

# **Trinity Bible Church**

*The Carpenter's House*

**June 12, 2011**

*The Message:  
Wrestling with The Man  
Genesis 32:26-32*

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*Please join us for refreshments between services*

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Wednesday June 15      Dispensational Transitions.  
Sunday      June 19      Father's Day.  
Sunday      June 26      Deacons' Meeting.  
Sunday      July 3      The Lord's Table.  
                                 Picnic @ the Carle's. Baptismal Service.  
                                 Aug 20      20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration.

- \*\* Wednesday night class considers the time between the testaments and into the early part of the Church Age up to the close of the Canon.
- \*\* Water Baptism service July 3. See Drue if you wish to be baptized.
- \*\* 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration in August. Please plan to attend.

	May	Total 2011	General Fund	Building Fund	Missions YTD
Income	\$10,248.00	\$46,020.00		\$ 7,913.89	\$6,095.00
Expenses	7,584.77	42,125.86		Benevolence	5,820.00
Balance	\$ 2,663.23	\$ 3,894.14	\$18,784.50	\$ 954.24	\$ 275.00

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS & OFFERING**

*Hymns*

*Being A Witness.*

## *Wrestling with The Man* *Genesis 32:26-32*

Genesis 32:24-25 = Except Jacob and a Man.

L.T. Then Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. (25) When He saw that He had not prevailed against him, He touched the socket of his thigh; so the socket of Jacob's thigh was dislocated while he wrestled with Him.

Genesis 32:26 = Jacob's Determination.

L.T. Then He said, "Let me go, for the dawn is breaking." But he said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me."

Principle: The main issue of life is just how much we \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord.

Genesis 32:27-28 = The "Man's" Inquiry.

L.T. So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." (28) He said, "Your name shall no longer be Jacob, but Israel; for you have striven with Elohim and with men and have prevailed."

Principle: Overcomers seek God in the midst of the \_\_\_\_\_.

Genesis 32:29 = Jacob's Request.

L.T. Then Jacob asked him and said, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And he blessed him there.

Principle: Great believers are never \_\_\_\_\_ with their relationship with the living God.

Genesis 32:30 = The Place of Revelation.

L.T. So Jacob named the place Peniel, for {he said,} "I have seen God face to face, yet my life has been preserved."

Principle: Exaggeration gives the glory to \_\_\_\_\_.

Genesis 32:31-32 = Jacob's Weakness.

L.T. Now the sun rose upon him just as he crossed over Penuel, and he was limping on his thigh. (32) Therefore, to this day the sons of Israel do not eat the sinew of the hip which is on the socket of the thigh, because he touched the socket of Jacob's thigh in the sinew of the hip.

Principle: Sometimes He must "break" us to \_\_\_\_\_ us.

Principle: Good ideas can become \_\_\_\_\_ practices.

## The Prime Example: Preying On The Weak.

9. The "Last Days" of the Church will be known for its hypocrisy.  
2 Tim 3:1-5
- A. Introduction:
  - B. Get Ready. 2 Tim 3:1
  - C. Eight Characteristics of the Last Days. 2 Tim 3:2
  - D. Six More Characteristics of the Last Days. 2 Tim 3:3
  - E. Four More Characteristics of the Last Days. 2 Tim 3:4
  - F. The Last One-A Façade of Faith. 2 Tim 3:5
  - G. They Are Spiritual Abusers. 2 Tim 3:6
  - H. Intellectualism is the Second Façade. 2 Tim 3:7

L.T./E.T. = always learning as a disciple and never empowered to come to the knowledge of the truth.

1. They do not truly learn:
  - a. From \_\_\_\_\_. Matt 11:29-30
  - b. To lay aside their \_\_\_\_\_. Eph 4:17-24
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_. Phil 4:11
  - d. To engage in \_\_\_\_\_. Titus 3:14
2. Spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ are designed to build us in the full knowledge of the Son of God. Eph 4:11-13
3. God's will is for us to come to a full knowledge of the \_\_\_\_\_. 1 Tim 2:4
4. It is part of the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Christianity. Eph 4:12-14
5. "Full Knowledge" includes the correct knowledge and acceptance of information about:
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_. Rom 1:28-29
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_. Rom 3:19-20
  - C. Proper \_\_\_\_\_. Rom 10:1-4
  - D. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_. Col 2:1-4
  - E. \_\_\_\_\_. Titus 1:1-3
  - F. God's \_\_\_\_\_. Phle 1:4-7
6. "Full Knowledge" is foundational to:
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_. 2 Tim 2:24-26
  - B. Spiritual \_\_\_\_\_. Phil 1:9-11
  - C. Spiritual \_\_\_\_\_. Col 1:9-13
7. "Full Knowledge" can result in:
  - A. A wise and enlightened \_\_\_\_\_. Eph 1:15-18
  - B. An \_\_\_\_\_ attitude. Col 3:9-11
  - C. The \_\_\_\_\_ of grace and peace into every area of life. 2 Pet 1:2-11
8. "Full knowledge" does not guarantee a life of ease or \_\_\_\_\_. Heb 10:26-31; 2 Pet 2:20-22
9. People of the "last days" will grow in knowledge but not in \_\_\_\_\_. Dan 12:1-4