



WHAT FAITH CAN DO

Gospel Saturated

1 Corinthians 15:1-8

Philippians 2:12

What Faith Can Do

- -What does it mean to be saturated



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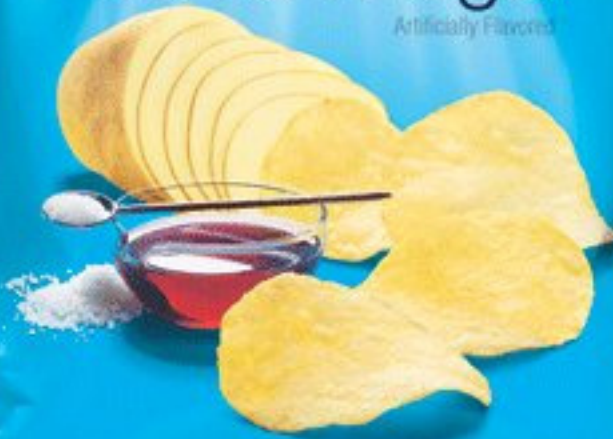




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Flavored Potato Chips

What Faith Can Do

- -Saturated means:
- >completely wet
- >a solution that can't take any more additives
- -we are to be immersed in the Gospel, submerged in it and filled to the point of overflowing



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- -what is the Gospel?
- >word means "good news"
- >comes from euangelion= good news
- >also used to reference first 4 books of NT; authors are called "evangelists"



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- -what's the good news?
- >Jesus, the perfect one, died for our sins and rose again and lives eternally in victory. There is no condemnation for those who believe and all joy is theirs because of Jesus.
- >many of the details are found in 1 Corinthians 15:1-8

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- 1 Corinthians 15:1-8
- Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you—unless you believed in vain. For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me.

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- >this Gospel is what we trust for everything:
- -who is God? -what hope is there for my sins? -what happens to me at death? -what help do I have in this life?
- -we're supposed to be saturated in this good news, but are saturated to overflowing?



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- -Ezekiel had a sweet encounter with God and his word, but it took a strange turn
- *honey- God had not forgotten Israel
- *bitter- Israel had forgotten God and would be in judgement for 60 years



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- -good news by definition demands to be told!
- >we're great evangelists for movies, TV shows, food, clothes, technology and FOOTBALL
- -Gospel Saturated means we are soaked in the good news of Jesus for our salvation to overflowing to others for their salvation

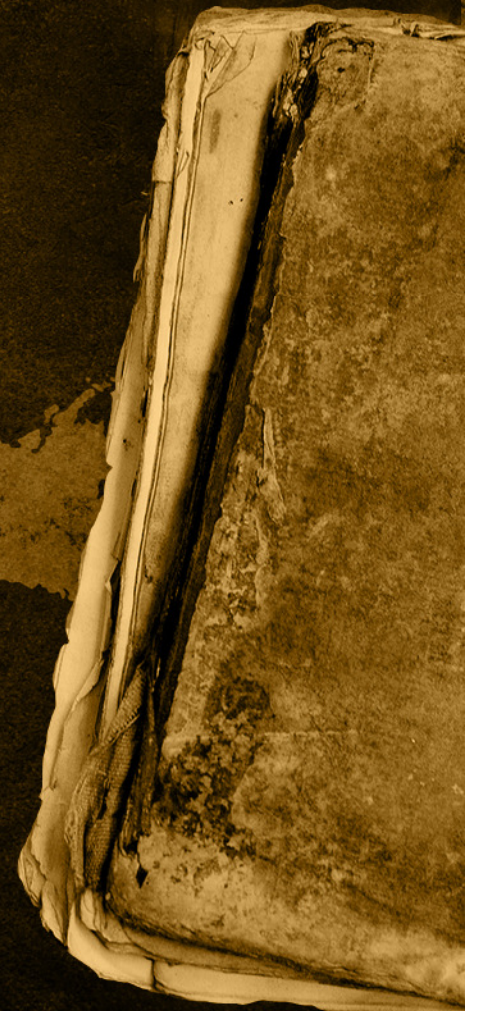


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- -how do we stay Gospel saturated, beyond the time of salvation?
- -we have to understand and live salvation as on-going and lifeling
- -Philippians 2:12 Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling,

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- -The NT Gospel is 3-fold:
- 1) I was saved by the Gospel
- 2) I am being saved by the Gospel
- 3) I will be saved by the Gospel



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- -the good news today is that 1) I'm not going to hell and 2) Christ is working in me everyday and I get to participate in that
- -we often work under the lie, assumption or bad logic that, "Now that I've found Jesus, I don't need to seek anymore."
- -Gospel saturated means I go hard after God in fullness of salvation- how?
- 1) read the Bible addictively
- 2) live a Gospel-saturated life
- >serve lovingly; give generously; speak wisely; lead rightly; befriend sincerely; work purposefully
- 3) Know Christ- study, prayer, solitude, praise

What Faith Can Do

- -am I Gospel saturated?
- -can't escape the fact that its GOOD NEWS that demands to be TOLD
- -who am I telling? Am I filled up to spilling over into others?
- -will we get to the end and say, "I wish I had told just one more?"

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- -will you tell one more?
- -be their evangelist- tell the GOOD NEWS!





Women's Ministry Meeting

Today at 4pm

**Pebble Creek Ranch Apartments
Club house.**

Theology Fight Club



All men are invited to join us!

Thursdays, 6:30 am, at Greatwood Chick fil A.
Starting January 28th.

Sanctus Students

Wed. 6:30-8 pm

@ the Greatwood Rec Center.

Bring \$\$ for pizza, your Bible, and a friend!



Truth Weekend

Truth Weekend- March 5-7

\$49 per student; \$35 for guests

Be on the look out for more info



“The Frazzled Female” for Moms of Preschoolers

Thursday, January 28th,
9-11 am,
@ the Greatwood Chick fil A





Saturday, February 20

We will participate in a Habitat for Humanity home on
February 20.

There will be 2 shifts: 9 am-noon and noon-4 pm
Sign up TODAY at the Resource Center or online at
info@thesanctuaryfellowship.com.

No children under 14.