

oaktree Baptist Church
MAGGIE VALLEY
 Rev. John Willis, Jr., Pastor
 7:30 a.m.—The Gospel Light
 Radio Station WWIT—
 470 on your dial.
 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School. Claude
 Supt.
 10:30 a.m.—Worship Service. Ser-
 mon on 2nd, 4th and 5th
 11:30 a.m.—Prayer Services con-
 ducted by Rev. Rufe Finger.
WEDNESDAY
 7:30 a.m.—Prayer Service.
 10:00 a.m.—Bible Study.
 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Services in a
 chapel.

John's Church
WAYNESVILLE
 Rev. Lawrence Newman,
 Pastor
 8:00 a.m.—Catholic Masses for
 Western North Carolina
 8:00 a.m.—St. Joseph's
 Church.
 9:15 a.m.—Immaculate Con-
 ception.
 10:00 a.m.—Artist
 (Summer only).
 8:00 a.m.—St. Joseph's
 8:00 a.m.—St. William's
 11:00 a.m.—Our Lady of
 10:00 a.m.—St. Francis

ky Branch Free Baptist Church
 Rev. N. F. Byrd, Pastor
WEDNESDAY
 7:30 a.m.—Evangelistic service
 and minister.
 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. Lum
 Supt.
 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
 by pastor.
 7:30 p.m.—Sermon by the pas-
 tor.
WEDNESDAY
 7:30 p.m.—Prayer service.

Bethel Methodist Church

"Bethel on the Pigeon"
 The Rev. L. B. George, Minister
 Promotion day for the church
 school will be held Sunday, Octo-
 ber 3 at the opening of the school
 at ten o'clock. It is important that
 all pupils and teachers be present.
 M. N. Nix, the general superintend-
 ent, will direct the promotion pro-
 cedure.

World Wide Communion Sunday
 will be observed at the morning
 worship hour at eleven o'clock. The
 observance of this significant event
 has steadily gained in importance
 since its beginning. You are invited
 to attend this service.

Youth and Intermediate groups
 will meet for their worship serv-
 ices and business meeting at
 7:00 o'clock. All of the Youth of
 the church are invited to the meet-
 ing and are encouraged to invite
 your friends.

Boy Scouts meet at the church
 Monday at 7:00 o'clock. Guy Wells,
 Scoutmaster, John Remenar, As-
 sistant Scoutmaster, and James
 Reeves, chairman of Troup Com-
 mittee will be in charge of pro-
 gram.

Choir rehearsal each Wednesday
 evening at the church at 7:30. All
 members of the choir are asked to
 attend.

Cove Creek Baptist Church

The Rev. Carl Cook, Pastor
 10 a.m.—Sunday School. Mrs.
 D. C. Davis, Superintendent.
 Sermon by the pastor 1st and 3rd
 Sunday morning and 2nd and 4th
 Sunday nights.

Pigeon Baptist Church

Rev. Pete Hicks, Pastor
SUNDAY
 Sunday School, 10:00. Henry F.
 Teague Superintendent.
 Sermon by the pastor, 11:00.
 Preaching every 1st and 3rd
 Sunday morning.
 Training Union 7:30 every Sun-
 day night. Rev. Odie Fish, Direc-
 tor.

Sunday School Lesson

Job's Struggle to Understand Life

HE KEPT HIS FAITH THROUGH MANY CALAMITIES

Scripture—Job 1-2; 19-23.

NEWMAN CAMPBELL
THIS LESSON we turn
 the time when Jesus was on
 and later when the apostles
 carrying on His work in the
 church after His resurrec-
 tion later still when Paul
 writing his epistles to the
 churches advising them
 their conduct as followers
 us, to several thousand
 before Christ's birth.
 story is of a man who
 many disasters and his
 to keep his faith in God
 all his suffering.
 was a man in the land
 whose name was Job; and
 man was perfect and up-
 and one that feared God
 turned evil," we read. The
 Uz was in the northern
 the Arabian peninsula.
 was a very wealthy man.
 several thousand sheep,
 thousand camels, five hun-
 dreds of oxen and five hun-
 dred asses and a very great
 herd. He was known as "the
 best of all the men of the
 East."
 had seven sons and three
 daughters, who were all devoted
 to their father and to each other
 constituted a very happy
 family.
 there was a day when
 of Job came to present
 before the Lord, and

Job arose, rent his mantle and
 shaved his head, and fell upon
 the ground, worshipping God and
 saying, "Naked I came out of my
 mother's womb, and naked shall
 I return thither; the Lord gave
 and the Lord hath taken away;
 blessed be the name of the Lord."

