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SERVICES

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

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MISSIONS

-Dustin Bolks
Sioux Center, Ia.
-Dahn Ramkelawan
Suriname, So. America
-Michael Mayo
Thailand, SE Asia
-“In Search of the Lord’s
Way” TV broadcast
-Rod Goddard
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SEARCH TV

Sundays 7:30 am (on Fox)

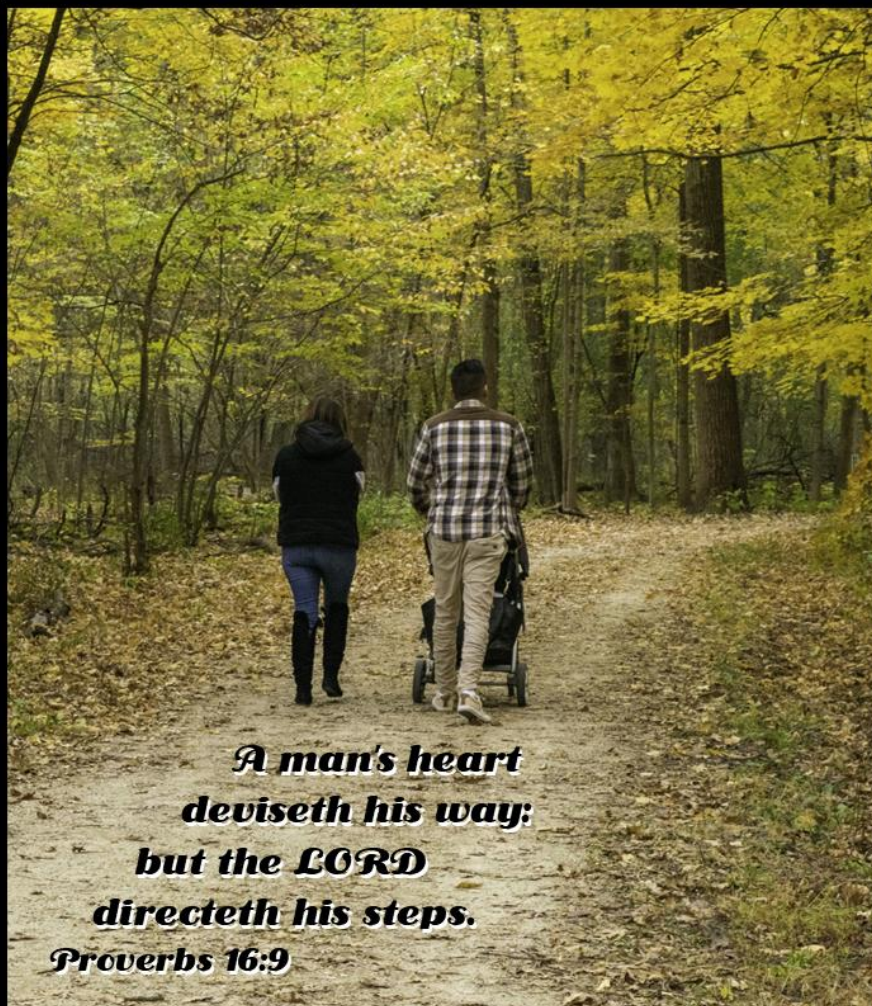
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***A man's heart
deviseth his way:
but the LORD
directeth his steps.
Proverbs 16:9***

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!

God On His Throne

A person once said, "These are the times that try men's souls." One today reading those words would think that the reference was made regarding 2020 and not referring to America's struggle for independence from England written in 1776. Indeed, it is trying times we are living in. Living in a time of Coronavirus, riots, stock market fluctuations, employment uncertainty or for some unemployment, etc., our Presidential election is currently underway due to Coronavirus and "Election Day" will be this Tuesday. In regard to the U.S. President, "there can be only one." That means there will be some disappointed and others jubilant of the results when (or whenever) the winner is determined. As New Testament Christians we should be concerned with who our government leaders are. However, as New Testament Christians when facing the things previously mentioned or facing the "normal" trials of life (whatever that means now), we must remember God is on His Throne, He is in control, and He is still God.

We must remember God is on His Throne in Times of Joy. Exodus Chapter 14 records the Israelites crossing the Red Sea after leaving Egyptian bondage. The Red Sea was divided by the Lord allowing Israel to cross. Pharaoh's soldiers pursued after Israel but were drown in the sea after the Lord "overthrew the Egyptians in the midst of the sea" Exodus 14:27. Exodus Chapter 15 is the Song of Moses after the Lord and Israel's victory. As expressed in verse 18 of that chapter "The Lord shall reign for ever and ever." A time of victory, a time of celebration, a time of joy, and God is on His throne. We must remember that during times of joy and celebration, God is on His throne.

We must remember God is on His Throne in Times of Trouble. Psalm 10 expresses the writer's great distress due to the wickedness of people that resulted in bringing much sorrow and misery to the poor and oppressed of the land. As the psalmist wonders why God does not intervene in the situation, he expresses the truth "The Lord is King for ever and ever," 10:16. Jehovah is not an earthly king, He is an eternal King. Being deity God will live forever and He is on His throne just as long as He lives, forever and ever. When we see the sorrow, misery, and sadness brought to others by wicked, godless people, we must remember that God is on His throne. He is ruling now and throughout eternity.

