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Sundays
 Bible Study..... 9:30 AM
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 Worship..... 6:00 PM

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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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Tack Chumbley
will be preaching today.

We are on week # 17 of our daily Bible reading.

Prayer List
 Sharon Nale, Polly Ward,
 Macon Ward, Greg Ward,
 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: David
 1 Sam. 17:32-56

Who Have You Invited To Services This week?

Lord's Supper Reading
Isaiah 53:4-7

Scripture Reading
 AM: James 1:21-27
 PM: Hebrews 11:7

Encouragement Tally
 Invites this month: 40
 Invites last month: 24
 Visitors YTD: 9

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Our Theme for 2023...
"Courageous Christians!"
 1 Cor. 16:13
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Gospel Meeting April 23-26

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How to Get the Most Out of a Sermon

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, 1 Pet. 4:11.

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



TEXT: James 1:21-27

Remove

Receive

Respond

Notes:

Tack Chumbley

Faith and a Flood

TEXT: Hebrews 11:7

What are the components of faith?

What are the consequences of faith?

Notes; _____

Tack Chumbley

Zacchaeus was a wee little man

For a several years, the nineteenth century Baptist preacher Charles Spurgeon trained men for the ministry in a small theological school he started called the "Pastor's College." As part of the training, he would call students to the front of the room, give them a text, and ask them to preach on it on the spot.

One day, he assigned a student the passage from Luke 19 dealing with Zacchaeus. The student said, "I have been asked to speak on Zacchaeus. There are three things I would point out about Zacchaeus. In the first place, he was a very little man, and so am I. I would remark in the second place that he was up a tree, and so am I. I would emphasize in the third place that he made haste and came down, and so will I."

T. R. Glover, a lecturer in classical history at Cambridge University, used this outline as the basis for a sermon. He began by pointing out that all of us are little men. We may, like Nebuchadnezzar and Nero, think ourself a colossus and put up a statue a hundred feet tall to signify our importance, but in truth, we're less than a drop in the bucket (Isa. 40.15).

Because we're little, we need a higher elevation that lifts us above life's clutter to where we have a clear, unobscured view of Jesus (Col. 3.1-2, Heb. 2.9).

But "there is no cure for our littleness," said Glover, "if we let Him pass by." Once we have seen Jesus, we must join ourselves to Him. If we'll do that, salvation can come to our house this day (Lk. 19.9).

When the Pastors College student finished, Spurgeon paid him this compliment, "Young fellow, you'll get along."

Tack Chumbley