How easy it is for riches to
 take wings and fly away. Many
 have suffered such calamities and
 some lose their faith, often those
 who have been deeply religious.
 God could not treat me so if He
 is indeed a loving father, they
 say. Job's faith sustained him
 through these horrible tribula-
 tions, but more was to follow.
 Satan, seeing Job was faithful so
 far, tortured him further by send-
 ing terrible diseases to destroy
 his strength and cause him un-
 told suffering.

Job's wife lost her faith in the
 divine and loving Spirit, and
 spoke to him in what was a most
 heartless manner, saying, "Dost
 thou still retain thine integrity?
 curse God and die."

Job's answer was, "Thou speak-
 est as one of the foolish women
 speaketh. What? shall we re-
 ceive good at the hand of God,
 and shall we not receive evil?"

Three of Job's friends came to
 him—Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar.
 For seven days they sat silently
 by him, saying no word. These
 were good men but they con-

MEMORY VERSE

Ye shall seek Me, and find Me, when ye shall search for Me
all your heart.—Jeremiah 29:13.

came also among them."
 Satan was malignant and
 he was evidently counted
 the angels in heaven. God
 of Job as a perfect man,
 man asked, "Doth Job fear
 naught?" and pointed
 at Job had everything to
 him believe in God's good-
 ness. "But put forth
 hand now, and touch all
 his face, and he will curse
 Thy face."

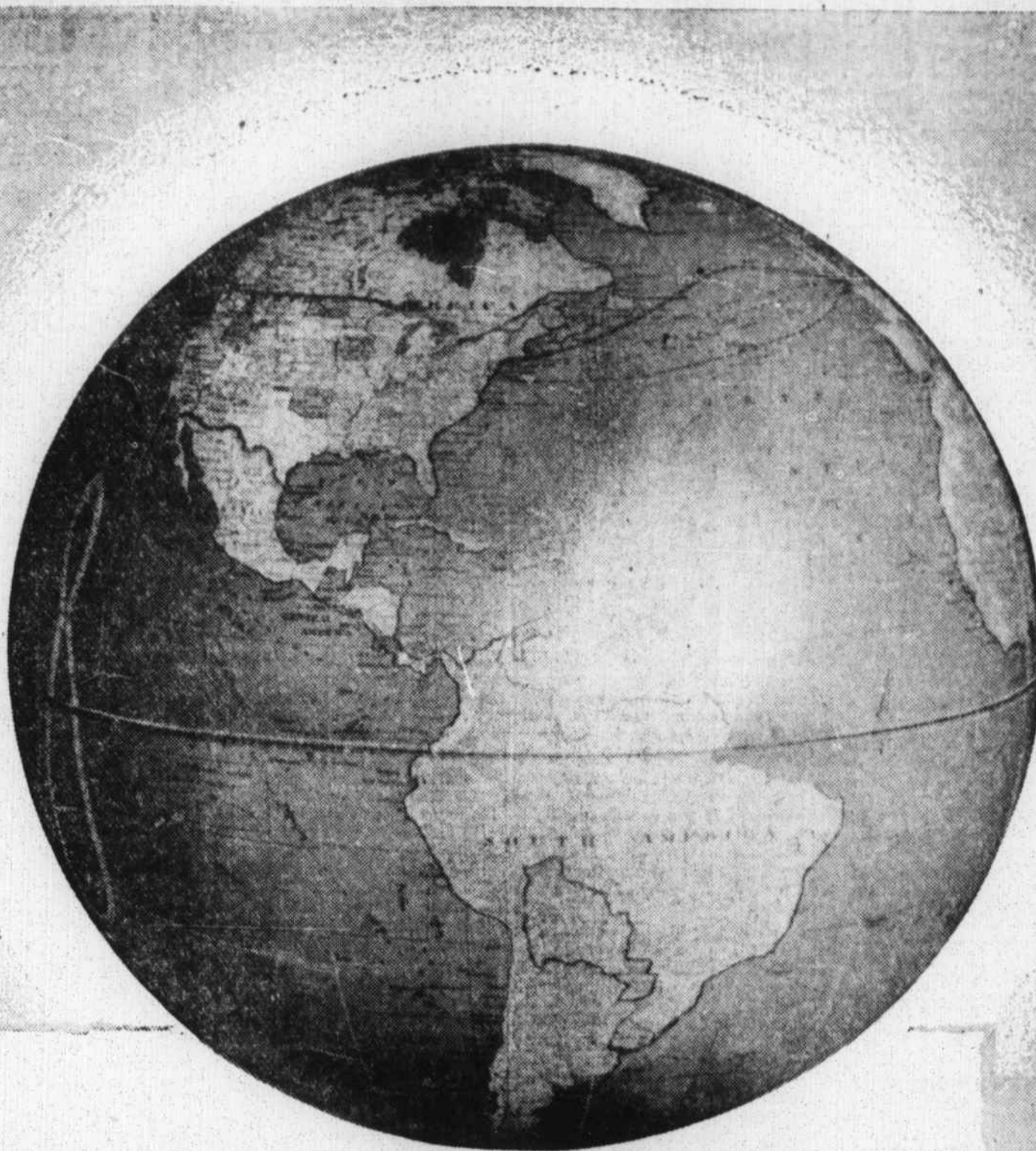
tended that Job must have sinned
 and was being punished by God
 for these secret faults. Poor Job.
 That was the final blow. He felt
 himself abandoned, even God had
 removed Himself from him, it
 seemed. In his desolation Job
 cried:

