

Thursday, August 14, 2025

08.10.25 **Pastor Joseph**

Notes by Pastor Ashley Dodson

Joshua 5:10-12

All through their wilderness experience, all they had known was manna from heaven everyday. The day after passover, they ate of the produce of the land, the manna ceased.

They are tasting of the new normal.

When manna is what you are used to, you don't have to look for another source because it's dependable.

Planting crops and waiting for harvest starts now.

There is a danger of manna continuing in the promise land, it's God's desire for Israel to take ownership and responsibility for the land of Canaan. You don't need manna in this season.

God didn't make an announcement, he just stopped doing what He did yesterday because they are in a new season and new opportunity. I don't need it but I like it and it's easier. Wilderness tendencies have to cease. New land, New provision.

Provision is going to look different.

We have to learn to transition better.

We should not want God to spoon feed us, when we should be ruling and reigning.

In the promise land you have to learn to steward and manage blessing. So they don't go without in the land of plenty.

vs. 13-15 the commander of the Lord's army

God brought them out to bring them up. Moses went up the mountain to be with God as a consequence of the people refusing to meet with God themselves. More of God than they were willing to go after. They came out but only Moses went up.

Moses went up but he didn't go into the promise land.

Moses knew the ways of God. Joshua got the benefit of Moses going up, God is not content on Joshua only leading from what Moses experienced.

So God appears to Joshua in a brand new way.



**ACTS OF SERVICE
NEXT WEEK (Sun Aug 17)**

Cleaning (wk of 8/11 – 8-16) :
Wells Family

Communion: Loren Graves
Nursery: Denise Nisley & Sue Kinsman
Greeters: Shawna Hickert & Alyssa Aylor
CC Kids: Katie Ewert & Diana Bryant

This encounter is to prepare Joshua for where he's going. The circumstances changed before the encounter came. So you will be looking for Him. He didn't show up as the commander of the Lord's army, until the manna ceased. Shifted from welfare to warfare in a day. This blessing is occupied. You're going to have to work and you're going to have to fight. Joshua has to be reintroduced to the Lord of host. You get to see more of who God is. And Joshua sees an armed man, the commander of the Lords Army, I have now come! He is here giving orders. Until you see God as this you don't become a warrior for God. How He reveals Himself as to you, is what you reflect to the world around you. He is the head of divine strategies. Often times the change comes before the encounter we need, but you cannot function in the new place until you encounter Him to know how you are to function in this new season. Don't weep over what God is not doing anymore, you're stepping into something that's greater and a higher level. The world is changing. You need to seek God and encounter Him, to transition well where you are going.



BIRTHDAYS:

Leah Dove (8/12)
{missed last week}
Becky Rhone (8/16)
Christine Franklin (8/19)
Kris VanNice (8/21)
Gene Ewert (8/21)

ANNIVERSARIES:

Joseph & Ashley Dodson (8/18)



DATE: Saturday, August 16, 2025 @ 9 am

You are invited to

Double Portion Ministry

RECIPE:

Pork Salsa Verde



Ingredients:

- Bring 2 two-pound *boneless pork roasts or loins*
- All other ingredients will be provided

The Lord's Chapel, Neodesha

Come with Faith for Fellowship, Fun and make a blessing for you and someone else!

If you cannot afford to bring the meat needed, please contact Kathy Ewert or Garry Lambert.



Mary Dir

Aug 8, 2025,
3:59 PM

Hi Gene,



John Dir is healing with no complications. He is still eating soft food. We appreciate the prayers! Mary Dir



Kerry Lambert

Aug 9, 2025, 7:29 PM

We read the newsletter every week! Don't always comment but appreciate the reminders and the extra information and connections!!!



**BIBLE & MISSION CENTRE
ARUSHA - TANZANIA**
PRESENTS

Host
Pst David Vincent

**MISSIONS
UPDATE**

Bishop Kim Torp **Pst Keith Springer** **Dr Bill Faught**

**Next Level
Conference**
8:30AM – 4:00PM

**21ST TO 23RD
AUG, 2025**

BREAKFAST AND LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

**SAKINA OPP. ARUSHA MEAT
200M FROM THE MAIN ROAD.**

REGISTER NOW!
FREE EVENT



By Design

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23, 2025 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
LIGHT HARDWARE BUILDING, 100 E RUTLEDGE ST
YATES CENTER, KS 66783

Distinguishable

BECOMING RECOGNIZABLY DIFFERENT
BY THE WAY WE SPEAK, ACT, SERVE, AND LOVE!
CONNECTING IN SOUTHEAST KANSAS BY
ENCOUNTERING GOD, EQUIPPING WOMEN AND EXPANDING KINGDOM.





PRAISE REPORTS & Continued Prayers!

- *Shyloh got a 4th grade teaching position in Independence!
- *Protecting Nora, Ewerts granddaughter, in car wreck!
- *Jen-baby Harley's off all tubes & iv's! continued prayer for her heart chamber and that she can stay off tubes and iv's & keep feeding good



- *Sydra had a healthy baby boy Friday afternoon-Cyrus **Aug 8th!**

THIS WEEK PRAYERS & UPDATES:

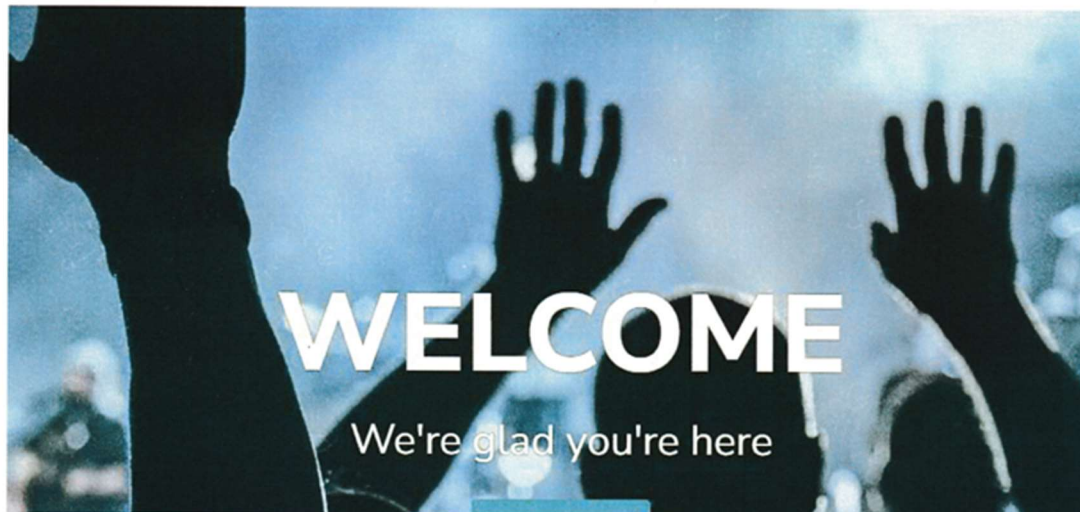


- *Bobby Littau's mom passed away
- *Bill & Keith leave for Brazil on Tuesday **Aug 12th!**
- *SoHome
- *Nathan Hickert - job specifically maintenance position at Alert
- *Shirley's son Randal-aggressive prostate cancer-starts radiation right away
- *Shirley Drawdy's health update
- *Ariel Cousin pray everything comes back benign & that the inflammation will respond to the medication
- *Kyler appendicitis (Stephanie Adee)
- *Melissa & Jason's son-in-law Kyle recovery from appendicitis & their grandbaby had ear surgery & pray for healing & that she has no hearing impairment
- *Becky's daughter Amy infection & friends Vonda & her husband
- *Addison Franklin - double ear infection, ruptured ear drum, pray no permanent damage
- *Cheryle Agostos mom, Julia, kidney stone passes on its own & kidney is healed
- *Lynda Faught's son Ron gets a job and her moms wrist and thumb heals from sprain
- *Shannon Elam's dads sister Leann having difficult battle
- *Dale Evenson - difficult situation
- *Alli's friends' son Callahan - continue praying for healing of his elbow
- *Kris Van Nice update, any specific prayers for you and Matt **September 9**
- *John Dir update from oral surgery
- *Lindsey Arnold's update
- *Ryan Millar's health, job and for Jen & Ryan
- *Kent Carpenters health
- *Jake Carpenters health



*Just
Keep
Praying*





Christ Church of Neodesha

Are you new to the church or the area? If so, you are very welcome! Please check out our [New to Church page](#) which has some helpful information for you.

We are a group of ordinary people who believe that church is a great place to make friends and experience God together. We are a family who believe that church should not only be great fun but also a place where lives are radically transformed.

Pastor Joseph

Our Church Web-Site:

<https://christchurchneodesha.org>



Become a part of our community!



We encourage you to get on the web-site and register! We are adding new content all the time:

- Links to sermons
- Up to date calendar (with web-links if appropriate)
- Working on getting all old newsletters on the site
- Especially if you are a volunteer, lists will be going on the site **WITH REMINDERS!**



**Phone App
Available!**



MISSIONS UPDATE

Stay tuned for more details!

Brazil

Eduardo Ribeiro

Missiontrip Brazil
July 10-17, 2026

G & W FOODS

HIL 2% HALF GAL 3.39 B
HIL FF FR VAN CRMR 2.99 B
GOOD PURE LEMON
2 @ 2/5.00
Bst Ch Hov
SC BAG

**START saving your G&W receipts!
Nancy carpenter WILL have more
DETAILS in the near FUTURE.**

ITEMS SOLD = 5

SAVINGS
Total Savings 0.05

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DIG IN @ HOME

Mark 15: 27-47

The Crucifixion

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Alexander	Carry	Charge
Compelled	Country	Cross
Crucified	Crucifixion	Cyrene
Derided	Destroy	Golgotha
Hour	Inscription	Jews
King	Land	Left
Mixed	Myrrh	Offered
Passerby	Right	Robbers
Rufus	Simon	Sixth
Skull	Temple	Three
Top	Wagging	Wine



Fundraiser for Arnolds & VanNices!

\$20 Ticket Raffle

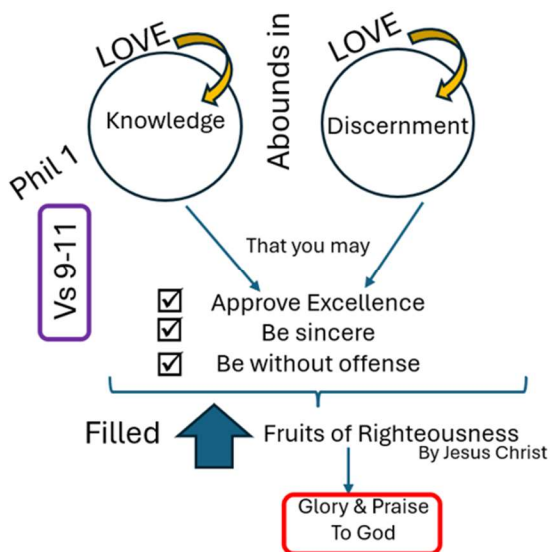
4-Day 3-night Stay in Branson (14-15 people @ Condo on the Lake)



Toby & Mara Lavine will continue to have more information in the near future.



Christ Churcher Men! If you have been thinking about joining us at CaveTime on Wednesday nights at 6pm, now is the perfect time! We are starting a new study of the book of Philippians. We have no other text than the version of the Bible which you are already using. We just started this last Wednesday with Chapter 1 verses 1-11 so you can jump right in anytime! We have a seat all ready for you!



Philippians

Vs 12-18

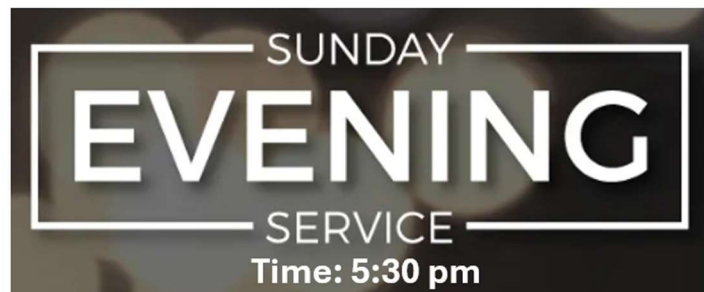
Week 2

Want to dig deeper?

Compare Paul's readiness & preparation for boldness in chains to what happened before he went to Jerusalem in Acts 21: 1-14.

Look at a continuation of Paul's thought process in Acts 24: 16.

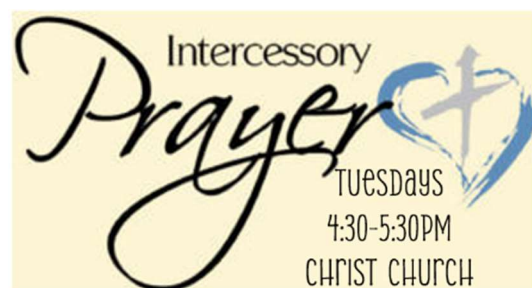
Prep for next week



CaveTime and Women's Bible Study Wednesday Nights at 6:00 pm. See you there!

Women's
BIBLE STUDY

Neodesha
Christian
Recovery
Thursdays 6:30pm
Lord's Chapel



If you want something in the
Christ Church Connection
Newsletter, send an email as early in
the week as possible to:

christchurchneody@gmail.com;

Subject: **Connection Newsletter**