JESUS: GOD REVEALED

The Transfiguration, Luke 9:28-36
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*"28 Now about eight days after these sayings He took with Him Peter and John and James and went up on the **mountain to pray**. 29 And as He was **praying**, the appearance of His face was **altered**, and His clothing became dazzling white. 30 And behold, two men were talking with Him, **Moses** and **Elijah**, 31 who appeared in **glory** and spoke of His **departure**, which He was about to **accomplish** at **Jerusalem**. 32 Now Peter and those who were with Him were **heavy with sleep**, but when they became fully awake they saw His **glory** and the two men who stood with Him. 33 And as the men were parting from Him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good that we are here. **Let us make three tents**, one for You and one for Moses and one for Elijah'—not knowing what he said. 34 As he was saying these things, **a cloud came** and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. 35 And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, 'This is My **Son**, My **Chosen One**; **listen to Him**!' 36 And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen."* Luke 9:28-36

The passage of scripture is such an interesting one because it's a miracle and a mystery, an actual event and an allusion of things to come. *Exodus 34:29*

God Says Two Things:

1. You have made a confession of faith that Jesus is the Son of God, which is true. (Confirmation)

2. You should be listening to His teaching and following His example, even when it's difficult. (Instruction) *Luke 9:22-24*

I've shown you that I'm real, that I'm good and that life with Me can be eternal...now what are you going to do about it?

2 Corinthians 5:17

Transformation is an internal process, and since people can't actually see what's going on inside of us, we have to put it on display for all to see.

2 Corinthians 4:6; 2 Corinthians 3:18; Ephesians 3:21

Here's the bottom line: God revealed Himself in Jesus at the transfiguration and calls us to do two things: love God and love others...the next step is up to us and it determines how His glory will continue to shine until His return.

Ministry Opportunities

For more information about these and other events, go to SavannahChristian.com/Events.

Family Fishing Day
7 - 11 a.m. Saturday, July 4
Henderson Lake
Bring your fishing gear and spend the morning at Henderson Lake. This is an opportunity to spend time with family and with friends and neighbors who are not connected with the church. Catch and release only. You will need your own equipment. This event will take place the first Saturday of every month throughout the summer season.

Summer Dinner Theatre: "FBI Girl: How I Learned to Crack my Father's Code"
Friday - Sunday, July 17 - 19
The Link across the lake
Our annual summer dinner theatre provides you with a great opportunity to invite a friend to a fun event at our church. This year's production tells the story of Maura's quest to understand the world of her mysterious FBI father. Revealing the secret life of one highly imaginative girl, "FBI Girl" is a moving account of family bonds, the trials that test them, and the triumphs that make them - and us - stronger. Purchase your ticket at The Source bookstore or at SavannahChristian.com.

Pivot Men's Conference
9 a.m. - 10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25
Savannah Civic Center
Men, it's time to revitalize your faith. Join us for our annual Pivot conference and discover how to really impact your world. Strong men make strong families, strong families make strong churches, and strong churches will transform the nations. Hear from guest speakers Kenny Grant, Cam Huxford and Miles McPherson. Purchase your ticket for the daytime workshops, evening rally or both at PivotConference.org.