"Oh that I knew where I might
 find Him! that I might come
 even to His seat! I would order
 my cause before Him, and fill my
 mouth with arguments. Will He
 plead against me with His great
 power? No; but He would put
 strength in me."

Poor Job, he sought diligently
 for God and could not find Him,
 but his faith held firm, and he in-
 sisted "He knoweth the way that
 I take; when He hath tried me,
 I shall come forth as gold."

Job's conduct during his bitter
 trials provides a well-known prov-
 erb, "the patience of Job." People
 react very differently under trou-
 ble; this may be noted in even
 quite small children. Some go
 away by themselves and grieve;
 some run to mother or dad; others
 grow rebellious and "fighting
 mad" and battle it out. Teach the
 children patience under their af-
 flictions, which probably are not
 so dreadful as they appear to
 their young minds. You may
 plant a seed in their minds and
 hearts that will help them to
 keep their faith and rise above
 disasters all through their lives.

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ALL OVER THE WORLD

Glance at an atlas or give your globe a spin. It's a vast world,
 encompassing continents, oceans, mountains, deserts and val-
 leys. Its inhabitants number in the billions, and they in turn
 are divided into many nations, each with varied tongues, creeds,
 and religions.

But here at last we have struck upon a common denominator
 — religion. For all peoples in all times have recognized a
 superior power — their creator.

On World Wide Communion Day, Christians all over the
 world unite in their churches to partake of the Lord's Supper,
 one of the holiest rituals of the Church. Together, in His house,
 their prayers attain a new significance. Their voices blend into
 one universal voice, from which stems new power and meaning.

Go to your church on World Wide Communion Day. You will
 be in the fellowship of millions of worshippers, receiving with
 them new hope for peace of mind and soul—and peace for the
 world.

**THE CHURCH FOR ALL . . .
 ALL FOR THE CHURCH**

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for
 the building of character and good citizenship.
 It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a
 strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization
 can survive. There are four sound reasons why
 every person should attend services regularly
 and support the Church. They are: (1) For his
 own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the
 sake of his community and nation. (4) For the
 sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral
 and material support. Plan to go to church regu-
 larly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Matthew	26	17-30
Monday	John	13	1-11
Tuesday	John	11	20-28
Wednesday	I Corinthians	15	1-8
Thursday	John	10	12-17
Friday	I Corinthians	12	12-18
Saturday	I Corinthians	16	9-14

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