



MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

2 Corinthians 8:21
For we are taking
pains to do what is
right, not only in
the eyes of the Lord
but also in
the eyes of men.

Please pray for students
and teachers too, as they
are all now back in school.
Please include those who
are home schooled, in
private schools, public
schools and those who
are in Colleges and
Universities too.

BIBLE IN A YEAR

We welcome you to join us as we make our way through the Bible this year. To stay with us, you will need to read through Obadiah 1.

Reading through **God's Word**

Sun 9/6 ~ through Jeremiah 52
Sun 9/13 ~ through Ezekiel 22
Sun 9/20 ~ through Ezekiel 43
Sun 9/27 ~ through Hosea 9

Having Consistency In A Season Of Change

I want to start out by stating some curious questions that people ask about Jesus: Did Jesus use the restroom? Did Jesus sleep in sleepwear? Did Jesus walk everywhere or did he have a donkey drawn carriage, or ride the donkey? Did Jesus get along with His siblings as they were growing up? What did Jesus eat for breakfast, lunch and dinner?

While all of these questions are curious, they did remind us that is much we do not know about Jesus and His everyday life. We are sure that Jesus ate food, but we really do not know specifically what He ate. We are sure that Jesus did have to "relieve" Himself, but we never read about it happening. We are sure that Jesus slept, but we really do not know about what Jesus slept in. ... And before we get too caught up in these trivial matters, I just want to say this – do the answers really matter?

See, what we DO know is that Jesus came to give us life. What we do know, is that Jesus came is the lamb to take away the sin of the world. What we do know is that Jesus came as the Good Shepherd. We do know that He was not only God, having the power to forgive sins AND accepting that Thomas called Him that (see John 20:28). We also know that He died on the cross AND according the Scriptures, arose on the 3rd day. Lastly, we know that Jesus reminded us of commands and gave us some too. It is these commands and the everyday life that I want to point out.

Jesus pointed out these two commands "love God" and "love others", and also gave us a command before He ascended up into heaven - "make disciples". It is these commands that should come to mind as we follow Jesus and seek to live for Him. Why? Because these were the things that His

life was about AND He calls us to be about them too.

See, we may not know every single little detail about Jesus, but we do know that He loved His Father in heaven, that He loves those around Him and that invested Himself in others so they would be prepared to continue to share the Good News with others and build them up in the faith.

So, while you do not what Jesus put on before He went to bed, or what He ate for meals, you DO know that His life was all about loving God, loving people and making disciples. And while we may want to know more, the reality is we really should seek to remember and live out these. It does not matter what we wear to bed. It does not really matter what we eat for meals. But what does matter is how are we carrying the directions and instructions that Jesus has given us. Are you and I seeking to live them out?

In September we the season will be changing into Fall. In September all kinds of people will be entering School. In September major league baseball will be ending it's regular season. There are all kinds of changes happening this month. But what is NOT changing, and never will change is the tasks Jesus has given us to do. So, I just want to encourage you, to continue to think, pray, ponder and ask God to help you love Him (and show it each day), to help you love others (and show it each day), and to make disciples - investing, encouraging, being an example to someone (each day). Because no matter what we do, or where we go, as followers of Jesus, our life now revolves around Jesus instructions and directions. So I hope that you, as well as myself, continue to seek out each day, ways to love God, love others and make disciples - not matter what is changing around us.

September Birthday's



4 Lori Snider
7 Finnely Solchenberger
12 Ella Wegner
13 Joyce Cone
13 Steve Meyer
15 Lucas Koberstein
15 Shari Koeppel
21 Dave Wickus
21 Matilda Mjelde
26 Megan Dessauer
26 Madison Dessauer
28 Dan Fuller
30 Ann Sensamann
30 Franklin VanHauten



Meetings

Elders: Thur. Sept. 3rd
Board: Wed. Sept. 16th

1 Dave & Janice Shaw
4 Dave & Lorrie Wickus
10 David & Charlotte Taylor
14 Dale & Heidi Horstman
17 Jayme & Stephanie Johnson
17 John & JoEllen Westendorf

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Monthly Financial Report / Year-to-date Financial Report

July 2026

Actual Income	\$24,992
Actual Expense	\$17,907
Difference	\$7,085

Year to Date 2026

Actual Income	\$104,752
Actual Expense	\$115,826
Difference	-\$11,074

Budgeted Giving	\$16,900
Budgeted Expense	\$16,900
Difference	\$0

Budgeted Giving	\$118,300
Budgeted Expense	\$118,300
Difference	\$0



**We are looking for
Children's Church workers!!
If you are interested in teach-
ing our youth please contact
one of the Pastors, Traci
Crouse or Carolyn Green at
the church office.**

New Life Bike Ride Adventure

On Saturday September 19th, New Life will be going on a bike ride adventure. All riders will come to New Life at 9am and bring their bikes and water in their bike bottles (hint, hint, hint). After arriving, bikes will be packed up in vehicles, and then driven to the start of the ride on the 400 trail. Halfway or so through the ride, all riders and support members will stop for lunch - cost will be \$15 per person for the ride. And by the way, financial assistance is available. When the ride is over, all riders then get back into the vehicles and return to New Life. If you would like to participate in this adventure, please let Lisa Meyer know by calling her at 608-434-0939 or emailing her @ steve456@centurytel.com.

We hope many people can make it. By the way, even if you do not want to ride, we can use some more support team members during the ride. So please let Lisa know if you are interested in helping that way too. See you on Saturday, September 19th at 9am to be a part of this bike ride adventure.