



**Family preparation for congregational worship on September 25, 2016**

**Our Scripture-Jude 1.8-11 (ESV):**

Yet in like manner these people also, relying on their dreams, defile the flesh, reject authority, and blaspheme the glorious ones. <sup>9</sup> But when the archangel Michael, contending with the devil, was disputing about the body of Moses, he did not presume to pronounce a blasphemous judgment, but said, "The Lord rebuke you." <sup>10</sup> But these people blaspheme all that they do not understand, and they are destroyed by all that they, like unreasoning animals, understand instinctively. <sup>11</sup> Woe to them! For they walked in the way of Cain and abandoned themselves for the sake of gain to Balaam's error and perished in Korah's rebellion.

**Discuss:**

1. What sins do the ungodly participate in?
2. How are the ungodly like "unreasoning animals"?
3. What destroys the ungodly?

**Prayer:** Praise the Lord for His beauty and the beautiful things He is doing in your life. Praise the Lord for His name and that He is over all. Ask God to search your heart and cleanse you from your sin. Pray for your unspoken requests-those quiet concerns of your heart. Pray for the Gideon's and the distribution of Bibles. Pray for your daily work and activities. Ask the Lord for opportunities to share the gospel this week. Ask the Lord who He would have you invite to church this coming Sunday.

**Memorize (September):** *"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1 John 1:9) esv*

**Music:**

As you meditate and prepare your heart for worship this Sunday, sing this song to the Lord;

*Just as I am, without one plea But that Thy blood was shed for me,  
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!*

*Just as I am and waiting not to rid my soul of one dark blot,  
To Thee whose blood can cleanse each spot, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!*

*Just as I am, though tossed about with many a conflict, many a doubt,  
Fighting's and fears within, without, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!*

*Just as I am-Thou wilt receive, wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve.  
Because Thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!*

*"Just As I Am", The Celebration Hymnal, #488, Word Music/Integrity Music © 1997*

## Jude 8-11

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ALSO	ANIMALS	ARCHANGEL
AUTHORITY	BLASPHEME	BODY
CAIN	CONTENDING	DEFILE
DESTROYED	DEVIL	DISPUTING
DREAMS	FLESH	GLORIOUS
INSTINCTIVELY	JUDGMENT	LIKE
LORD	MANNER	MICHAEL
MOSES	ONES	PEOPLE
PRESUME	PRONOUNCE	UNDERSTAND