



Schedule of Services

Sunday

Bible Study	9:30 AM
Worship	10:30 AM
Worship	5:00 PM

Wednesday

Bible Study	1:30 PM
	7:00 PM

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For from you the word of the Lord has sounded forth... in every place. (1 Thessalonians 1:8)

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They Rehearsed All That God Had Done with Them

When Paul and his company returned from their first missionary journey, they gathered the church together to give a report of the work that was accomplished (Acts 14:27). Although Paul and his traveling companions had preached, taught, and established congregations along the journey, all of the credit was given to God. *“And when they were come, and had gathered the church together, they rehearsed all that God had done with them, and how he had opened the door of faith unto the Gentiles”* (Acts 14:27).

It is God’s desire that all be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth (1 Tim. 2:4). It is evident that God’s providential hand was at work as the apostles were traveling from town to town preaching and teaching the gospel. Paul and the others recognized that and gave honor and glory to the God of heaven.

Jason, Jeff, and myself were blessed to have had the opportunity to be part of the work in Cameroon for 2 weeks. We had the opportunity to preach publically and teach from house to house. One soul obeyed the gospel during an evangelistic campaign, and the brethren were encouraged by our presence and we, by theirs as well. Through it all, praise and honor goes to our Heavenly Father for such an opportunity.

As the apostles returned, they were able to rehearse to the church all the work that was accomplished on the missionary journey. It is our intent to do the same for the congregation in the next few weeks. This Sunday, I will be away at a gospel meeting, and Jason will be away for L2L, but the 3 of

us are working on a presentation to share with the local church family. We hope you will make plans to attend Sunday April 8th to hear what great things are being accomplished in the Lord in Cameroon, Africa.

Paul and Janet send greetings to the church as well. They often spoke about how thankful they were to be working with such a great congregation and thankful for the support they receive as they preach and teach the gospel in Cameroon. They were very gracious hosts to us and we appreciate them both for their work’s sake.

We hope you plan to be with us on April 8th and we plan to share with you how God has blessed the people in Cameroon, Africa. –K.A. Pugh

Man has recognized for many years that birds have a built in, advanced navigational system. There is no technical, electronic equipment. Yet birds and fowl can navigate through migrations that they have followed for centuries. Even if they are relocated outside their normal migration “highways” they have the ability to find their way home across great continents or vast oceans.

How is it that birds can do this? Man has no answer. Could such an intricate, built in navigational system just happen by accident, by evolution? Such a claim cannot be substantiated. Such a claim even seems farfetched. Yet, it was no accident. God created the birds of the air on the fifth day of creation. They and their advanced navigation system were designed by the Master Designer.

Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created. Rev 4:11 ESV

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