Global Outreach Highlight

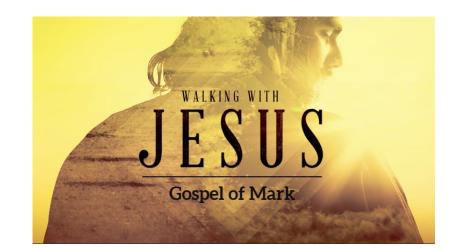
Ajay and Heather

September 17, 2023

(Request their update letter from the church office.)



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Sunday Worship, September 17, 2023

Come, let's worship and bow down; let's kneel before the LORD our Maker. Psalm 95:6 (CSB)

WELCOME! Our great desire for you this morning is that God provides you with opportunities to experience and worship Him; connect with others within our church; and be challenged toward spiritual growth, ministry and mission.

COMMUNICATION CARDS: Located in the wooden rack in each pew are our communication cards. In addition to stopping by or calling the church office, please use these cards if you are new or have an address/contact change (CONNECT), have a prayer request (PRAY), have a question, comment or would like to serve (SERVE), or have a question about giving at CBC (GIVE). Please drop your card in an offering box in the back of the Worship Center. We love to hear from you!

KIDS CONNECT: Kids ages 4 through 5th grade have the opportunity to join their peers for a lesson during the sermon. They will be dismissed from the Worship Center and picked up in their individual classrooms following the worship service. The Nursery is open to infants through age 3, and also the place where you register your kids for all Sunday programs prior to the start of the worship gathering.

WELCOME COUNTER: Have questions? Need directions? Want to learn more? We have someone in the lower lobby at the Welcome Counter both before and after the worship service.

WORSHIP LYRICS: Printed lyrics of today's worship songs are available at the Welcome Counter.

INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP? To learn about our membership pathway, pick up a membership packet from the table in the lower lobby.

CDA BIBLE ONLINE: Our website is www.cdabible.org. We also offer a weekly e-newsletter. To sign up to receive the *Weekly Update*, go to the website, and scroll down and choose "Sign up for E-News."

GIVING: There are several ways to give at CBC: For *Online Giving* at our website (www.cdabible.org), click on the **Next Steps** button in the lower right corner, and then click on **Give**. You can give once, or set it up for regular, consistent giving. You can also give at church using the white giving envelopes in the pews and drop them in the offering boxes located in the back of the Worship Center and in the Lobby. Or, you can use good old-fashioned USPS and mail your gift. Thanks for your generous support!

SERMONS: Today's sermon is being live-streamed and will also be posted on the website. Choose **Watch** to get to our YouTube channel.

CHURCH OFFICE: The regular church office hours are Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Our phone number is 208.664.4883, and the church website is www.cdabible.org.

— Keep in Prayer —

Monika Hardy: Please continue in prayer during her cancer treatment. The sideeffects of treatment are causing fatigue. Husband, Brad, is at her side with loving support, and God is bringing comfort and peace even in this difficult time. Craig Hampton: Please pray for Craig as he continues the plan to develop a home church for the Samaritan's Purse staff he serves with in Ukraine. Emily Harwood: Pray that she will have strength and peace as she continues facing complex health issues. Ask the Lord to bless Emily and her family and make His presence known. Grandparents are Terry & Marilyn Harwood of CBC.

Events, Ministries and Opportunities

Saturday Coffee Fellowship: Ladies gather for coffee fellowship on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month. Next coffee fellowship is **September 23**. It's a casual time of conversation that takes place in the lower lobby from 8:30-10:00 AM. Bring your own coffee, tea, hot chocolate, or H2O.

Young Adults Prayer & Worship Night: We want to invite all young adults to join us for a time prayer and worship in the Prayer Room. We are partnering with other churches in our area to host this evening and would love for you to come! If you have any questions, reach out to Zach (zach@cdabible.org).

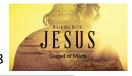
- When: Monday, September 25 @ 7:00 PM (Come early for snacks and to hangout.)
- Who: Young Adults (high school grads to twenty-somethings; single, dating, or married)
- Where: CDA Bible Prayer Room (Enter on the north side of the building by 4th Street.)

Thursday Ladies' Bible Study Resumes **September 28**. Plan to join the CBC ladies as they gather for a time of Bible study every Thursday morning 9:15-10:45 a.m. Materials are \$10. Sign-up in the lobby.

Discipleship Seminar: Want to learn more about the heartbeat of CDA Bible Church? We highly recommend attending our Discipleship Seminar. The contents of the seminar are so important that we make it a requirement for membership! We want everyone to be on the same page regarding the great value of following after Jesus. Takes place Sunday, **October 15**, from 2:00-5:00 PM. Childcare (up to age 10) is provided. Meets in the Gathering Room.

