

2 *Thessalonians 1:1-12*

KEY THOUGHTS:

1. Tribulation

Verse 4 - persecutions, tribulations

Verse 5 - suffer

Verse 6 - trouble

Verse 7 - troubled

2. Judgement

Verse 5 - righteous judgment

Verse 6 - repay tribulation

Verse 8 - taking vengeance

Verse 9 - punished with everlasting destruction

3. Coming of the Lord

Verse 7 - The Lord will be revealed from Heaven

Verse 10 - When He shall come

4. Glory

Verse 4 - glory

Verse 9 - glory

Verse 10 - glorified

Verse 12 - glorified

Glory - doxa - honor 3 times, praise 3 times, dignities 2 times - authority and honor due to position.

Worship - 1 time.

We are not how the recipients of or the source for His glory. He is the recipient and source.

Romans 8:18

Verse 10-12 - are the application for us.

Verse 10 - When he shall come to be glorified in His saints.

When He shall come - the glorious hope and confidence

To be - a purpose of our reason for Himself to come, the believer

Glorified in His saints - we are the reflection of His glory.

When Christ returns we are the essence of His glory the world will see in our gathering to him. Our gathering at His return is the _____ of His glory.

Verse 11 - live now so that you are worthy of this calling to be the reflection of His glory.

Verse 12 - that the name of the Lord Jesus Christ be glorified in you and you in Him.

Verse 5 - leaves a lasting application for us today: That you may be downtrodden of the Kingdom of God.

AWANA 2018-2019 - Today begins Awana official registration. Registration will take place in the Welcome Center. September 12th is the 1st meeting night from 6-7:30p. Please see Alanna Stout at the Welcome Center to sign up.

PLUG-IN-TO-WEDNESDAY NIGHTS - Beginning September 12th at 6pm.

CRISIS 101 - A study for all aged adults on what the Bible teaches about handling all the different circumstances in life.

PERISCOPE - a Bible study for College Age. The study will focus on seeing current events through a Biblical world view.

BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 12TH WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER - Awana, Choir, Bible Study, Crisis 101 & Periscope classes attendees. Dinner is served beginning at 5:15pm. In order to assure we have enough food for everyone who comes it is very important that you sign up in the Welcome Center each week. The cost is \$5 per person or \$10 per family. Those who sign up will be served first and those who have not signed up may or may not be able to purchase dinner the night of, based on the quantity of food provided. Payment can be made the night of the dinner or in advance to Karin Joyce, however sign up is imperative. If paying by check please make checks payable to - Karen Joyce.

BABY BOY SHOWER SEPTEMBER 16TH - For Jorge & Jackie Cortez following the morning service. It's a boy. If you can say "I do not know who this couple is!" Then this is the perfect day to stay after church and get to know them. Remember it takes a church family to raise a child! Men this is for you too. No need to go home after the morning service. Jorge has asked the men to come and join him in the welcome center for a light lunch, snacks, fellowship and the sharing of your experiences of raising your children while the wives attend the baby shower. Let's make this a day for them to remember! They are registered on line at myregistry.com.

TAG TEAM EVENT - Three weeks and counting down... Joint project with Galilee Baptist Church on September 22 from 12-3pm Bronson Park. This event is under way. Church family we need your participation & support in making this event successful. Choirs from both churches will be performing together. Pastor Stout & Pastor Scott will be presenting the ministry. There will be games and bounce houses for all ages to enjoy.

CHURCH FAMILY - We are in need of small bottles of water, hot dogs, hot dog buns and small bags of chip. Donations of these food items would be greatly appreciated to help us keep our event cost down, while we share with our community that in Christ there is no division based on race or color. Please sign up in the Welcome Center if you are able to volunteer for this community event.

BRONSON COMMON WEALTH - Volunteers needed for afternoon services and music on September 30 and November 4. Please sign up at the Welcome Center if you are able to help.

LET'S PAINT WORKSHOP - We have 2 Beginning Landscape classes starting in Kalamazoo on Monday October 1st from 5:30-8:30pm and in Lawton on Thursday from October 4th from 10:30am -2:30pm. All classes are \$90 dollars. We will also be having a two day Wild Life Sampler class to come to on Monday evening November 19th and the 26th. For more information please see or call Cathy Kline at (269) 365-4251.

FOOD PANTRY - Help others in need. See Krista Asher or Lynn Anderson.

NEXT DEACONS'S MEETING - September 19th 7:30pm.

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING - September 23rd after the morning service.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST - On Tuesday at 8:30am at McDonald's on 9th Street.

LADIES BIBLE - Tuesday at 1pm. *52 Women of the Bible.

BIBLE STUDY/PRAYER MEETING - Wednesday at 6:30pm.

CHOIR PRACTICE - On Wednesday at 7:30pm.

YOUTH GROUP - On Wednesday from 6pm-7:30pm.

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NURSERY

9 Jessica W, Krista A, Kaydence

16 Trish Pillars, Tami Spitzner, Arianna

23 Judy Kilburn, Abby M, Callista

30 Julie Thompson, Amanda D, Cayla S

LAST WEEK

Themes & Offerings \$ 3,397.04

Benevolence 5.00

Missions- Joint 15.00

Coffee/Donuts & Fellowship 43.00

Total \$ 3,460.04

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