

1 Kings 13:14-24

14 "Are you the man of God who came from Judah?" And he said, "I am."

15 Then he said to him, "Come home with me and eat bread."

16 He said, "I cannot return with you, nor go with you, nor will I eat bread or drink water with you in this place.

17 For a command *came* to me by the word of the Lord. 'You shall eat no bread, nor drink water there; do not return by going the way which you came.' "

18 He said to him, "I also am a prophet like you, and an angel spoke to me by the word of the Lord, saying, 'Bring him back with you to your house, that he may eat bread and drink water.' " *But* he lied to him.

19 So he went back with him, and ate bread in his house and drank water.

20 Now it came about, as they were sitting down at the table, that the word of the Lord came to the prophet who had brought him back;

21 and he cried to the man of God who came from Judah, saying, "Thus says the Lord, 'Because you have disobeyed the command of the Lord, and have not observed the commandment which the Lord your God commanded you,

22 but have returned and eaten bread and drunk water in the place of which He said to you, 'Eat no bread and drink no water;'; your body shall not come to the grave of your fathers.' "

23 It came about after he had eaten bread and after he had drunk, that he saddled the donkey for him, for the prophet whom he had brought back.

24 Now when he had gone, a lion met him on the way and killed him, and his body was thrown on the road, with the donkey standing beside it; the lion also was standing beside the body.

2 Timothy 2:15

15 Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed,

Hebrews 5:14

14 But solid food is for the mature, who because of practice have their senses trained to discern good and evil. Handling accurately the word of truth.

Reference Acts 17:11 Galatians 1:8 Philippians 2:12

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WELCOME

We would like to take this time to welcome each one of you to University and thank you for being a part of the worship and work that goes on here. If you are visiting you are our special guest and welcome you back the next time you are able. If you are visiting we would ask if you would be able to stay a brief moment or two after services so we might get the chance of greeting you in person and welcoming you here. Please also stay as our guest for our monthly luncheon that is held at the SLC right after the conclusion of today's service. Again Welcome.

Don't forget we have hand out material in the foyer to pass along to those you know to invite them to services and invite them to be a part of University church. Looking for a church home? Have a question? Would like to set up a group or personal bible study. Need some assistance or know of someone who does please take the time and visit with us.

Reminder its back to school and with that we have great video bible studies to you accessed free. Just contact the office for more details. This is a great tool for you to use anytime of the day or night. Make sure you get the connection.

Are their searchers for truth these days? Do we care? Are there modern day Bereans like those mentioned in the bible? Do we seek out after truth today like we seemed to do just a few years ago? Today most convictions are all based on where we get our information. Where is our source? Today we will examine the importance of information with Gods word, the importance and reasons for it and the guard against not using or utilizing it. Scripture references for today's lesson can be found on the back.

Worship And Study Opportunities

Sunday:

Bible School.....9:30 A.M
Worship.....10:30 A.M
Evening Worship....6:00 P.M

Wednesday:

Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.
Mid-Week Bible Class....7:00 P.M.

ELDER OF THE MONTH:.....Brad McKinzie

ANNOUNCEMENTS:.....Keith Parrish

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:46
Morning Worship:74
Evening Worship:23
Mid-Week:39
Ladies Class:
Contribution:\$3,918.00
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THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:David Byrd
Closing Prayer:Ed Valdez

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Glen Wampler
Closing Prayer:Klaus Mueller

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Joshua Sharum
Closing Prayer:Greg Ray

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If you would like to see a past sermon you can go to our web site and click on the weekly sermons tab.

PRAYERS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING: Roy Don Bennett, Donna Caldwell and Terri Belflower are recuperating after their surgeries. Barbara Bolton will have hip replacement surgery on Tuesday August 23rd in Duncan. Please pray for the ones on our continued prayer list.

THE MONTHLY LUNCHEON will be this Sunday, August 21st at the Student Learning Center after the morning service. Everyone make plans to attend.

NOTE: If you are able to help provide a dish and/or assist with a funeral meal, please sign up on the back bulletin board.

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

3 - Dwaine Zacharias
12 - Flo Fitzsimmons
14 - Jack Treffinger

AUGUST CALENDAR:

8 - MNFTM
21 - Monthly Luncheon

NORTHWEST LADIES DAY - SEPTEMBER 10, 2016 - LIVE & FINISH STRONG - Worldliness VS. Righteousness - 9:00 AM - Registration coffee and breakfast - Lunch will be provided **SPEAKER:** Rose Crayton from Frisco, Texas - **R.S.V.P.** By September 1, 2016 (580) 353-4230 or (580)280-0234

LADIES DAY: Sullivan Village church of Christ - October 8, 2016 - 10 A.M. - 531 SE 45th Street, Lawton, Ok. Speaker: Wendy Rutledge of Mount Vernon, Texas - tiptoe OR run? - coffee - lesson - lunch

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Roy Bennett, J.L. & Claudine Bolton, Barbara Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Tim, Karee & Clay Curtis, Weldon Flanagan, Kenneth Gregory, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, David Kelsey, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Velma Shook, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd's father, Bryan Cain's father, Johnny Burch, Randy Hill, Glenda Kinney, Lenna Kelsey & Sue Peddy's grandson Lee.

EXTENDED CARE:

Kenneth Gregory is in Willow Park in room 2 C.

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 115.

Jack Treffinger is in McMahon in room A82B

LADIES DAY: Plan to join us for our 4th Annual Ladies Day - **Family - Our Circle of Love** - Saturday, September 24, 2016 at 9:30 A.M. - Registration & Brunch at 9:00 a.m. Meal after program about 12:00 - **Speaker: Molly Lemmons** - **Hosted by ladies at Prairie Hill Church of Christ** - 79476 N 2820 Rd Comanche, Ok. 73529-9662 - RSVP by September 19, 2016 - e-mail: mpineda@pldi.net or (580)439-6665

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Pray Without Ceasing!
1 Thessalonians 5:17
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In Case You Missed It

Mark 7:20-22

And He was saying, "That which proceeds out of the man, that is what defiles the man. "For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed the evil thoughts, fornications, thefts, murders, adulteries, deeds of coveting and wickedness, as well as deceit, sensuality, envy, slander, pride and foolishness.

The Great Wall of China is one of the Seven Wonders of the World. It stretches over 4,000 miles and was built to protect China from their enemies to the north. The designers of the wall made it so high that it could not be scaled, so thick that it could not be penetrated, and so long that no one could go around it. Yet, during the first hundred years of the wall's existence China was successfully invaded three times, without the wall having been climbed or breached. So how, you ask, did the invaders raid China? Well, the problem wasn't the wall — it was the gatekeepers! In each of these invasions the barbarians simply bribed the gatekeepers who opened the gates, so the enemies just walked right in. The protection of the Great Wall of China was only as secure as its gatekeepers. What a lesson, for us today since, we all also have "gates to keep"....our eyes, and our ears, and our mouth? No matter how strong we may feel, we can never forget that these points of entry will be seen by our enemies and there will be attempts to bribe or seduce us so they can break through. We must not allow the enemies in to invade our lives by failing to keep careful watch at these entry points—our integrity and our authority depend on the security of our gates.