Mark Your Calendar

Wednesday Gathering: September 20, 6:30-8:00 p.m. Gals' Getaway Retreat: September 22-24, Shoshone Mt. Retreat Saturday Women's Coffee Fellowship: September 23, 8:30-10:00 a.m., Lobby Young Adults Night: September 25, 7:00 p.m., Prayer Room Thursday Ladies' Bible Study: September 28, 9:15-10:45 a.m. Women's Prayer Team: September 28, 11:00 a.m. (fall hours) Discipleship Seminar: October 15, 2:00-5:00 p.m., Gathering Rm. Fall Family Festival: October 25, 6:00-8:00 p.m.



1. Read Mark 8:11-13.

- Why did the Pharisees go to see Jesus?
- What can we learn from this about people's motivations?
- Do you think they told Jesus directly "we came to argue with you?"
- Why did they want to see a sign?
- How did Jesus feel when they came to Him?
- Why did He feel this way?
- Why did He not give them a sign?

2. Read Mark 8:14-21.

- What may have prompted Jesus to talk about the "leaven" of the Pharisees and Herod?
- What do you think He was referring to?
- What does leaven generally represent in the Bible?
- In this case is it good or bad?
- How did the disciples interpret Jesus' statement?
- Why did they keep thinking about the physical things when Jesus was referring to spiritual things?
- What was Jesus' response this time to their short-term memories?
- What can we learn from verse 18?
- How can we move beyond focusing on the things we can see around to the spiritual truths and Christ's spiritual kingdom?

3. Count how many questions Jesus asked between verses 17 and 21.

- What do think Jesus was hoping to accomplish by asking so many questions?
- Why is asking questions as a good teaching method?
- 4. Looking back over the passage, why was Jesus frustrated with the Pharisees?
 - Why was He frustrated with the disciples?
 - Why did Jesus give up on the Pharisees, but not the disciples?

5. What lessons can be learned by us, the reader, by reading through this passage? Pastor Kurt Staeuble Sunday AM September 17, 2023

Mark 8:11-21

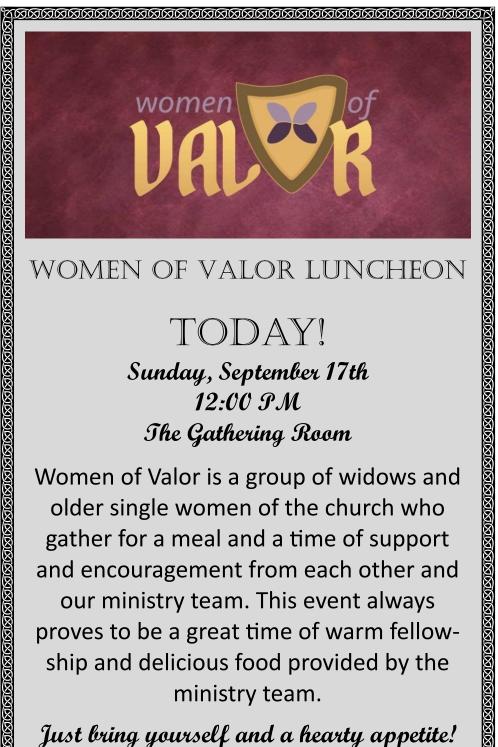
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- From Mark's perspective, the Pharisees weren't giving an
- i_____ challenge, but rather their intent was
- e_____ against Jesus.
- People with hardened hearts aren't typically
- c_____ by signs.
- A little bit of sin can go a long way toward i______a

person's relationship with God and creating c_____ in their life.

- The primary matter of yeast Jesus is talking about is the leaven of
- u_____.
- The reason we have this passage of scripture is not to look down on the

disciples, but to g_____ r____ with ourselves.



WOMEN OF VALOR LUNCHEON

TODAY! Sunday, September 17th 12:00 *FM* The Gathering Room

Women of Valor is a group of widows and older single women of the church who gather for a meal and a time of support and encouragement from each other and our ministry team. This event always proves to be a great time of warm fellowship and delicious food provided by the ministry team.

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Just bring yourself and a hearty appetite!

LATE START!



Women's Fall Bible Study! Living Holy in a Hostile World

This fall we will be studying through First Peter. We will be encouraged to persevere in suffering and live holy lives. This is an epistle of HOPE! Thursdays—9:15am—10:45am Led by Sara Staeuble & Marilee Finney

Study begins THURSDAY September 28th

Sign-ups starting September 10th in lower lobby. Cost is \$10 to cover materials.