We must remember God is on His Throne in Times of Trials and Persecution. The book of Revelation is a wonderful book worthy of our diligent study and application of those things we read and study in this book. (cf. 1:3) The book of Revelation was written to those who were suffering persecution in the first century. Revelation 4:1-2 we read, "...I heard was as it were of a trumpet talking with me, which said, Come up hither, and I will shew thee things which must be hereafter. And immediately I was in the spirit: and behold, a throne was set in heaven, and one sat on the throne." Chapter 4:8 we learn that the one sitting on the throne is God. God is letting His children know that He is not only concerned about the wellbeing of His children, but He is a God who is in control. His throne is "set" in the heavens, suggesting stability and determination. Christians from Pentecost day have suffered persecution in one form or another (2 Timothy 3:12). We must remember that in the days or years ahead, should persecutions increase against God's children, God is on His throne and He in control.

Because of the reign of God, we must obey Him, we must live for Him, and we must prepare for eternity, because some day we will stand before the King of Kings in judgment.

Jerry D. Sturgill

Revelation 17:14, "Hallelujah: for the Lord our God, the Almighty, reigneth." (ASV)

News & Notes

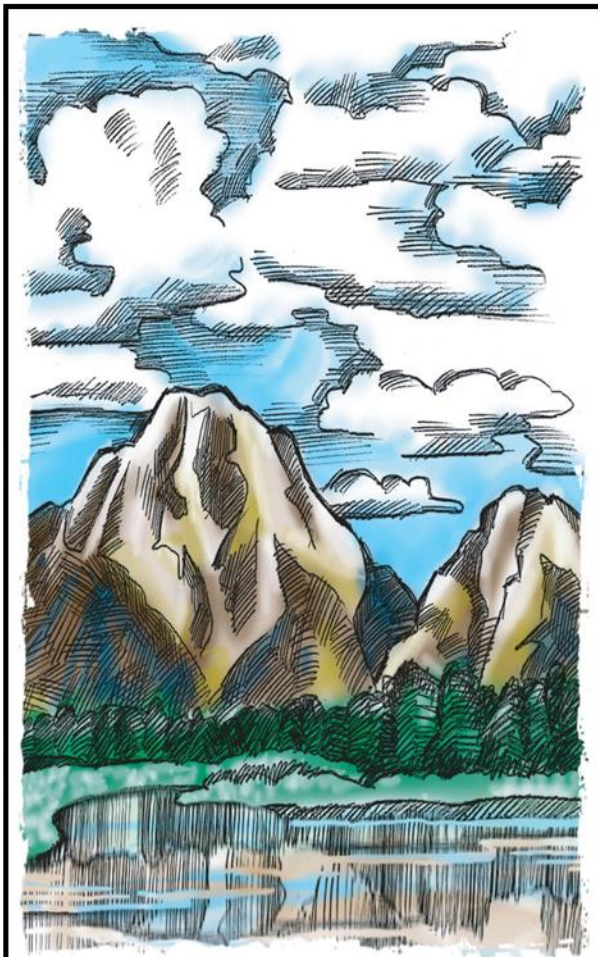


Sermons Today

10:45AM: The Relational Body of Christ

6:00PM: The Lord Directs Our Steps

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 16:9



"Be still, and know
that I am God"

Psalms 46:10

Notes From The Elders

Social distancing and wearing of masks will continue to be observed.

Dates to Remember

Nov 15- elders/deacons/preachers meet—
4:30p

Nov 29- 5th Sunday Preachers Q&A— 6p

Dec 20- elders/deacons/preachers meet—
4:30p

Dec 30- Singing night— 7p

Gauging Our Faith

| | 10/25/20 | Goal | 10/27/19 |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Bible Study | 60 | 110 | 117 |
| AM Worship | 98 | 160 | 155 |
| PM Worship | 63 | 110 | 94 |
| Mid Week | 51 | 110 | 99 |
| Contribution: | \$4628.15 | \$6000.00 | \$5588.26 |



☞ Today's Servants ☛

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Greg Conley

SONG LEADER:

AM: Brad Morris

PM: Brandon Foresha

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: Nathan Adkins

PM: Ranie Wohnhas

LORD'S TABLE*:

Presiding AM: Chris Scott

Presiding PM: Jerry Sturgill
*gluten-free bread

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: Daniel Goshorn

PM: Braydon Snell

☞ Wednesday Servants ☛

WELCOME: Chris Scott

SONG LEADER: Brad Morris

PRAYER: Brandon Foresha

DEVOTION: Jerry Sturgill

☞ Weekly Servants ☛

POWER POINT: Matt Vonderheide

BLDG. ATTENDANT: Nathan Adkins

COORDINATOR: Daniel Goshorn

ATTENDANCE: John Gambill

*** Youth Notes ***



**Keep
Watching!!**



*When a
man's ways
please the LORD,
he maketh even
his enemies to
be at peace
with him.*

Proverbs 16:7