



FORGIVENESS AT HIS FEET

LUKE 7:38-50

I. Luke records a scene with Jesus, a Pharisee and a sinful woman in an awkward social situation. *(vv. 36-39)*

1. The dinner was a social affair designed to trap and discredit Jesus.
2. The sinful woman's display of affection was a socially inappropriate and unwelcome disruption.

SPIRITUAL APPLICATION:

*The more we know our need for _____,
the _____ we come to Jesus.*

II. Jesus unexpectedly defends the sinful woman's adoration. *(vv. 40-47)*

1. Jesus teaches a parable that illustrates everyone's need for forgiveness.
2. He explains that the sinful woman loved much because she had been forgiven much.

SPIRITUAL APPLICATION:

*The more you understand the depth of your _____,
the more you can understand the height of God's _____.*

III. Jesus makes the same announcement to the woman that He makes to all of us today. *(vv. 48-50)*

1. "Because of your faith, your sins are forgiven."
2. "Because your sins are forgiven, go in peace."

SPIRITUAL APPLICATION:

*Because Christ alone _____ our sin,
we can walk in His _____.*



Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst.
1 Timothy 1:15

FINDING FORGIVENESS

Forgiveness begins at

_____.

Benefits of the Link Vision

High School & College Ministry: A designated space on campus.

Children's Ministry: Room to offer ideal classroom settings alongside large group activities, wrapped up in a safe and secure environment.

Men's & Women's Ministries: Mighty Men and Women in the Word will have plenty of room for large and small group gatherings.

Serve & Share Ministries: A workspace for planning, prayer and final preparation.

Music Ministry: Both Contemporary and Traditional Music Ministries will be able to permanently set up in their new headquarters.

Church Administration: Centralized office spaces created for productivity, collaboration and spiritual interaction.

A Campus No Longer Divided: The completed campus will expand with grace, allowing us to reach all of whom God intends us to serve.

VISIT OUR LINK CENTER AT THE TOP OF THE GREAT ROOM STAIRS TO CATCH THE VISION!

You can also see an overview and summary of the project, RSVP for an upcoming forum, hear a personal message from Pastor Kitchens, watch a fly-over of the new facility and find out ways to become involved at

www.ccbcfamily.org/link

You are invited to join Pastors Ted Kitchens and Doug Cecil TODAY for a full-length Link update with Q&A at 12:30 in the Small Sanctuary. Lunch and Children's Ministry will be provided.

General

LIFE STAGE 5 LINK FORUM LUNCH TODAY from 12:30 to 1:45 p.m. in the Small Sanctuary. Come join Ted Kitchens and Doug Cecil for a special vision-casting luncheon for Life Stage 5.

REMEMBER TO SET YOUR CLOCKS FORWARD 1 hour at bedtime this coming Saturday, Mar. 13 as Daylight Saving Time begins.

Faith and Funds

*Financial Update
For Six Months Ending 2-28-10*

Contributions year to date
\$5,358,485

Budgeted Expenses year to date
\$4,884,591

Difference
473,895

Coming up AT CHRIST CHAPEL

Students

THE HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER MISSION TRIPS DEADLINE IS NEXT SUNDAY

Applications and information flyers for this summer's high school mission trips are available at Insight or by contacting Pam at PamB@christchapelbc.org. We would love for your high school student to join us on one of these trips, which can be one of the most life-changing times in their life. If you have any further questions please contact David at DavidH@christchapelbc.org or Kristy at KristyH@christchapelbc.org.

Women

WOMEN IN THE WORD BIBLE STUDY meets on Thursdays at 9:45 a.m. and 7 p.m. Our study is entitled "You've Got Mail! Real Life Encouragement from Paul and Peter." As we study 1 & 2 Thessalonians and 1 & 2 Peter this spring, we will gain a fresh understanding of how we can live an authentic Christ centered life each and every day. First time to Bible study? You can register online or at the Women's Kiosk.

Men

BASIC TRAINING SEASON 2 Wednesdays at 6:30 a.m. in the Small Sanctuary or Thursdays at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. It's about a change that begins on the inside and works its way to the outside in tangible, practical expressions of faith. Because each lesson stands on its own, it's never too late to join this series! For details contact Ben at BenB@christchapelbc.org or 817-546-6178.