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# Bible Wordsearch Babylon has Fallen

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After you find all the hidden words the left over letters spell out a Bible verse reading from the top left to the bottom right

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Psalm 67

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Today's Sermon..... Consider Jesus pt 2  
 Next Week's Sermon..... Consider Jesus pt 3  
 Sunday Adult Bible Class... Conversions  
 Sunday Night..... no services  
**Service Times:** Sunday: Bible Class..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Worship:.....11:00 a.m.  
 Evening..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday:..... 7:00 p.m.

# Coldwater Church of Christ

January 15, 2012

Welcome to our services!

**Potluck today followed by our congregational meeting. Please plan on staying if you're able.**

**Wanda's husband Red suffered a heart attack down in Florida. He is improving somewhat, but prayers are needed. Please remember him, and Wanda as well. On that note, Beth is flying down today to be with Wanda. Please remember her as well.**

**Shirley Flaughter continues to make new strides daily. Continued prayers are appreciated.**

**Tim Slomer wasn't feeling well last Sunday. Hopefully he'll be feeling better this week.**

**It was good to see Angela here last week with the new baby. We thank God both are doing well.**

**Adam is now in New York City to attend Pace University. His address will be published next week. We're sure he would appreciate cards or letters.**

**Sara Wilson has volunteered to take over the Nursery class on Sunday mornings. Thank you Sara! We're thankful to God that Shirley Ware's heart tests came back fine.**

**Please bring in non-perishable food pantry items if you would like to help out with this good work.**

**Don't forget to sign up to help out in the nursery. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Thanks.**

**\*\*Please note that if we need to cancel services because of weather, an announcement will be placed on WTVB Radio, AM 1590. \*\***

*But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. Isaiah 40:31*

## Upcoming Events:

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – potluck – no evening service**

### **\*\*\*Prayer List\*\*\***

*Beth Owen – neck pain- treatment*  
*Red Burroughs – heart attack*  
*Shirley Flaughter – recovering – in Montpelier*  
*Jeff Girdham – lung cancer*  
*Joyce Fosdick – many health concerns- tests on spine*  
*Susie Braun – Tim McVoy’s mother – cancer*  
*Sarah Wilson’s nephew – heart surgery*  
*Sarah Wilson’s grandfather - cancer*  
*Loretta’s Aunt Goldy – lung cancer*  
*Sharon Keifer – liver cancer*

Know Your Bible TV. 10:30 pm Mon-Thurs.on channel 19

To add anything to the bulletin please email

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### Steps of Salvation

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|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| <u>Hearing</u>        | Ro 10:14, 17 | <u>Believing</u>           | Acts 16:31   |
| <u>Repentance</u>     | Acts 2:38    | <u>Confessing</u>          | Acts 8:36-37 |
| <u>Being baptized</u> | Acts 2:38    | <u>Faithful unto death</u> | Mt 7:21      |

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## **Unstoppable Workers!**

During the time of Nehemiah -- when the wall was being rebuilt around Jerusalem -- there were enemies who did not want the work to be completed. These enemies threatened. They spoke in ways to try to discourage the people. However, Nehemiah encouraged the people on with the work until its completion. . . . "(17) . . . Those who carried burdens were loaded in such a way that each LABORED on the work WITH ONE HAND and HELD HIS WEAPON WITH THE OTHER. (18) And each of the builders had his sword strapped at his side while he built. The man who sounded the trumpet was beside me." (Nehemiah 4:17-18)

Though prepared for defense, the work continued. There was the need to press on with the work while still being prepared for any attack. This reminds me of Paul's statement to the church at Corinth. Paul wrote. . . . "(4) but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: by **great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, (5) beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; (6) by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love; (7) by truthful speech, and the power of God; WITH THE WEAPONS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS FOR THE RIGHT HAND AND FOR THE LEFT; (8) through honor and dishonor, through slander and praise. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; (9) as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold, we live; as punished, and yet not killed; (10) as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, yet possessing everything."** ( 2 Corinthians 6:4-10)

Paul persevered in the ministry to which he had been called. He was prepared. Note how he mentioned "WEAPONS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS" IN BOTH HANDS. Perhaps he had in mind the idea of the spiritual armor he noted in his Ephesian letter. ( Ephesians 6:13-17) There among the "whole armor of God" (vs.13) mentioned were the "shield of faith" (vs.16) and the "sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God" (vs.17); items for the left (shield for defense) and right (sword for offense) hands. Or Paul may have simply implied a COMPLETE READINESS (both hands) in faithfully carrying out the work of God entrusted to him.

Let us continue to seek His help and strength needed for the warfare on behalf of the truth and put both hands (and feet and mouth) forward to defending and upholding God's Will. Like those during the days of Nehemiah. may we maintain "a mind to work." ( Nehemiah 4:6) **borrowed**