March 16: Sunday Worship Leaders

Songs: Randy Grossman **Opening Prayer:** Jonah Lee **Communion-lead:** Ben Wright

Communion-serving: Justen Traxler,

David Barron, Frank Ridenour **Scripture:** Randy Salsgiver

Scripture Reading: Job 18:1-21

Sermon: Brandon Foresha Closing Prayer: Steve Maul Remarks: Clem Rosenberger III Communion Prep: Valerie Steffy

March 23: Sunday Worship Leaders

Songs: Jason Tennant

Opening Prayer: Ben Wright

Communion-lead: Clem Rosenberger III **Communion-serving:** Dan Mitchell,

Chris Plummer, Kendal Grossman

Scripture: Randy Grossman

Scripture Reading: Job 19:1-29

Sermon: Brandon Foresha **Closing Prayer:** Carl Nulph **Remarks:** Brian Steffy

Communion Prep: Valerie Steffy

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Ladies' Bible Study: March 20. Lesson 7. Every other Thursday. 1:00pm at the building.
- Weekly Visiting: Wednesday at 1pm a group gathers at the building. See Ben, Dave or Brandon.
- Please sign up for Lads2Leaders lunch prep. Sign-Up sheet is on bulletin board.
- Lads 2 Leaders after services today: Songs, Speech, Puppets
- Lectureship Indiana CoC: "Keeping the Unity of the Spirit": On: April 5, 2025 From: 9am-2pm. Cost is \$10. Registration Deadline is March 20.
- **TRANSFORM LADIES' CONFERENCE:** September 5-7, 2025, Sign-up TODAY!
- There will be a quick VBS meeting March 23 directly after church.
- Ladies day May 3 at Whitehall CoC

PRAYER REQUESTS & UPDATES

- Merle Rupp passed away on Thursday March 13. Please pray for the Rupp family.
- Cathy's sister Linda struggling hard with life and finances.
- Colette's aunt passed away on Thursday March 13. Please pray for her family.
- May 7: Susan Lee hip replacement
- Melinda's Uncle Barry for his leg and his kidney
- Melinda's Uncle Adam is having issues with his heart.
- Gabe Jones has a kidney stone. Please pray that it passes easily.
- As always, pray for Brandon, the elders, deacons and Bible class teachers!

WELCOME



213 Blaney Road, Kittanning, PA 16201 (Behind the Dairy Queen)

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Class: 9:30 AM Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 AM Sunday Afternoon Service: 3:00 PM Wednesday Eve Bible Study: 7:00 PM

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We are LIVE on YouTube!!! All of the sermon and bible study videos are organized into playlists for your convenience.

Remember to LIKE, SUBSCRIBE and SHARE!

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All PowerPoints to go along with the videos are available on our website!

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MIRACLES DON'T SAVE

Discover the true source of salvation and the pitfalls of modern faith healers, emphasizing that only the gospel, not miraculous healings, has the power to save our souls.

Faith healers today claim great powers and put on a good show. And yet, despite their signs and wonders, if there is no obedience to the gospel, those who believe in them are lost – even if they believe themselves to be healed.

In Luke 17:19 we have the story of Jesus healing a leper. After this miracle, Jesus said to the man "Your faith has saved you." In other words, the miracle healed his body but it was the man's faith in Jesus that saved his soul.

We do well to ponder this when observing the many claims of faith healers today. Luke's account teaches us that being the recipient of a miracle (even a legitimate one) doesn't necessarily save our souls. For example, all those who A have prayed for you... That your faith may not fail. LUKE 22:32

observed and ate the bread and fish miraculously created by Jesus in Matthew 14:13-21 were not automatically saved as well.

The Bible teaches that the true power to save is in the gospel (Romans 1:16) and not in healings. Legitimate healing only pointed to the truth, the cure was not an end unto itself. Miraculous healings saved the body for a while but only the gospel could save the soul.

The true test for our modern miracle workers is the fee they charge for their services. Ever notice that unlike Jesus and the Apostles, modern faith healers always ask for money? Not only did the Apostles minister for free, they rebuked those who would even dare exchange money in return for their power (Acts 8:20).

Let's remember where the power

to save comes from and not be seduced by those who promise to heal the body but have no power over the soul. Even in death she has served to provide an opportunity for the greater purpose of God to be explained and shared by those who will truly miss her.

Discussion Questions

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- Mike Mazzalongo, <u>Choctaw Church of Christ</u>, Choctaw, OKlahoma



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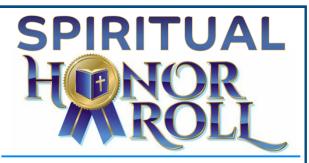
GOD'S GRACE THAT BRINGS SALVATION

Titus 2:11-15

The grace of God that brings salvation, Has appeared to all men. The blood of Jesus is a cleansing flood, Making us free from sin! The gospel teaches us to deny ungodliness, And to resist all worldly lust. Live soberly, righteously and godly today, Having a hope of Christ's return is a must. Jesus gave Himself, yes to death on the cross, To redeem us from every lawless deed. To purify us, His own special people, For good works and to fulfill our neighbor's needs. So speak these things and exhort your brother, Even warning him of sin to avoid. For some will despise you for the good that you do, And would have your reputation destroyed. Yes, the grace of God that brings salvation, Has truly appeared to us all. So don't wait to reach out for His precious gift, And you won't miss heaven's sweet call!



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I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. For God is my witness, how I yearn for you all with the affection of Christ Jesus. And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.

— Philippians 1:3-11

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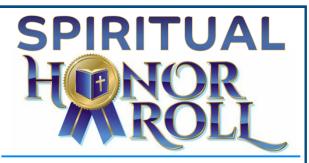
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