

CONNECTED
TO GOD
TO GOD'S WORD
TO GOD'S HOUSE
"...that their hearts may be
encouraged, having been
knit together in love.."
COLOSSIANS 2:2

PLAN of SALVATION
Hear the Gospel
Romans 10:17
Believe Jesus is
God's Son
Acts 16:30-31, Hebrews 11:6
Repent of Sin
Acts 17:30-31
Confess Jesus is
God's Son
Acts 8:36-37, Matthew
10:32, Romans 10:9-10
Be Baptized
Acts 2:38
Live Faithfully
1 John 1:7, Rev 2:10

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES
SUNDAY
Bible Class 10am
Morning Worship 11am
Evening Worship 6pm
WEDNESDAY
Bible Class 7pm

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MEN TO SERVE
SUNDAY MORNING

Song Leader	Phil Forrest
Announcements	Eddie Nuckols
Opening Prayer	Gary Dull
Lord's Table	Jimmy Snow
	James Midgett
	Rich White
	Matt Maurer
	Steve Anderson
Preacher	Matt Langfield
Closing Prayer	Mark Koontz

SUNDAY EVENING

Opening Prayer	Rick Brown
Preacher	Matt Langfield
Lord's Table	Phil Forrest
Closing Prayer	Steve Brown

WEDNESDAY EVENING
COMMUNION
BREAD
Song Leader Phil Forrest
The Browns
Terri Maurer

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A Friendly Church with a Vital Message

August 8, 2021

WHAT DID PETER DOUBT?

Twice, in Matthew 15, we read that Peter "cried out in fear." When the disciples saw Jesus walking on the water toward them in the middle of the night, "they were terrified...and they cried out in fear" (15:26). Jesus reassured them, saying, "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid" (15:27).

Faithfully, Peter then asked Jesus, "command me to come to You on the water" (15:28). As Peter stepped out of the boat, following Christ's instruction, and walked across the top of the sea, "he became frightened," and as he began to sink, "he cried out, 'Lord, save me!'" (15:30). Without any delay, "Jesus stretched out His hand and took hold of him and said to him, 'You of little faith, why did you doubt?'" (15:31).

There is no question that Peter lacked faith, but what did he doubt? He was confident that this was Jesus walking on water and was sure that Jesus had power and authority over the winds and waves (Matthew 8:23-27). Peter did not doubt in the power of Christ or God; after all, in his moment of fear, it was Christ who he turned to first, saying, "Lord save me!" (15:30). So what did he doubt?

Ultimately, Peter doubted his salvation. He knew the power of God, but he failed, in that terrifying moment, to trust in God's power and will to keep him safe. It is one thing to believe, it is another thing entirely to trust, and as Christians, we need to do both. We need to know how powerful God is, how loving God is, and how eternity-changing Christ's shed blood is. But, we also need to trust that no matter how stormy or windy life becomes, our spiritual salvation is secure by our obedience to God, by His power, and His will.

Matt Langfield .

WELCOME VISITORS

You are our honored guests! Please fill out a visitor card and put it in the collection plate. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to have you as a part of our family. If you would like an in-home Bible study, would like for someone to visit you, or are in some other need, let us know. We hope you will worship with us again!

PRAYER LIST

Nikki Johnson, Harold Johnson's sister, passed away on July 30. Please keep the **Johnson family** in your prayers.

Jolene McKenzie's eye issues have improved but still are not completely resolved.

Eddie Nuckols had quadruple bypass surgery this past Monday and the procedure went well.

Brandon Markman, Jered Markman's brother, has sinus cancer. Continue to pray for: Bubba and Diane Cannon, Mary Ellen Dull, Bea Gidcomb, Don Grubbs, Paul Johnson, Arvata Kinder, Glenn and Nancy Koontz, Sara and Oscar Koontz, Bob Langford, Ruby O'Neal, Mildred Phelps, Aileen Potts, Jay Stanley
SHUT-INS: Robert Cole, Vergie Farmer, Estelle Kluttz, Wanda Scott

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

August 29 Sunday following the morning worship service. Invite a friend, family member, or neighbor!

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

August 14 Saturday

VBS at Corinth CoC

September 11

CBC Blue Grass Festival

Next Monday the 16th will be Vergie Farmer's 98th birthday. Her address is Somerset Court of Mocksville Room 108 150 Ken Dwiggin Drive Mocksville, NC 27028 if you would like to send her a birthday greeting.



"Blessed are the _____ in spirit, for theirs is the _____ of heaven.

Blessed are those _____ mourn, for _____ will _____ comforted.

Blessed are the _____, for they will inherit the _____.

Blessed _____ those who _____ and thirst for _____, for they will be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful, for they _____ receive _____.

Blessed are the pure in _____, for _____ will _____ God.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for _____ will be called _____ of God.

Blessed are those who _____ persecuted for the sake of _____, for theirs is the _____ of heaven."

- Matthew 5:3-10