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Sunday Bible Study 9:45 am
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Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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-Michael Mayo
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We offer FREE: 4 Bible correspondence course series by mail:
an 8 lesson series by Hurt, a 6 lesson series "Acts Of The Apostles"
by Pharr, the "Studies In The Bible" 30 lesson series, and the
20 lesson series "Getting To Know Jesus" by Pharr. Let everyone know!

I AM THANKFUL...

I am a scribbler. I tend to be the type of person that makes notes whenever I hear something that may be handy in an article, devotional, or sermon. These notes can be found on a post-it, scrap paper, or even on my “note” app on my phone. Recently I was looking through my “note app” and discovered at one time I had noted the following: “I am thankful there is a God to love me, a Savior who died for me, and a Bible to guide me”. Amen! I don’t know where I heard or read that statement, but it is indeed true. I am, as we all should be, thankful...

There Is A God To Love Me.

1 John 4:8, “He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.” God is love, but not just love. Love is one of the primary features of God’s being. Just as God is infinite in all His other attributes, God is also infinite in love. This is the love that seeks the highest good of another. Were it not for the love of God mankind would be without any hope. However Ephesians 2:4 states, “But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us...” God’s love is great because it extends to all including the individual.

A Savior Who Died For Me.

Galatians 1:4 speaks of Jesus “Who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father.” Galatians 2:20 says, “I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.” J. W. Shepherd in the Gospel Advocate Commentary on Galatians says the following regarding this verse “In his love for the church (Ephesians 5:25) Christ does not lose sight of the individual believer. Each member of his body is the direct object of his love, and it is as true that he died for each as it is that he died for all. Hence, the individual believer appropriates to himself that which is the possession of all.”

And A Bible To Guide Me.

Psalms 119:105, “Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.” The Word Of God is a light to show me the way, to keep me from stumbling, to keep me from falling, to keep me on the right path. Psalm 19:8, “The statutes of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart: the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.” The world we live in thinks that happiness comes from many various sources (money, position, power, etc.). The psalmist points out the only way that man can be truly be happy is to study and submit to the Word of God. God’s statutes and commands are right because they descend from right personified, Deity. They are pure because it contains no falsehood or error. The commands of Jehovah enlighten man’s eyes in that they instruct him in the proper way, both for the here and now as well as preparation for eternity.

Yes, indeed dear friend, I Am Thankful. *“Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name” Psalm 100: 4*

-Jerry D. Sturgill

News & Notes



Sermons This Week

AM- "Those Who Are Over You In The Lord"

PM- "Are We Born Sinful?"

Scripture Reading: Eph. 2:1-4

2017 Dates to Remember

- Mar 7– Prime-timers– annex- 10a
Mar 12– Daylight Savings (forward 1 hour)
Mar 12– Elders Appreciation Potluck– noon
Mar 14– Prime-timers– annex- 10a
Mar 19– elders/deacons/preachers-annex-4:30p
Mar 21– Prime-timers– annex- 10a
Mar 26 –Potluck– noon– annex
Mar 26-29– Revival with David Lipe-
 'Assurance In The Age of Skepticism'
Mar 27-29– Bible Study with David Lipe– 10a
Mar 31– Ladies Luncheon– 12:30
Apr 4– Prime-timers– annex- 10a
Apr 10- Potluck
May 13- workday Saturday 8a & barbeque
 between 11a-12:00p
Jun 14- Coffee, tea, & cakes –annex- 8p
Jul 2-8– Ft. Hill Youth Camp week
Jul 15- Church Picnic- on grounds-5p
Jul 24-28– Vacation Bible School here
Aug 6- Ice Cream/dessert night– annex- 7p
Sep 15-16– Marriage Seminar with Alan Cole
Sep 23 -Cookout & singing @ the Scotts- time
 TBD later
Oct 28- Trunk O Treats & Chili supper- 7p
Nov 4– Ladies Day with Sheila Butt- 8:30a
Nov 5– Bring A Friend Day & Potluck

Gauging Our Faith

	02/26/17	Goal	02/28/16
Bible Study	96	110	88
AM Worship	156	160	142
PM Worship	93	110	82
Mid Week	86	110	73
Contribution:	\$5643.75	\$5600.00	\$4487.38

New Brother in Christ

On Thursday evening, March 2, Luke Wallace was baptized into Christ. Luke is the son of Steven and Tabitha Wallace. Please, congratulate Luke on his decision.

Elders Appreciation Luncheon

On Sunday, March 12, a potluck luncheon is being given for our elders & their wives following morning worship. Please, speak with Sherry Sturgill if you can provide food and see Mark and Alissa Day or Sherry Sturgill for other details. This will be a potluck for everyone.

Lawn Maintenance Help Needed

There is a sign up sheet on the foyer bulletin board to volunteer to be on a team to maintain the church grounds on a rotating basis. Please, sign up today. See Dave Castle or Greg Conley with questions.

March Revival

Please, invite your friends and neighbors to our upcoming Revival with David Lipe. The theme is 'Assurance in the Age of Skepticism.' It will be March 26-29 at 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., and 6 p.m. on Sunday, 7 p.m. on Mon., Tues., & Wed., and 10 a.m. Bible studies Mon., Tues. & Wed. on Lessons from the Gospel of John. We have flyers, small handouts and business cards to use with your invitation.

Member Photos

Katie Smith will be taking pictures for our photo directories over the next several Sundays after morning worship. Please, update your photo.

**Have you contacted
a shut-in lately?
Why not today?**



☞ Today's Servants ☞

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Chris Scott

SONG LEADER:

AM: Brad Morris

PM: Steve Wallace

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: Jeremiah Smith

PM: Greg Hall

LORD'S TABLE:

Presiding AM: Steve Wallace

Assisting: Chris Scott,
David Smith, Greg Conley,
Michael Sprague, Ernie Perry,
Shelby Steele, Dan Stone

Presiding PM: Nathan Parks

Assisting: Daniel Goshorn

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: Tim Hammond

PM: Nathan Adkins

☞ Wednesday Servants ☞

WELCOME: Greg Hall

SONG LEADER: Steve Wallace

PRAYER: Chris Scott

DEVOTIONAL: Daniel Goshorn

☞ Weekly Servants ☞

POWER POINT: Matt Vonderheide

BLDG. ATTENDANT: David Castle

ATTENDANCE: Mitch Stafford

COORDINATOR: Jerry Sturgill

Welcome, Visitor!

We are so pleased to have you
as our guest today.

If you are a **first-time visitor** with us,
please, fill out a 'visitor card' that you find
on the back of the pew. You may put it in the
collection plate or hand it to one of the men at
the auditorium doors as you exit.

We have tract racks on the wall in the
foyer with **free tracts and literature**. We
offer **free Bible correspondence courses**
you can receive by mail at no cost to you. Let
our preacher know if you would like to set up
an **in-home Bible study**. Thank you for
attending. Come back anytime!

★★★ Youth Notes ★★★

★★ **Every Sunday** ★★

Pew Packers

at 5:45pm

in front of the auditorium

**-geared to age 12 & under,
but everyone is welcomed.**

Boys: have a song ready to lead

★★ **March** ★★

Youth/Parent Devotional

Hosted by the Scotts

Details will follow.

