

## So That You May Believe; John 20:30-31

- I. Do you believe?
  - a. Did events in our history really \_\_\_\_\_?
  - b. We know God sent His Son, Jesus, to be the world's sin-bearer because of the abundant \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. Some people have a problem with the \_\_\_\_\_ nature of these eyewitness accounts.
- II. Thomas' Unbelief
  - a. Thomas had a \_\_\_\_\_. John 20:24–29; 1 Corinthians 15:3–8
  - b. We, like Thomas, \_\_\_\_\_. John 20:30–31
  - c. Jesus didn't perform signs and miracles for no reason; he always had a \_\_\_\_\_.
- III. The Man Born Blind. John 9:1–3
  - a. The sole purpose of this man's \_\_\_\_\_ was manifested at this very moment.
  - b. The purpose of his blindness is so that Jesus can heal him, allowing those around him to \_\_\_\_\_. John 9:8–11, 35–41
  - c. The Pharisees saw and didn't believe - their "\_\_\_\_\_."
- IV. The Official's Son
  - a. We must note that Jesus is in Cana, where he had already performed a \_\_\_\_\_ by turning water into wine. John 4:46–47, 49–53
  - b. The result of this miracle is the official and his household's \_\_\_\_\_!
- V. Lazarus. John 11:1–4
  - a. Lazarus \_\_\_\_\_ so that they would believe! John 11:14–15, 38–45
  - b. "If they do not hear Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be \_\_\_\_\_ if someone should rise from the dead." (Luke 16:31)
- VI. Do You Believe?
  - a. We must stop trying to explain away the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.
  - b. We must get over our preconceived ideas about miraculous \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. We must see John's statement for what it is. John 20:31

### For the Record on April 23, 2023

Sunday AM Class –	59	Wednesday –	77
Sunday Morning –	89	Offering –	\$3,515.40
Sunday Evening –	42	2023 Budget –	\$3,515.04



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World Bible School

Welcome to our assembly. It is our prayer that your time here is uplifting and encouraging. It is our sincere desire to worship God in Spirit and Truth (John 4:24). Please enjoy your time with us and know that the churches of Christ greet you. (Romans 16:16)

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# Welcome!

We want to welcome our visitors. You are our honored guest. We pray you find everything in accordance with God's word. Please join us again to worship our God together.

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## In Our Daily Prayers



Brandi Brown, Cecilia Beasley, Allan Buck, David & Casandra Gary, Anne Hackett, Punkin & Jennie Laird, Pauline Perales, Rocky Reese, Ron Riley, John Rogers, Daryl Surley, and Stewart & Pat Webb.

**Remember our shut-ins -** with prayers, cards, and visits. Laura Smith, Ralph Skelton, and Curtis Surley.



## In Prayer This Week:

Mike Jennings family & Kingery family  
Let's uplift these members in prayer this week.

Anne Hackett is now home and is steadily regaining her strength.

Thank you for your contribution to the 3 Children's Homes. We collected a total of \$1,790.00



## Monthly Fellowship Meal

Please join us for lunch just after morning worship services today.



We will honor those with May birthdays and anniversaries. We will have a devotional after we eat lunch.

## Hebrews 12:1

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us



Care group 1 will oversee all events in May.

Pantry Item: We are collecting canned chili and canned fruit this month. Please bring these items in at your convenience. Thank you for supporting this ministry.

We are going to order more church yard signs. The cost is \$10. If you would like one, the sign-up sheets are posted in both foyers and the fellowship hall. Please make checks out to the church.

### Prayer Request Cards:

There are cards on several chairs. If you have a prayer request, please write it in the space provided and place it in the collection plate. Please check whether you want a public or private prayer.



Youth Devo: Richard & Eva Green will host the youth on May 14<sup>th</sup> after evening services.

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## Men's Prayer Breakfast

The men's prayer breakfast will be on May 20<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM. There will be a business meeting afterward. If you have any questions, please see one of the elders.

## Order of Worship

### Song Service – Todd Bissett

Let Us Worship

### Welcome

Because He Lives  
We Believe  
Thomas' Song  
Forever

### Communion – Dawson Bissett Matthew 27:49-52

### Offering –

You Say

### Prayer Scripture – Peter Caswell John 20:30-31

I Believe in Jesus  
I know Whom I Have Believed  
O Listen To Our Wondrous Story

### Message – Evan Weiss

“So That You May Believe”  
Lord I'm Coming Home

### Shepherd's Prayer – Todd Bissett No Tears in Heaven

## Afternoon Devotional

