

Announcements – Bulletin News January 15th, 2017

From the Minister's Desk “Honest, But Honestly Wrong”

Out of the twelve sons of Jacob, Joseph was his favorite son. As a sign of his love, Jacob made a coat of many colors for Joseph. “And when his brethren saw that their father loved him more than all his brethren, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him”. (Gen. 17:4).

When Joseph told, his brothers some of his dreams which indicated that his family would one day bow down to him, his brother hated him even more (Gen. 37:5-11). Their hatred grew to the point where they wanted to kill him. Instead of killing him, they decided to sell him to the Ishmaelite who were on their way to Egypt (Gen. 37:12). In order to cover up their deed, they devised and implemented a plan: “And they took Joseph's coat, and killed a kid of the goats, and dipped the coat in the blood; and they sent the coat of many colors, and they brought it to their father, and said “This have we found; know now whether it be thy son's coat or no” (Gen 37:31-32).

By looking at the coat of many colors saturated with blood. Jacob honestly believed their scheme “And he knew it, and said it is my son's coat; an evil beast hath devoured him; Joseph is without doubt rent in pieces” (Gen 37:33) Jacob was honest in his assessment of the situation; he thought Joseph had died a violent death. He was honest, but he was honestly wrong!!

Saul of Tarsus was also honest in his convictions that he should persecute Christians. “I verify thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth” (Acts 26:9). But he was confronted by Christ, he understood that he was not doing the will of God.

From the examples of Jacob and Saul, we learn a great lesson; it is possible to be honest and sincere in our convictions and to be honestly and sincerely wrong!!

During his prayer to his heavenly father, Jesus said “thy word is truth” (John 17:17). Thus, we can know if our convictions are true when we drive them from the word of God. The apostle Paul said “All scripture is given by the inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness; that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works” (2 Tim. 3:16-17).

Finally, let's always base our convictions on the word of God, lest we be...” Honest, Honestly Wrong”. Barry L Gaaney, Minister.



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Up Coming Events

There will be a meeting today

following morning service in the auditorium for all sisters to introduce our New Ladies Coordinator and to select Chair Persons for the Ladies committees for the next 2 years, 2017 & 2018. If you would like to sign-up for a committee, sign-up sheets are on the table in the foyer. Sis. Sherry Love.

Ladies Baptism
Ladies Education
Ladies Fellowship
Kitchen Committee
Publicity (bulletin boards)
Ladies Visitation

5th Sunday Fellowship



There will be a Fellowship International Dinner on Sunday January 29th after morning worship. The Countries are; America -Chairperson- the Brothers Mexico, Italy, China and Germany. Set-ups for the dinner are to be done by Saturday, January 28th, no setting up should be done on Sunday during services.

If you are interested in being a chairperson over one of the countries, please see Bro. LaVance Adkins or Sis. Ineta Roberson.

There will be no evening service.



The Open Pantry will be this Thurs. Jan. 19th, 4-6pm.



Contribution Statements for 2016 have been mailed out; if you have questions contact the office. 316-683-1313. Bro. Ivory Lifsey

January Schedule

Ladies Baptism: Stephanie Johnson, Hope Foster

Bereavement: LaDonna & Brittany Dozier

Medical Staff: Shawna Wooden Brothers; the Order of Worship is available on line on Fridays after 3pm @

www.chisholmtrailcofc.org

Blood Pressure Check

First Sunday of each month after morning worship.

Membership 2017

Baptized / Placed Membership

The Church Office Closed tomorrow for the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday.