

# Christian Apostolic Church Bulletin -May 6, 2007

## Last Sunday AM

A Gideon Representative, Randy Foxx, gave a good presentation. Pastor Joseph taught "To Please Daddy" using I Corinthians 15:45 as his text. Children have a healthy desire to please their earthly daddies. Sometimes as humans, natural dads let their children down, yet often the children still love them. When a man looks at his own child, he often sees a reflection of himself. He may like what he sees, or not. This may cause a man to be unjust with his children. But no such injustices or imperfections are found in our Heavenly Father. Unlike human dads. God knows our hearts accurately. He also knows all the future, and He has perfect wisdom for perfect choices. We ought to focus on pleasing our Heavenly Father more than our natural father. And we ought to concentrate more on character of the heart, and less on carnal qualities like IQ, appearance, or height, etc. When one's parents are in the wrong, sometimes an adult struggles, thinking he must obey them. But though the Bible tells children to *obev* their parents, it instructs adults to honor their parents instead. So, an adult need not always obey his or her parents. However, we ought to always obey and seek to please our Heavenly Father—the only Perfect Dad in the universe.

## **Last Sunday PM**

The Spirit of God moved in a mighty way. Pastor Joseph asked the Sisters who went to Ladies Conference to testify about what God did for them at the conference. All the testimonies were greatly anointed of God. The ladies were truly moved by the speakers at the conference. Godly women are powerful. One speaker talked about "Getting Your Baby." She wasn't talking only about a natural baby, but also spiritual babies—revival. We women can bring many souls (babies) to God. We need to get out from our four walls and get busy for God. Revival is here! Souls were blessed. Some danced in the Spirit, some ran around church. We were so blessed to see Bro. Jack Murphy being blessed of God and running around the church. Bro. Jack has just recently been healed of lymphoma. We give all praise and glory to God. Pastor Joseph encouraged the church to get a vision of something happening by faith. We are going to see souls come to God and many miracles if we'll only believe. God has His angels encamped about each of us. The devil can't get to us because we belong to God. Praise the Lord!

## Last Wednesday

Evangelist David McKemy preached "Be Strong in the Lord" using I Chronicles 28:20 as his text. When Solomon built a temple for God, it was a tremendous undertaking. God was with him. God's people were so willing to sacrifice at that time (bringing gold, silver and other materials) that they brought too much and had to be stopped! Their spirit of sacrifice was so awesome, that Solomon prayed for the memory of it to be kept forever in the hearts of God's people. We must be a people of sacrifice. It is God's way. Some ask if it is necessary. It is, if we want to see revival. We will pray, fast, and give as we never have before. We will say, "God, I'll do what you want me to do." Programs will not get it done. Revival is going to come through prayer, fasting, and sacrifice. When we give to God. He will come down and bless the sacrifice. He will give us revival like we've never seen. Give to God and He will give back to you. When we give a sacrificial offering, the church will be blessed. Souls will come in and be baptized and get the Holy Ghost. Many people then carried offerings and/or pledges to the altar that night. The offerings and pledges together totaled about \$32,000. All were amazed and deeply moved.

Birthdays & Anni	versaries	Submit yours to us today!					
Natural Birthdays	Spiritual 1	Birthdays	Wedding/Anniversaries				
• Tyler Benedum (5/8)	• Sis. Alma Pack (	(4/22/2007)	• None to be listed at this				
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### **Announcements / Events**

- Monday, May 7, 2007 at 7 pm "Every Man's Marriage" Men's Study Group at CAC Week 6 in an 8-week course.
- Monday, May 7, 2007 at 7 pm "Every Woman's Marriage" Ladies Study Group at CAC Week 2 in an 8-week course.
- Wed-Fri, May 9-11- A **3-day seminar** with Evang. John Long entitled **Bible Study Success** for all to be better soul-winners!
- Sat. May 12 Youth Bake Sale at Wal-Mart Please bake some delicious goodies for this sale or donate something for it.
- Sat. May 12 around 11am Post Office Food Drive Volunteers are needed to receive, sort, and load food for the Food Pantry. Contact Sis. Meredith McClain. Thank you.
- Sat. May 12, from 7-8-Men's Night Out Basketball.

