

The Correspondent

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:30 AM

Worship 10:30 AM & 1:30 PM

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study (Adult) 1:30 PM

Bible Study (All Ages) 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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The Fatherhood of God

- Renn Ferguson

This week we are joined by the students from Memphis School of Preaching and one of the instructors of the school, Mike McDaniel. While we most certainly will be edified by the lesson brother McDaniel presents to us through the week, we



need to remember that this is an opportunity to reach out to lost souls. In the past couple of articles, we have reminded ourselves of the importance of evangelism.

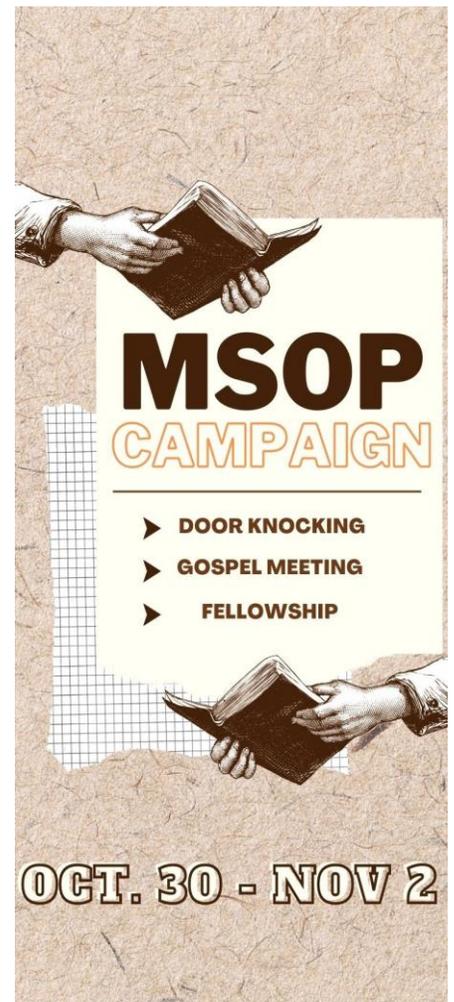
First of all, evangelism is a command (Matthew 28:18-20). This is the lifeblood of the growth of the church. Without it, congregations die out or are forced to close their doors. In our area we know that there are not many sound congregations of the Lord's church and many

denominations. We have a lot of work to do, and this week is an opportunity to do it. Even if you cannot help in our door-knocking efforts, invite others to come to the evening lessons.

Second, we reminded ourselves of the urgency of the gospel. People cannot be saved unless they hear (Romans 10:14-17). We, who have and know this message, have a great responsibility to preach it (Romans 1:14). As children of God, we must do all that we can to warn others about the danger and reality of eternal damnation.

Let us take advantage of this great opportunity God has given us. Not only to edify the church, but to evangelize this community.

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