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# Informer

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## *As I See It. . . . By Brian Gregory*

### **IT'S BACK!!!!**

Back by popular demand is the old bulletin. We have heard several concerns and thought it would be best to reproduce the bulletin on a weekly basis. We will be mailing this to the shut-ins who are currently getting the Sunday handout. The articles will be part of the bulletin along with the extended prayer list. They will be available at our mid-week service for pick up. Since there is similar information in the current handout and the bulletin, we have rearranged some things and streamlined it so we can save money by printing it ourselves each week. The monthly shut-in and birthday/ anniversary list (for the current month) will be printed and available here also. Check with the office if you miss any of this information. The daily updates will continue to be emailed with any additional information noted in the subject line. It is our hope this will adequately address all concerns.

*Brian*

## *A Great Separation....By Joe Macer*

Matthew 13:47 Once again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was let down into the lake and caught all kinds of fish.

Several of the disciples of Jesus were fishermen. Much of the fishing was done on the Sea of Galilee. The fishing was not with a pole and a line but with a net. The net was lowered into the water and as the net was tightened fish were caught. A vast variety of fish were taken. Some of these were valuable to the fisher and were sold for their income. Other fish were taken that had no value whatsoever. These fish were either tossed back or they were destroyed. In our lifetime each one has had many opportunities to examine an object and make the determination as to whether the object was beneficial or useless. This is the message behind this parable.

In the parable, the good fish were collected and placed in a basket. The bad fish were thrown away. What was the lesson taught by the Lord? The message is not about fish but about people. At the end of the age, angels will come and separate the wicked from the righteous. Not much is said about the righteous in this parable but the wicked will have a terrible outcome. The wicked will be thrown into a fiery furnace where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

This message of separation is taught many times throughout the Scriptures. Sheep will be separated from the goats and the weeds will be separated from the wheat. A separation of the righteous and the wicked will take place. Which side will the Lord find us on? Will we be found righteous or wicked? Make the most of life's opportunities to be found right with the Lord. This decision has eternal consequences.

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:  
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**WORSHIP LEADERS June 15, 2014**

**SUNDAY 9:00 A.M**

Welcome.....Dennis Thomason  
 Song Leader.....Kevin Mick  
 Prayer.....Jerry Wilson  
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Alex Jones  
 Serving:  
     Ryan Massey                      Sonny Hargrove  
     Chase Thomason                 Jason Kelley  
     David Gray                        Stephen Nixon  
     John Allen Thomas             Dewayne Hickman

Read (Galatians 1:6-10).....Byran Farris  
 Sermon: "Is It the Gospel?".....Joe Macer  
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Dennis Thomason

**SUNDAY 5:30 P.M.**

Welcome/Song Leader.....Blair Keeling  
 Prayer.....Barry Cross  
 Read (Jonah 1:1-3).....Bobby Daniels  
 Sermon: "What's Eating Jonah?".....Brian Gregory  
 Lord's Supper Presiding.....Tyler Brown  
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Charlie Willis

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**NURSERY CARE**

**Tuesday June 17, 2014**

A.M.....Donna Hubbell, JoAnn Johnson  
 P.M.....Lisa Kelley, Melissa Jones

Announcements:.....Brian Gregory  
 Song Leader:.....Greg Lusk  
 Prayer.....Benny Bolton  
 Speaker:.....Barry Throneberry