

Let Us Worship the Lord Together!

Sunday, July 31, 2022

11:00 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements
Moments of Meditation

We Preach Christ Crucified


Call to Worship	“To God Be the Glory” (Hymn 4)
Scripture	1 Corinthians 1.20-25
Worship Songs	“The Wonderful Cross”
	“Jesus Paid It All” (Hymn 134)
Morning Prayer	
Prayer Response	“Oh, How He Loves You and Me”

God’s Foolishness Is Wiser than Human Wisdom

Message in Music	“Let the River Flow” Sanctuary Choir
Song of Preparation	“Speak, O Lord”
Message from the Word of God	(see insert; pew Bible p. 1012)
Response to God	
Commitment of Life and Tithes and Offerings*	
Meditation	“There Is a Balm in Gilead” Curtis Powell, Piano
Benediction	“You Are My All in All”

* Offering and Communication Card Return:

Please place your offering and Communication Card in the basket at the exit. You may also give and respond online through acbc.churchtrac.com. (Or use the QR code on the back of Communication Card.)

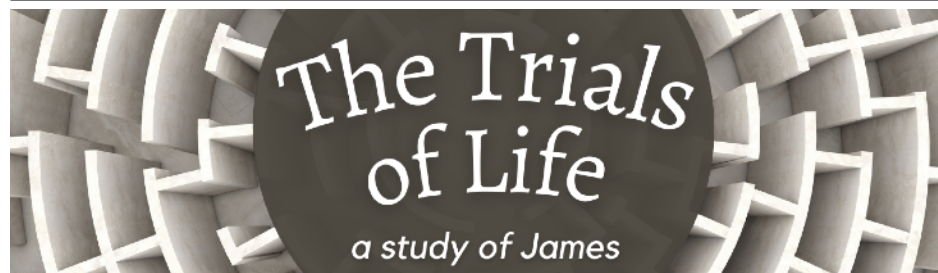
 For hearing aid users, we have a hearing loop installed in the Sanctuary. Activate the t-coil in your hearing aid to take advantage of this system.

Welcome to Ancient City Baptist Church! Guests, we are glad you are here! We invite you to join us briefly in Fellowship Hall immediately after worship for light refreshments and an opportunity to introduce ourselves! We also invite you to complete the Communication Card to the right and place it in the basket located at each exit as you leave the Sanctuary. **Members and regular attenders**, you are also encouraged to use the Communication Card for information updates, prayer requests, and other responses you may have.

“Pray for one another...”

(James 5.16)

Do you desire prayer for yourself or others? Someone will be happy to pray for you or with you following worship. Come to the front of the Sanctuary (near the organ) immediately after the service with your prayer requests. If you would prefer to have special prayer at another time or have a request placed on our Prayer List, please let us know through the Communication Card or by calling the church office.



James is a very practical letter that helps us navigate the many challenges of life. Some past and upcoming messages in this message series are listed below.

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| July 17 | Two Kinds of Faith (James 2.14-26) |
| July 24 | Two Kinds of Talk (James 3.1-12) |
| July 31 | Two Kinds of Wisdom (James 3.13-18) |
| August 7 | Two Choices in Life (James 4.1-10) |
| August 14 | Three Dangers to Avoid (James 4.11-17) |
| August 21 | Warning and Encouragements (James 5.1-12) |
| August 28 | Prayer and Praise (James 5.13-20) |

Missed messages can be accessed through our website.

Sunday School “Promotion Day” August 14

Our Education (“Head”) Team is now under the leadership of Lee Andrews, and we welcome him to this position! The team is making preparation for the new school year in our preschool/children’s/youth Sunday School (Life Group) ministry. They will “move up” to new classes on Sunday, August 14.

We are also reorganizing for growth. Beginning August 14, we will have classes for birth through 4, K-Grade 2, Grades 3-5, and Grades 6 and up. Would you like to consider being a helper for one of these classes? Contact Lee Andrews, Pastor Fred or Pastor Wayne for more information. More details to come!

COMMUNICATION CARD

Comments or Prayer Needs

Confidential For published prayer list

Use QR Code to respond or to give online



COMMUNICATION CARD

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Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

My Response Today...

- I want to place my faith in Jesus Christ and receive his gift of life, abundant and eternal.
- I would like to learn more about what it means to follow Jesus
- I would like to be baptized.
- Enroll me in *Cornerstone Connection* 8/21 to explore the idea of church membership.**
- I would like information on Life Groups/Sunday School classes.
- Please add me to ACBC's email list.
- I would like to speak to a minister at a mutually convenient time.
- Other (please write on other side)

Guests...

We are glad you are here! Please complete this card and place it in the offering basket this morning.

This is my 1st 2nd 3rd or more time at Ancient City Baptist Church.

I was invited by _____

Please indicate the number of people in your family in each age category:

65+ ___ 55-64 ___ 45-54 ___ 30-44 ___

18-29 ___ Youth (Grade 7-12) ___

Children (Grade 1-6) ___ Preschool ___

Sunday, July 31

9:40 a.m. Life Groups
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Wednesday, August 3

6:30 p.m. Bible Study/Prayer Meeting
Fellowship Hall or Zoom
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/211387999>
No Choir Rehearsal in July/August

OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cornerstone Connection: What does it mean to be a "church member"? Is it biblical? What is its value? What are the expectations? *Cornerstone Connection* is designed to answer such questions with information about our faith and our church. We invite all interested guests and regular attenders (as well as those who have recently joined) to attend our *Cornerstone Connection* after worship **August 21** in Fellowship Hall. After a complimentary light lunch, we will spend about an hour exploring the idea of church membership. There is no pressure to join! Sign up to attend through the use of the Communication Card.

Ministry for Men Survey: A survey has been prepared as we consider desires and needs in a Ministry for Men. Men, please pick up a survey from the Welcome Center if you have not received one. After completion, please return to Carl Handley or place in one of the baskets at the exits.

Life Groups (Sunday School): LG's meet on Sundays at 9:40 a.m. In these small group settings, attendees get to know one another better, study the Bible and discuss its application to life, and minister to each other and the community. We have Life Groups for most ages. Use the Communication Card to request more information.

NEW Life Group for Younger Adults: We have recently begun a new Life Group for younger adults, including **parents of younger children**. The initial study for this group is the book of **Romans**. As our other Life Groups, it meets on Sundays at 9:40 a.m. This new group is led by Associate Pastor Wayne Husk and meets in Room 204. (See also an announcement in the center of the program about Promotion Day for children and new class designations beginning August 14.)

Midweek Service: On Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. adults gather in Fellowship Hall for Bible Study and Prayer. You may also join us via Zoom (see link in calendar above.) This coming Wednesday we continue our study through the book of *Luke*, and we are in the midst of the last week of the earthly ministry of Jesus. Join us! (No choir or children's activities through August.)

Ramblings is an email that our pastor sends out each week, and it is a good way to keep informed about what is happening week to week at Ancient City Baptist Church. If you would like to receive this email, use the Communication Card and request to be placed on our email list. (Be sure to include your email address!)

40 Days of Learning: Coming in September! Watch for more information!

DEACONS OF THE WEEK: John Perry (904-829-2361) and Mark Hallworth (303-601-0753)

WELCOME CENTER HOSTS: John Perry
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BAPTIST CHURCH

*Pursuing Life in Christ
with Passion and Purpose!*



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Fred O. Pitts, Pastor
Wayne Husk, Associate Pastor
Curtis Powell, Music Director