

## WILDERNESS JOURNEY

After today's message you should be able to complete or answer the following:

1. One of life's greatest challenges is our season of \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. What is my wilderness?
3. Who leads me to my wilderness?
4. Whom do I search for in my wilderness?
5. Name some wilderness opportunities:

NEXT SUNDAY  
PASTOR RIC EDDINGS  
MARK 6:45-56

## MARK 6:30-44

<sup>30</sup>The apostles gathered around Jesus and reported to him all they had done and taught. <sup>31</sup>Then, because so many people were coming and going that they did not even have a chance to eat, he said to them, "Come with me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest."

<sup>2</sup>So they went away by themselves in a boat to a solitary place. <sup>33</sup>But many who saw them leaving recognized them and ran on foot from all the towns and got there ahead of them. <sup>34</sup>When Jesus landed and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. So he began teaching them many things.

<sup>35</sup>By this time it was late in the day, so his disciples came to him. "This is a remote place," they said, "and it's already very late. <sup>36</sup>Send the people away so they can go to the surrounding countryside and villages and buy themselves something to eat."

<sup>37</sup>But he answered, "You give them something to eat." They said to him, "That would take eight months of a man's wages<sup>[a]</sup>! Are we to go and spend that much on bread and give it to them to eat?"

<sup>38</sup>"How many loaves do you have?" he asked. "Go and see."

When they found out, they said, "Five—and two fish."

<sup>39</sup>Then Jesus directed them to have all the people sit down in groups on the green grass. <sup>40</sup>So they sat down in groups of hundreds and fifties. <sup>41</sup>Taking the five loaves and the two fish and looking up to heaven, he gave thanks and broke the loaves. Then he gave them to his disciples to set before the people. He also divided the two fish among them all. <sup>42</sup>They all ate and were satisfied, <sup>43</sup>and the disciples picked up twelve basketfuls of broken pieces of bread and fish. <sup>44</sup>The number of the men who had eaten was five thousand.

*New International Version.*

## Sign Up!

Please use this form to sign up for any event you read about in our bulletin or monthly newsletter: Be sure to include all necessary information. You can return by dropping in the offering plate or placing in the wooden box located next to the Welcome Center.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- Desire to join a small group.
  - Would like offering envelopes.
  - Wish to serve in a ministry.
  - Would like a lobby mailbox.
  - Need nametags for those listed below.
  - Would like to receive a phone call from a church staff member or leader.
- Best time to call \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Welcome Guest

Thank you for visiting with us today! We encourage you to fill out this card and bring it to our **Welcome Center**. We have a free gift for you - our way of saying "We're glad you're here!" You will also find information about our many ministries, directions to class rooms and more.

Our **nursery** and **children's rooms** are located downstairs. **Restrooms** are located in the lobby and downstairs.

*Please Print*

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

- Single     Under 18     36-45  
 Married     18-25     46-60  
                   26-35     Over 60

I am / We are new in the area.

I/We would like to receive a phone call from a church staff member or leader.

Best time to call: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn of **Community Bible Church**?



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Pastor Ric Eddings Installation Service** is scheduled for Sunday, September 12 at 10:00 AM. THERE WILL BE ONE SERVICE ONLY ON SEPTEMBER 12.
- ◆ **Pastor Ric's contact information:**  
email address - reddings@communitybibleonline.org  
office phone - 219-374-6478 extension 102
- ◆ The Elders have scheduled a one-night **Membership Class** for Sunday, August 22nd from 6:00-9:00 PM. To attend, you will first need to complete your Participating Membership Handbook. Copies are available from the office or in the foyer at the Welcome Center.
- ◆ We welcome Sue Zirke as our new Prayer Chain Coordinator. **Prayer Chain Requests** should now be sent to SueZirkle@gmail.com. We would like to invite anyone who would like to pray for the prayer concerns to be added to the prayer chain. Please contact Sue.
- ◆ We would like to **thank Pam Robertson** for her years of service as Prayer Chain Coordinator! You provided a vital ministry Pam and we greatly appreciated your time.
- ◆ **Memorial Service for Bobbie Hosington:** August 23rd, 11:00 AM, Torrey Chapel, Cedar Lake Conference Grounds.
- ◆ The Praise Team is looking for a **Guitar and/or Bass player**. If you would be interested in joining this vital ministry, contact Lauri Mollema at 374-6478.
- ◆ All are welcome to attend the upcoming **CROWN BIBLICAL FINANCIAL STUDY**...where you will learn what Scripture teaches about managing all your possessions. The Biblical Financial Study is a 10-week life group that meets once a week for two hours. Topics include: Getting out of debt, Spending, Saving and Investing, Budgeting, Giving, Earning money, and Training children. Cost is \$62.00 for a couple (\$52 for a single person). Fall classes schedule - Monday evenings, Sept. 13th through Nov. 15th from 6:30-8:30 PM. Information is available in the lobby or by calling Jerry & Laura Kaufman at 865-9323.

