

Bible Verse of the Week

“The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, “Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!” John 1:29



Lord’s Supper Reflection – Help Me Believe in the Power of the Cross

The Exchange of Blood Money

“Now the Feast of Unleavened Bread drew near, which is called Passover. And the chief priests and the scribes sought how they might kill Him, for they feared the people. Then Satan entered Judas, surnamed Iscariot, who was numbered among the twelve. So he went his way and conferred with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray Him to them. And they were glad and agreed to give him money. So he promised and sought opportunity to betray Him to them in the absence of the multitude.” Luke 22:1-6

Offering Meditation

Your Gift to God is to Offer Your Best

“Abel also brought of the firstborn of his flock and of their fat. And the LORD respected Abel and his offering...” Genesis 4:4



Remember in Prayer:

- *Our Country & leaders
- *Sue Petty (Shandar’s Aunt) is recovering from cancer surgery
- *Family and friends of Richard Meade (Judah’s Grandfather) grieving his passing
- *Jamie Stanley (Laura’s friend) having surgery for a lump that was found in her breast
- *Orvertta Thompson (Jerry’s sister) dealing with diverticulitis
- *Carrie Thompson - back pain
- *Rena Morgan - Shut in, health

- *Alexa Rohr - eyesight
- *Phyllis Caldwell - eyesight, encouragement



How may we be praying for YOU?



Please call John or email him at jmcgiffin.yayo@gmail.com with any prayer requests or announcements you may have for the congregation.



Attendance and Contribution Record

Sunday, March 28		Wednesday, March 31	
Bible Classes	29	Attendance	13
AM Attendance	37	Contribution	\$1174.00
PM Attendance	31		

Welcome to Greenville Church of Christ



April 4, 2021

Worship Times:

- Sunday Morning Bible class: 9:30am
- Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30am
- Sunday Evening Worship: 6:00pm
- Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00pm

Minister, John McGiffin

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We are happy that you have chosen to worship with us today. If you are visiting, you are our honored guests and we would love to have you back with us again. Please take a moment to fill out a visitor’s card and let us get to know you.

When America's Foundations are Destroyed

By Dan Jenkins

The life of the man after God's own heart had its great moments of triumph—he had killed Goliath, the nation heralded him as a young man who had slain ten times those slain by Saul. Yet at times, Saul and his army threatened his life, and then later king David's own son drove him from the palace.

We do not know when David wrote Psalm eleven, but it describes a time when "the foundations are destroyed." David asked what can a righteous man do when this happens (verse 3). Every American is troubled by the deadly virus, financial problems, murder, rioting and looting. David shows us what we can do when foundations crumble.

Those around David thought that his future was so bleak. Their lives only were focused on the physical foundations of what was happening. They saw the wicked with their arrows ready to destroy (v. 2). They told David to flee like a bird to the mountain (v. 1). They thought the collapse of a life of normality and the destruction of life's foundation meant it was time to just give up. David's response? "In the Lord I put my trust, how can you say...flee as a bird?" His words are words we need to write on our hearts when foundations are crumbling. I have put my trust in God!

Are you troubled today? Read this short psalm and meditate on it. David knew the external foundation was destroyed, but *nothing really had changed*. His trust was never in those external foundations, for nothing had changed.

Saul or Absalom may have ruled Israel, but God still ruled the universe! Nothing had changed. "The Lord is in His holy temple, the Lord's throne is in heaven" (v. 4). The Lord's eyes saw the wicked and they had failed the heavenly test. The Lord's eyes saw David dealing with the same tests and had David had passed the test (vs. 4-5).

Evil men had destroyed the foundation, but the Lord still had His fire and brimstone of judgment to use (v. 6). God's certain judgment lay in their future. David had no need to be concerned.

Read this psalm again. Let your heart be like David's. When the lives of many seemed hopeless, because of crumbling foundations, David knew that nothing had really changed. His future never depended on external foundations, but in the One who sat on His holy throne. When the innocent are murdered by ungodly men and lawless looters roam our streets, meditate on how David responded when the foundations of his life were destroyed

Read David's final words. "For the Lord is righteous, he loves righteousness; his countenance beholds the upright" (v. 7). He alone is our foundation and that is all that matters. He is our only foundation. Anchor your faith in Him.

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## EGG HUNT!!!

TODAY after morning worship!!!!

## Announcements:

Communion is available as you come in the building, please take only what is needed for today. Hold on to the emblems until the proper time.

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Happy Birthday!!

Judah Gasper 4/7 Waylon Wilson 4/9 Seth Arrell 4/11

Chelsea Wilson 4/14 Laylah Thompson 4/16

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### Happy Anniversary!!

Greg and Michelle Buckingham 4/14

Cole and Lena Durst 4/16

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April Men's Meeting, Saturday April 17th @ 9am

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April's Potluck will be NEXT WEEK, April 11th!  
Plan to join us for good food and conversations!

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Bible Readings for this week's Bible Class:

Topics: "Searching for Happiness" and "Can I Really be Happy?"

Ecclesiastes 1:1-11, 17-18

Ecclesiastes 20:1-11

Ecclesiastes 3:19-20

Ecclesiastes 7:1-2

Matthew 5:3-11

Romans 4:7

James :25

Acts 20:35

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### Serving today and next Sunday:

| Sunday AM Rotation     | April 4, 2021  | April 11, 2021 |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Announcements          | Tim Bang       | John McGiffin  |
| Song Leading           | Mike Illinik   | Bryan Allen    |
| Opening Prayer         | Jerry Thompson | Curt Thompson  |
| Lord's Supper Comments | Tim Bang       | Jason Bang     |
| Scripture Reading      | Chris McGiffin | Tim Bang       |
| Sermon                 | John McGiffin  | John McGiffin  |
| Closing Prayer         | Bryan Allen    | Chris McGiffin |