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Sunday Bible Study 9:45am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
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Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Sundays 7:30 am (on Fox)

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Welcome to our Gospel Meeting

▶▶▶ with Phil Sanders
from the TV broadcast▶



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April 14-17

Sunday, the 14th- 9:45AM: The Power of the Gospel
Sunday, the 14th- 10:45AM: The Message is Jesus
Sunday, the 14th- 6:00PM: I Love the Father
Monday, the 15th- 7PM: Take Up Your Cross
Tuesday, the 16th- 7PM: What Are You Becoming?
Wednesday, the 17th- 7PM: When We All Get to Heaven

Morning classes:

Monday, the 15th- 10AM- The Written Word
Tuesday, the 16th- 10AM- The Believable Word
Wednesday, the 17th- 10AM- The All-Sufficient Word

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!

Our Children, Our Responsibility

Our children. We provide for them, work for them, worry for them, provide and pray for them in things material. Parents who are Christian will provide for them, work for them, worry for them, provide and pray for them in things spiritual as well. Christian parents will seek to be an example, teach their children the word of God, and hope and pray those precious souls entrusted to their care will choose to obey the Lord when they reach the age of accountability rather than choose to obey Satan by rejecting the message God has given to man.

Many parents often feel guilty and likely responsible when their children will either reject the Gospel or fall away from the Lord due to a misunderstanding of Proverbs 22:6 which says, "Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it." In obeying this verse, the faithful Christian parent has fulfilled their duty. Notice the verse says to instruct (train up) a child (early in life) in the way he should go (the "way" is in accordance with the word of God). There is a right way to go, and from which one should not depart. Bob Winton, in his commentary on Proverbs said of this verse, "The result of this training is good. When he is old, he will not depart from the right way. This is the general rule; there are possible exceptions. Romans 3:23 says that all people commit sin and fall short of God's glory, but that is not the case with those who are born with mental deficiencies, or those who die before they reach an accountable age. If the child departs after being properly grounded, the parents are free from his blood. (Ezekiel 18:20). But what if parents neglect their responsibility? They have sinned."

Lot, the nephew of Abraham, is an illustration for us that sometimes our children will not listen to God's word and warnings. In Genesis 18, the Lord God had come down with two angels to render judgment upon Sodom, Gomorrah and the cities of the plain due to their sin. Genesis 19 records the angels went into Sodom where Lot lived. Lot we remember, was judged by the Lord as "righteous" (2 Peter 2:7-8), meaning he was living in obedience to the Lord. The angels warned Lot of God's coming wrath and to be saved he and his family must flee the city. Lot carried the message of God's coming judgment and salvation to his sons in laws and daughters. Lot went to his family with the message of salvation "Lot went out, and spake unto his sons in law, which married his daughters, and said, Up, get you out of this place; for the LORD will destroy this city. But he seemed as one that mocked unto his sons in law." (19:14) They had obviously seen the righteousness of their father, how he did not participate in the immorality of those who lived in the city. Apparently, they had rejected his example by not following his fidelity to the Lord. They were subject to God's righteous judgment when they chose to reject the warning and therefore died in the city. The only one's who survived were Lot and two other daughters. Lot's wife had also disobeyed God and died rather than follow her husband's example and obey God. Lot was saved, two of his daughters were saved, but the rest of his family perished due to their own choice. The lesson: We are to teach God's word to our children (and spouse), be an example to them, and obey the Lord until the end (Revelation 2:10). We must first save ourselves, then try to save our family, then try to save others. However, we must remember, they have freedom of choice the same as you and I.

"And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up." Deuteronomy 6:5-7

-Jerry D. Sturgill

News & Notes



Sermons This Week

(Please, refer to this week's cover)

Dates to Remember

- Apr 14– Potluck luncheon– 12p– annex
- Apr 14– Second Sunday Morning Pointe Bible study/singing– 2pm
- Apr 14-17– Our Gospel Meeting with Phil Sanders
- Apr 15-17– Morning Bible Study with Phil Sanders– 10a
- Apr 18-21– Lads to Leaders, Louisville
- Apr 20– annex floors refinished, no foot traffic allowed
- Apr 22-24– Olive Hill Gospel Meeting with Tim Canup– 7p
- Apr 23– Prime-timers– 10a– annex
- Apr 26– Ladies Luncheon-12:30p– Wild Horses
- Apr 27– annex floors refinished, no foot traffic allowed
- Apr 27– Ladies Day at Elm Grove church in Piketon, OH w/ Rosemary Anderson
- Apr 28– elders/deacons/preachers meet-4:30p
- Apr 30– Prime-timers– 10a– annex
- Apr 27-May 1– Gospel Meeting at Elm Grove church w/ Foy Anderson (Piketon, OH)
- Jul 22-26– Vacation Bible School
- Aug 16-22– Polishing the Pulpit, Sevierville
- Sep 13-15– Our Seminar with Eric Lyons
“Is the Bible Reliable?”

Condolences

Our deepest sympathy to Betty Deskins and her family at the loss of her sister, Betty Goodman, on April 7th. Keep Betty & family in your prayers.

Second Sunday Bible Study

Please, meet at Morning Pointe Assisted Care facility on Addington Drive in Russell today at 2pm to have Bible study and singing with Fred & Genevieve Obroff & their friends.

Gospel Meeting– Phil Sanders

Please, invite your friends, family and co-workers to our weekday 10:00am Bible studies and Gospel Meeting today at 6:00pm and Monday through Wednesday at 7:00pm. Thank you.

April Ladies Luncheon

The April ladies luncheon is open to every lady at 12:30pm on Friday, April 26th at Wild Horses close to Slim Chickens in Ashland.

Prime-timers Group

This is an open discussion Bible study group meeting Tuesdays at 10:00am in the annex large classroom. Mark Day leads the group. Everyone high school age and above is welcome to attend.

Gauging Our Faith

	04/07/19	Goal	04/08/18
Bible Study	97	110	94
AM Worship	142	160	146
PM Worship	79	110	78
Mid Week	nc	110	nc
Contribution:	\$5165.23	\$6200.00	\$6913.80

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



☞ Today's Servants ☞

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Jerry Sturgill

SONG LEADER:

AM: Brad Morris

PM: Steve Wallace

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: Mark Parks

PM: Nathan Adkins

LORD'S TABLE:

Presiding AM: Daniel Goshorn

Assisting: John Gambill,
Dan Stone, Nathan Adkins,
Ernie Perry, Mark Gullett,
David Castle, Mitch Stafford

Presiding PM: Chris Scott

Assisting: Greg Conley

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: David Smith

PM: Nathan Parks

☞ Wednesday Servants ☞

WELCOME: Gospel Meeting

SONG LEADER: Gospel Meeting

PRAYER: Gospel Meeting

DEVOTIONAL: Gospel Meeting

☞ Weekly Servants ☞

POWER POINT: Matt Vonderheide

BLDG. ATTENDANT: Mark Parks

ATTENDANCE: David Castle

COORDINATOR: J.C. Hughes

★★★ Youth Notes ★★★

★★★ Every Sunday ★★★

Pew Packers

at 5:45 pm

in front auditorium

geared to age 12 & under,

but everyone can come

-Boys: have a song to lead-

★★★ Today ★★★

Bible Study & Singing

- 2pm at Morning Pointe

Assisted Care Facility

-Bring joy to those who need it!



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. Please, put it in the collection plate or hand it to one of the men at the 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.