## PRAISE AND PRAYER

Prayer requests or praise reports for the **PRAYER CHAIN** may be given to Sue Zirke by phone, 690-0787, or by email, SueZirkle@gmail.com. If you would like to receive prayer requests through the CBC email prayer chain, please contact Sue.

Please keep the following in your prayers this week:

Missionary of the Week (MOW)

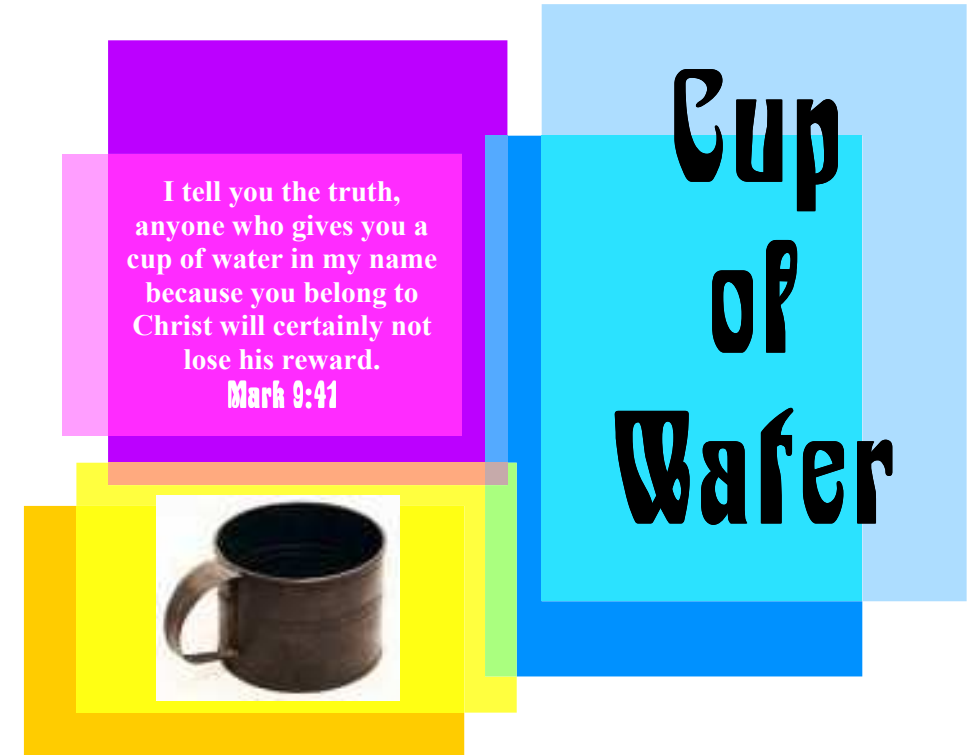
**Roger and Susan Peterson**  
Biblical Ministries Worldwide (France)

## HOLY GROUNDS CAFE

Please join us each week between services for coffee and refreshments.



Everyone is welcome to come downstairs to meet new faces, to chat with friends, and to enjoy a cup of coffee and a snack.



**August 15, 2010**

Today's Speaker  
**Harry Beamer**



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