas in July. Bring a Christmas party food!

The prison ministry is collecting new or used soft cover **Bibles for inmates**. Bibles may be placed in the box in the hallway. See Michael Holyfield for more information.

The **PPBC Worship Ministry Christmas Retreat** is September 6-7. More info coming soon!

The senior adult trip to **New Orleans** is Thursday, September 26. The group will board the Amtrak train in Jackson at 11:30 a.m. and head to New Orleans for dinner at Mulate's Original Cajun Restaurant. They will return to Jackson at 9:30 p.m. on a charter motor coach. The cost is \$55 plus dinner at Mulate's. The full payment is due by August 12. All senior adults are invited to participate in this fun day trip! Sign up at the table near the elevator.



MISSIONS HIGHLIGHT

Please be in prayer for the Kansas City mission team this week. They will be in Kansas City from July 23-29. The team will be engaged in sharing the gospel within the immigrant communities of Kansas City, as well as helping with a block party type event.

CONTRIBUTION REPORT

7/14/24

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$31,458
Weekly Budget Required	\$35,660
Giving over (under) budget	(\$4,202)
Global Impact	\$90
Construction & Renovation	\$80
Other	\$2,802
Total Received	\$34,430

YTD Budget Needed	\$998,472
YTD Budget Received	\$940,996

REJOICING OVER DECISIONS MADE

Last Week



Rhonda Daniels

*Requesting Membership
by Transfer of Letter*



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