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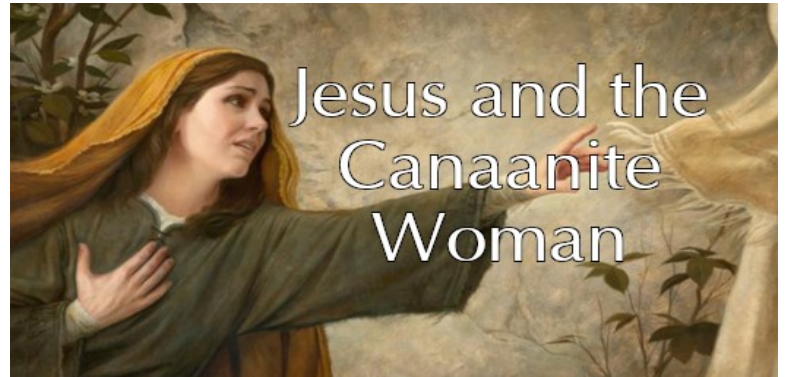
AUGUST 17, 2023



CPR & First Aid Training Class

The Preschool is holding a CPR/First Aid Class this Saturday, August 19th from 9:00AM-1:00PM in the Big Room. Anyone is welcome to sign up. The cost is \$45.00 per person. Contact Kathi Underwood by Friday if you're interested in the class.

Email: kathi@bascombpreschool.com



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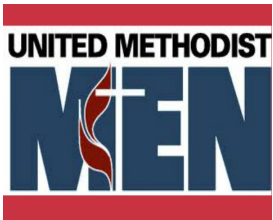
"A Mothers' Love" - Matthew 15: 21-28

Have you ever wondered why the New Testament almost always shows the best side of Jesus? Just last week Jesus was shown walking on the water and then saving Peter from drowning after he looked at the storm instead of Jesus. The week before that Jesus was healing all of the sick people brought to him and then went on to feed about 10-12 thousand people with five barley loaves and a couple of fish.

Are there any passages where Jesus is not behaving and doing the right thing? Well, this Sunday we are going to looking at a time where it appears Jesus wasn't on his best behavior. It appeared that Jesus was intentionally ignoring a Canaanite mother who wanted Jesus to heal her daughter of demon possession. When Jesus finally does say something to the woman, he told her that he was only supposed to reach out to "the lost sheep of Israel."

The woman then came to Jesus and knelt before him and pleaded for Jesus' help. Instead of offering his help, he more or less called the woman and her people a dog. He told her, "It is not right to take the children's bread and toss it to the dogs." Hearing that, the Canaanite woman reminded Jesus that even the dogs got to eat the scraps which fell from their masters' table.

Well, Jesus must have liked the mother's response because he told that her great faith would lead to her daughter's healing. Now why didn't Jesus simply do this in the first place instead of having the woman go through all she had to do for her daughter's healing? Maybe, just maybe, Jesus knew what the woman was willing to do for her daughter. Maybe Jesus was trying to show the disciples that day and maybe even us today of our need to offer our ministries to everyone. *Loving our neighbor means loving everyone!* Even to those that the world around us may consider to be dogs.



UMM Breakfast

All men are welcome, Sunday August 20th at 7:30AM in the Fellowship Hall. Contact Steve Boggs for details.



Join us Friday August 25th at 7PM for Fun & Games. We'll have board and card games available to play. Enjoy the Ice Cream Bar and make your own special dessert. \$5.00 for adults & teens, kids 12 and under are free.

Please register via the QR code or clicking the picture. You must be viewing this in PDF for this to work.





For more information regarding the screenings

or to schedule an appointment:

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to **216-279-1607**, or go to <https://lisa.social/HC>

Pre-registration is required.

Life Line Screening, the nation’s leading provider of preventive health screenings, will offer affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at Bascomb UMC on Thursday, September 21, 2023.

A package of four screenings to identify risk for stroke, heart disease and other chronic conditions will be offered:

Carotid Artery Screening (Plaque)

Peripheral Arterial Disease Screening

Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA)

Atrial Fibrillation

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10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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