

Charis Christian Centre

Prayer Pointers:-

- 1. Pray for all our parents (May and June is Father and Mothers' Day) that His salvation will come upon them, if they are not saved as yet, good health and harmony with the rest of the family.**

- 2. Pray for the special "Parents Day" Outreach at the Sri Johor field with Taiwan singer Loong Piao Piao on the 30th May that the gospel seed will be planted in many hearts. A "Love Cheras' Project.**

- 3. In Groups of 2 or 3.**
 - a. For the church camp- for a spirit anointed camp and all will be touched.**
 - b. For the Elijah Challenge Healing training with Ps William Lau from the 25th to 28th June, that all of us will be trained to pray effectively for the sick.**
 - c. For the Love Cheras Clinic that we want to launch at Sri Johor from June onwards...enough of volunteers to serve.**

BOOK OF JAMES- LESSON 8

SCRIPTURE TEXT:- JAMES 1:22-25.

THEME: "THE MEASURE OF A CHRISTIAN."

As these words were penned, James was concerned about the issue of OBEDIENCE TO THE WORD of God. He taught that a person who claims to be a Christian but disobeys God's law, he is self deceived. ('bluffing' himself).

1. James said, "anyone who listens to the Word but does not do what it says is like a man who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like." This is an interesting allegory. Consider- what should normally take place for a person who would have looked at himself in a mirror? How should this apply to us when we are looking at the Word of God?
2. James 1:25 says, "But the man who looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues to do this, not forgetting what he has heard, but doing it, he will be blessed in what he does."

Notice carefully that obedience to God's Words will produce good results. What are the good results and elaborate on them.

3. Why is it on the first place that we find it difficult to put God's Word into practice? What can we do about it? Discuss.

Pray a closing prayer that God will help us to be obedient to His Word.