Let Us Worship the Lord Together! Sunday, August 13, 2023, 11 a.m.

#### Announcements

When They Saw Him, They Worshiped Him

Call to Worship Responsive Reading Worship Song Testimony Worship Song "I'll Tell th Morning Prayer

"I Worship You" David Sneller "I'll Tell the World that I'm a Christian" (Hymn 553)

"Open Our Eyes, Lord"

Make Disciples of All Nations

Message in Music

"Each One, Reach One" Alicia Klingler (see insert; pew Bible p. 835)

Message from the Word of God Response to God

Commitment of Life "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound" (Hymn 581) Commitment of Tithes and Offerings\*

Meditation

Benediction

"Holy Ground" Curtis Powell, Piano

"I Stand Amazed in the Presence"

#### \* Offering and Communication Card Return:

**Please place your offering and/or Communication Card in an offering box located at the exits.** You may also give and respond online through acbc.churchtrac.com. (Or use the QR code on back of Communication Card.)

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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 also invite you to complete the Communication Card to the right and place it in the offering box 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.



# **40 Days of Sharing** Today is Day 8

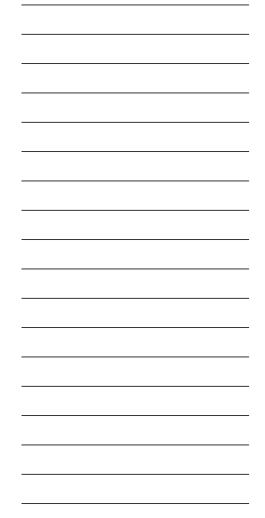
Jesus commanded his followers: "Go and make disciples of all nations..." Here at Ancient City, we speak of disciples growing in "head, heart, hands, and feet." The "feet" represent sharing the good news of Jesus with others, for Scripture says, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news." We are focusing on growth in this area in this forty day emphasis. There is a daily devotional and Wednesday night classes that go along with each Sunday's message. This practical training will help you do what you want to do: share your faith with grace and without fear. We hope the **40 Days of Sharing** will be helpful and encouraging.

<i>August 6</i>	Remember Your Salvation	(Pastor Fred)
<b>August 13</b>	<b>The Great Commission</b>	(Pastor Wayne)
August 20	A Simple Strategy	(Pastor Fred)
August 27	What Is the Gospel?	(Pastor Fred)
September 3	Are You Really a Disciple?	(Pastor Fred)
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September 10	Reaping a Harvest	(Pastor Wayne)

Missed messages can be accessed on our website.

July Stewardship Update						
	<u>July 2023</u>	<u>July 2022</u>	<u>2023 to Date</u>	<u>2022 to Date</u>		
Budget Offerings Received	\$49,088	\$43,681	\$277,827	\$264,577		
Total Budget Receipts	50,338	44,181	289,527	268,377		
Budget Spending	<u>34,435</u>	<u>36,506</u>	<u>261,924</u>	<u>273,415</u>		
Total (+/-)	+\$15,903	+\$7,675	+\$27,603	-\$5,038		
Annual 2023 Church Budget: \$465,104						
Thank you for your faithfulness!						

**COMMUNICATION CARD** Comments or Prayer Needs



Confidential For published prayer list

Use QR Code to respond or to give online



#### **COMMUNICATION CARD**

Sunday, August 13, 2023

Name(s)
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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.
- □ I would like to learn more about church membership.
- □ I would like information on Life Groups/Sunday School classes.
- □ I would like to receive 40 Days of Sharing as a daily email.
- □ 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  $\Box$  1st  $\Box$  2nd  $\Box$  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, August 13 9:15-9:40 Directory Photos & 10:40-11 9:40 a.m. Life Groups 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Wednesday, August 16 6:15 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study (*Meets in Fellowship Hall*) TeamKID

#### **OPPORTUNITIES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**40 Days of Sharing Devotional Booklets Available Today:** Please pick up a copy to start today. You can easily catch up—we're only on Day 8. Use the Communication Card to request the daily devotional as an email if you prefer to receive it that way. Be sure to include your email address.

**DiscipleLIFE on Wednesdays:** During the *40 Days of Sharing*, there will be a single large-group class. Each of the six week's classes will feature easy, practical assistance for helping bring others to Jesus in ways that are comfortable for you in accordance with your own set of gifts. *Even if you haven't usually attended Wednesday classes in the past, please make a special effort to attend through September 13!* 

**TeamKID:** This fun ministry for children takes place at 6:15 p.m. on Wednesdays. It helps children to grow in their knowledge of who Jesus is through teaching of Bible stories, scripture memorization, mission activities, recreational activities and life applications.

**Church Directory Photo Updates:** *Today*, before and after Life Groups, members and regular attenders can have a photo taken in the Fellowship Hall to be included in our updated Membership Directory. You can also review directory information. (You can submit updates to the Church Office any time.) Printed copies of the church directory will be available soon. This is an in-house update and we are not selling photos. We encourage your participation.

**Life Groups (Sunday School):** These small groups meet Sunday mornings at 9:40 and are an opportunity for members to study Scripture, get to know each other and minister to one another. Use the Communication Card to request more information.

**Choir Break:** Our choir is taking a break during the month of August. Choir rehearsals will resume on September 6th.

**Invite a Friend:** The number one reason someone visits a church is a personal invitation. We have invitation cards available in the Welcome Center. Feel free to grab some to use to invite friends!

**Office Hours:** The Church Office is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Thursday. Please feel free to give us a call or stop by in person!

**Ramblings** is a weekly email from our pastor, and it's a good way to keep up with what's happening at Ancient City Baptist. If you'd like to receive it, send your request to office@ancientcitybaptist.org or use the Communication Card to request to be placed on our email list. (Be sure to include your email address!)

**DEACONS OF THE WEEK**: Bob Booth (904-535-5945) and Ken Mull (904-460-3077) **WELCOME CENTER HOSTS:** Rick Weedman; Hugh and Ann Peters

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# Ancient City Pursuing Life in Christ with Passion and Purpose!

40 Days of Sharing Day 8



# **The Great Commission**

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