

BASCOMB NEWS

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As Pastor Sonny is recovering from surgery, we would appreciate everyone wearing face masks in worship to help protect him as well as others with compromised immune systems.





Trusting in God's Hand

A Survey Course Spanning from Genesis to Revelation

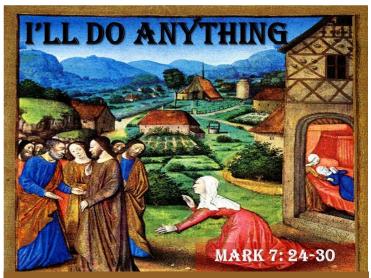
The New Fellowship Sunday School Class will meet in the New Fellowship Room on Sunday, September 5, at 10:00 a.m. Lesson One will be based on a lecture by Dr. David Jeremiah, Noah: Overcoming a Corrupt World. If you are interested in attending, you may want to read Genesis 5:29-8:22. Feel free to come and join us for discussion of God's word. All ages welcome.

UMM Family Picnic on Saturday, September 11, 5:00 p.m., at the home of UNITED METHODIST Jim and Joy Ledoux. All invited for food, fun and games. Meat and drinks provided. Bring a side dish or dessert to share. Contact Jim Ledoux or Roger Williams.



UMM Spiritual Retreat for men at Camp Glisson in Dahlonega, Friday, November 12, through Sunday, November 14. Cost \$130 (2 nights lodging, 5 meals) with \$30 deposit due with reservation. Topic will be Rick Warren's book, "The Purpose Driven Life, What am I Here For?" Contact Jim Ledoux or Steve Petrus.





September 5 — 15th Sunday after Pentecost in Kingdomtide Sermon Title: "I'll Do Anything" Scripture: Mark 7:24-37

Mark called her the Syrophoenician Woman (A Phoenician from Syria) - a well-to-do commercial title, Matthew called her a Canaanite Woman (a religious title). Therefore, she had three strikes against her #1 she was a woman in a male culture, #2 she was from the "wealthy part of town" when the Jews saw themselves as the poor, and #3 she was not even of the Jewish faith - a pagan. However, this woman's humility and great love for her daughter put her in a position to do anything for love. She had such faith that Jesus could heal her child that she crossed economic, racial, and religious boundaries to get what she wanted – at the cost of her own humiliation! "Gut Check!" - What do you want so badly that you'll do anything to get it? Does our relationship with God ever come close to that level of need in our lives?

