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SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study 9:45am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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MISSIONS

-Dustin Bolks
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-Michael Mayo
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Sundays 7:30 am (on Fox)

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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!

More Wisdom from Proverbs

From my last bulletin article, we examined a few of my favorite proverbs; this time around I would like to examine some Proverbs that can be difficult to swallow. These are not difficult to understand, but they are hard to accept and apply to our lives. Will you grow in knowledge by listening to what wisdom has to offer?

A wise person is willing to take criticism and not take offense to it (Prov. 9:8). Have you ever met that person who goes into a defensive rage when corrected or criticized (Prov. 29:11)? Those who get angry at correction fit into the category of the scoffer or wicked man (Prov. 9:7). Yet, someone who is wise does not abuse or hate the person who gives them criticism. Instead the wise view correction as an opportunity to grow even more in wisdom (Prov. 9:9). Is there ever a point where we have perfected what we do in this life? David, a great and powerful king, was open to being rebuked by a righteous person (Ps. 141:5). Wise people openly accept criticism and if the correction is justified, they listen to the advice! If the criticism is not justified, thank the person for their advice and move on! There is a reason wisdom and humility go hand-in-hand. Those who despise criticism are prideful, not thinking they are in need of any correction. What happens to the prideful person (Prov. 16:18)? “Better to be of a humble spirit with the lowly, than to divide the spoil with the proud” (Prov. 16:19).

Have you ever been tempted by a get-rich-quick scheme? It almost seems like the majority of people in this world want to be incredibly wealthy, but do not want to work for it. Do you think that this only applies to our time? In ancient times people wanted to cheat the system to become wealthy by dishonest means too (Prov. 13:11)! Though people may obtain wealth through wickedness, it will not last. Either they will lose their dishonest gain in this life or when they die. There is a reason why you do not see U-Haul trailers attached to the back of a hearse, you cannot take things with you (1 Tim. 6:7)! One of my favorite board games growing up was “Life”. How do you win this board game? Once you make it to retirement, you count up all your money, and the one who has the greatest wealth wins. Is this how you win at real life? Another Proverb says, “Better is a little with righteousness than vast revenues without justice” (Prov. 16:8). It is better to work hard, have little, and be right with God. Jesus said, “For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his soul?” (Mk. 8:36). Instead of worrying about wealth, worry about your eternal soul.

One does not obtain wisdom through genetics or purchase, but it is gained only through learning and experience. Will you take these proverbs to heart, not only hear the words, but apply them to the way you live? God desires all righteous people to live by these wise sayings. God’s wisdom is far superior to that of men. Will you not follow His wisdom and obey (1 Cor. 1:18-25)? -Brandon Foresha

News & Notes



Sermons Today

10:45 AM: Mark Day- God the Father
6:00 PM: Jerry Sturgill- The Importance of "Immediately"

Save the Date

On Saturday, July 18th, there will be a baby shower for Olivia Cox in the annex auditorium (for social distancing purposes), at 12 noon. You must RSVP to 606-831-4774. Also, for those who want, there will be a drive-by shower from 11 to noon Saturday. Or you may drop your gift in the main foyer between 9am & 2pm on Friday. Registries are at Amazon, Target and Walmart.

Dates to Remember

Jul 18- Cox Baby Shower- drive by shower at 11am and annex auditorium 12p (RSVP)

Jul 27-31- our VBS- canceled

Sep 13-16- Gospel Meeting w/ Roger Rush

Lawn Maintenance —Team of the Week—

The lawn team assigned to complete their task by June 27th is Jeremiah Smith, Nathan Parks, Don Ross, Mark Parks & George Wallace

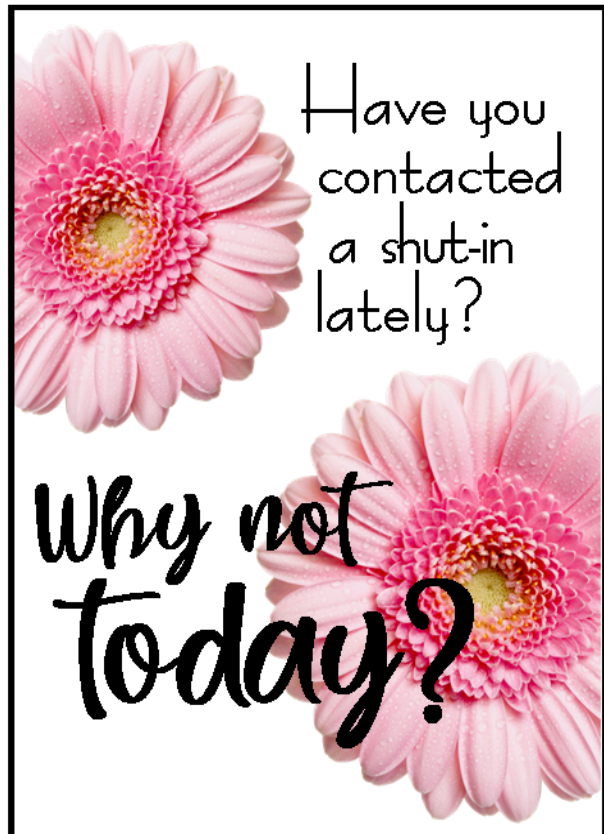
Gauging Our Faith

	06/14/20	Goal	06/16/19
Bible Study	ns	110	nc
AM Worship	120	160	nc
PM Worship	49	110	78
Mid Week	ns	110	86
Contribution:	\$5517.12	\$6000.00	\$4978.11

Notes From The Elders

Regarding Worship Services: We will continue worship services at the building on Sunday a.m. & p.m. with Sunday & Wednesday auditorium Bible Classes being streamed through the month of June, while evaluating when we should resume regular Bible classes. The easing of restrictions will also be evaluated during this period.

Regarding VBS: A decision has been made to cancel VBS for 2020 at Flatwoods. The elders have deliberated for the last several weeks regarding this decision, but concluded that, with uncertainties that still remain regarding COVID 19, cancellation is in the best interest of the congregation. We will look forward to VBS in 2021!



☞ Today's Servants ☞

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Chris Scott

SONG LEADER:

AM: Steve Wallace

PM: Ranie Wohnhas

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: J.C. Hughes

PM: Nathan Parks

LORD'S TABLE*:

Presiding AM: Mark Parks

Assisting:

*gluten-free bread

Presiding PM: Greg Conley

Assisting:

Assisting Back:

Assisting Back:

PM Scripture Reader:

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: David Smith

PM: Mason Morris

☞ Wednesday Servants ☞

WELCOME: *on-line broadcast*

SONG LEADER: *on-line broadcast*

PRAYER: *on-line broadcast*

DEVOTIONAL: *on-line broadcast*

☞ Weekly Servants ☞

POWER POINT: Matt Vonderheide

BLDG. ATTENDANT: Brad Morris

COORDINATOR: David Smith

★★★ Youth Notes ★★★

**VBS, July 27th-31st,
is canceled.**

due to the need for
corona virus precautions.



...Rebuke a
wise man, and he
will love you.
Give
instruction
to a wise man,
and he will be still
wiser;
Teach a just man,
and he will
increase in learning.

Proverbs 9:8-9