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Beginning Our 65th Year Dec. 4, 2022

Goals For 2023
Theme
 "Courageous Christians in 2023!"
Attendance: Sunday Bible Study: 40:
Sunday AM: 50
Sunday PM: 40: Wednesday Bible Study: 30

Giving: Meet Our Yearly Budget

Invitations: 130

Every Member Committed To Daily Bible Reading

Every Member Committed To Daily Prayer

Every Member Committed To Be At Every Service

Support the Work in Vincennes, Indiana
Hold A Men's Training Class

Hold One Gospel Meeting

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Elbert Metcalf & Ron Thompson, Jr. are preaching today

We are now in week #6 of our Daily Bible Reading.

Prayer List
 Lynn & Mark Maudlin,
 Sharon Nale, Polly Ward,
 Macon Ward, Greg Ward,
 Novema Dunn, Debby Spears
 (Roseann's sis) Sharon
 Thompson, Kay Thompson
 Gene Ward & Beth McFarland
 Brooke Thomas, Pam Caudill
 Debbie Lewellen, Cathie Hall

THIS MONTH:
Examples of Courage:Moses
 Ex. 3:4

Who Have You Invited To Services This week?

Lord's Supper Reading
Matt. 26:20-29

Scripture Reading
 AM: Heb. 11:24-26
 PM: Ex. 32:19-25

Encouragement Tally
 Invites this month: 16
 Invites last month: 10
 Visitors YTD: 0

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Our Theme for 2023...
"Courageous Christians!"
 1 Cor. 16:13
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MOSES - EXODUS

Welcome!
 If you're visiting with us today, we want you to feel welcome and we want you to feel like our honored guest! We also want you to know that all we're interested in here at the Clarksville Church of Christ is the Truth. Jesus said, "You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32. The truth He's talking about is God's word. Jesus said, "Sanctify them by thy truth, Thy word is truth." John 17:17. Therefore we hope you'll appreciate that we'll give you book, chapter and verse from the Bible, the word of God, for everything that we say or do here today, so that everything that we do may bring glory unto God, I Pet. 4:11.

VISITORS
 Please fill out a visitor's card or scan the QR code below and provide the information requested.



- TEXT: Hebrews 11: 24-26**
- I. Moses' Birth and Early Years**
 - II. Midian Years**
 - III. God's Servant**
 - IV. Courageous Choices**
 - A. Follow Hebrew Brothers**
 - B. God's Mission'**
 - C. Moses Before Pharaoh**
 - D. Battle With Amalek**
 - V. Conclusion**
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Elbert Metcalf

The Courage of Moses at Mt. Sinai

Text: Ex. 19:20-20:20

Background

Exodus 19:20 – 20:20, 24:12, 32:1 – 4

Moses had the Courage to Identify and point out Sin

Exodus 32:19 – 25

Moses had the Courage to Intercede

Exodus 32:11

Moses had the Courage to Confront sin and sinners

Exodus 32:19, 21, 25

Moses had the Courage to Act

Exodus 32:25 – 28

Moses had the Courage to persevere for God

Deuteronomy 20:3 – 4

Do you have the courage to make this lesson personal:

the Courage to Identify and point out your own Sin?

the Courage to Intercede for self?

the Courage to Confront sin within yourself?

the Courage to personally Act?

the Courage to persevere for God's cause?

Ron Thompson, Jr.

A New Prophet Like Moses

“The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your brothers — it is to him you shall listen” (Deuteronomy 18:15).

TOWARD THE END OF MOSES' LIFE, HE TOLD ISRAEL THAT IN THE FUTURE GOD WOULD RAISE UP ANOTHER PROPHET LIKE HIM. At Sinai, Moses had received God's word and brought it back down the mountain to the people. So the time would come, Moses said, when another spokesman would act as God's representative, revealing things about God that the people could not have known if God had not spoken to the prophet, and the prophet, to the people.

We see here the meaning of “prophet”: a spokesman or mouthpiece (Exodus 7:1,2). We often think of prophecy as a prediction of the future (and sometimes it is), but the basic idea is that of one who represents God and speaks in His name. The prophet is one through whom God reveals His word to the people.

We should not miss the importance of this point. The will of God cannot be discovered by human efforts such as divination, mystical experience, subjective emotions, or philosophical effort. Anything true we may know about God will have been *revealed* to us by Him — *using an authoritative spokesman*. The prophet could say, “Thus sayeth the Lord . . .” and not simply, “I feel this to be true.”

By the Roman era, the Jews were expecting the coming of the new prophet who would be like Moses. When John the Baptist began preaching, some thought he might be this prophet: “When the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, ‘Who are you?’ He confessed, and did not deny, but confessed, ‘I am not the Christ.’ And they asked him, ‘What then? Are you Elijah?’ He said, ‘I am not.’ ‘Are you the Prophet?’ And he answered, ‘No’” (John 1:19–21). It was John's mission to prepare for the One who was the coming Prophet, Jesus the Messiah.

“*It is to him you shall listen*” is what Moses had said in Deuteronomy 18:15. And when Jesus was transfigured and seen by His disciples talking to Moses and Elijah, God spoke from heaven and said, “This is my beloved Son; *listen to him*” (Mark 9:7).

“Moses predicts that the Lord will raise up another prophet like to himself . . . This promise received its complete fulfillment when God finally spoke through His own Son. Such was the definite assertion of Peter concerning Christ: ‘Moses said, “The Lord God will raise up for you a prophet like me from your brothers” ‘ (Acts 3:22)” (Charles R. Erdman).

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