 Sat, May 19, at 5pm at CAC-CAC Ladies Banquet. Guest speaker will be Sis. Beverly

Feathers

- Fri. May 25 at 7:30pm at CAC

   Launch Event ("Faith" service)
   Speaker: Evng. Robbie Fazzalore from Keyser, WV.
- Sun. May 27 Pentecost Sunday - One AM service only Also, there will be a special memorial & celebration honoring veterans.
- Thanks to Yard Sale staff!

## **Ministry Opportunities**

- Media Ministry-Prospective operators for MediaShout computer. Contact Sis Felicia Sandy.
- **Bus Ministry**-Needed: Bus drivers and/or Saturday door knockers

# Fun! Bible Trivia @@@@@OOOO Moderate Difficulty

### Who does Paul say obtained witness that he was righteous?

Submit your answer to Sis Rhonda at: news@clarksburgcac.com

Note: The answer to last week's Bible Trivia Question was **Demus.** 

Congratulations to Pastor Joseph and Elder Lorren Godwin for submitting the right answer.

Tips	For Families	Send in your tip today! news@clarksburgcac.com					
Sand Go	one		Reopening envelope				
Take bab	y powder to the beach. Ke	If you seal an envelope and then realize you					
baby pov	vder in your beach bag. W	forgot to include something inside, just					
leave the	beach sprinkle yourself an	place your sealed envelope in the freezer					
powder.	The sand will slide right of	for an hour or two. Voila! It unseals easily.					

Every week we'll share two or three tips. Have a good tip you'd like to share? Submit it to Sis. Rhonda DeMoss, either on paper or by email at <a href="mailto:news@clarksburgcac.com">news@clarksburgcac.com</a>

#### STORY OF ELIJAH

The Sunday school teacher was carefully explaining the story of Elijah the prophet and the false prophets of Baal. She explained how Elijah built the altar, put wood upon it, cut the steer in pieces, and laid it upon the altar. And then, Elijah commanded the people of God to fill four barrels of water and pour it over the altar. He had them do this four times. "Now," said the teacher, "can anyone in the class tell me why the Lord would have Elijah pour water over the steer on the altar?" A little girl in the back of the room started waving her hand. "I know! I know!" she said, "To make the gravy!"

#### LOT'S WIFE

The Sunday School teacher was describing how Lot's wife looked back and was turned into a pillar of salt—when little Jason interrupted. "My Mummy looked back once, while she was driving," he announced triumphantly, "and she turned into a telephone pole!"

Special Pra	ayer Requests	Featured Bible Verse				
Bro. Jack Murphy	Sis. Laquetta Haddix	"My soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for				
• Jonas "Cubby" Carter	Sis. Ella Mae Davis	the courts of the Lord: my heart and my				
• Sis. Diana Todd	Bro & Sis Howard Harris	flesh crieth out for the living God."				
• Sis. Alma Pack		(Psalm 84:2 LJV)				

Did we miss something? Please let Sis Rhonda DeMoss know: news@clarksburgcac.com



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## May 4-5, 2007: WV Home Missions Board of Directors in Clarksburg

The WV District Home Missions Department's Board of Directors met in Clarksburg this past Friday and Saturday, to conduct business related to church planting and evangelism. We're honored that our pastor is an integral part of this vital and effective department. When we give sacrificially to Christmas For Christ, we are allowing this dept to help missionaries both in WV and all over the US and Canada. We're also honored that Pastor & Sis Joseph were host & hostess for the meeting.

**From Left to Right:** Pastor David Johnston (District Director); Pastor Jim Copley (Sect 4 Director); Pastor Gerald Anderson (Sect 5 Director); Pastor P. David Forsythe (Sect 1 Director); Pastor Richard Glass (Sect 2 Director); Elder Jeff Cottrell (Sect 3 Director); and our own Pastor Doug Joseph, who is the District Secretary for the Home Missions Dept.

Photo by District Superintendent Dan Garlitz. Submit your pics to <u>pastor@clarksburgcac.com</u>