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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

-Jerry Sturgill
Tri-state area
-Daniel Goshom
Peru, SA
-Dustin Bolks
Sioux Center, Ia.
-Dahn Ramkelawan
Suriname, SA
-Michael Mayo
Thailand, SE Asia
-Herman Joseph
Guyana, SA
-Mohamed Ally
Guyana, SA
-D.J. Hatfield
WVSOP support
-*"In Search of the Lord's
Way"* TV broadcast

SEARCH TV

Sundays 7:30 am (on Fox)

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Our 2023 Lads to Leaders award winners:

Song Leading:

Jackson Morris 1st place
Mason Morris 1st place
Jesse Legg 3rd place
Noah Day 3rd place

Debate:

Grace Parks 3rd Place

Bible bowl team: 3rd place

Jackson Morris, Tanner Adkins, Jesse Legg, Luke Wallace

Bible Bowl test: individual top scorers:

Luke Wallace, Tanner Adkins

Speech:

Silas Legg 2nd place
Jackson Morris 3rd place

Pearls test: top scorers:

Luke Wallace, Tanner Adkins, Noah Day, Jesse Legg,
Silas Legg, Clara Morckel, Jackson Morris, Mason Morris,
Grace Parks, Lily Parks, Braydon Snell

Many other adults and students received awards for year-round achievements, but limited space prohibits listing everyone that will be acknowledged at the Potluck next Sunday.

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 Named Them Man

Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." So God created man in His *own* image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over every living thing that moves on the earth." (Genesis 1:26-28.)

God made man in His image. Both male and female bear God's image. Genesis 2 provides more dimensions to the creation account of Genesis 1. Before the creation of woman, the text says: "But for Adam there was not found a helper comparable to him" (Gen. 2:20). God then created woman for man as a helper. She is called woman, because she was taken out of man (Gen. 2:23). Man was not created for woman: "For man is not from woman, but woman from man" (1 Cor. 11:8). The Hebrew word for man is "adam." Genesis 5:2 says, "Male and female created he them; and blessed them, and called their name Adam, in the day when they were created." Why would God use the name of only one sex as a generic term for both? Why didn't God use a neutral term such as "persons" to describe them? Why call them "man"? Perhaps this speaks to male headship.

Contemporary thinking balks at this concept. "Men," "male," and "masculine" are often used as disparaging words by certain segments of our culture. Some have sought to eradicate terms which use the masculine form to describe any person, of either sex, that is involved in an activity, profession, etc.; however, the word of God goes against the grain of today's sensitivities. The Bible teaches male headship/leadership in the home and in the church (1 Cor. 11:3; 14:34, 35; 1 Tim. 2:8-13; 3:1-8; Eph. 5:23-33; Titus 2:4-5; 1 Peter 3:1-7). God has called men to lead, and women to help.

The Bible teaches against male domination over women. The verses just mentioned show that men are not to assert themselves over a woman's will, nor disregard her value. Men are to be considerate; husbands are to love their wives as Christ loved the church, instead of being bitter towards them (Eph. 5:25; Col. 3:19).

Men and women are spiritually equal in that they both bear God's image with eternal souls to be saved (Gen. 1:27; Gal. 3:28). But this does not mean that males and females are the same. God's intention is not to level out all distinctions between the two. Marriage is not a human custom, but rather a divinely created institution for all ages and cultures. Different roles exist in this partnership that glorifies God. While men and women are to love each other, they are not to love each other in the same way (Eph. 5:33). Men are to accept the primary responsibility of leading the home and the church to glorify God. Women are to help and support men in the effort.

-Mark Day

News & Notes

**Scripture Reading:
Deuteronomy 1:29-32**

- 29- Then I said unto you, Dread not, neither be afraid of them.
 30- The LORD your God which goeth before you, he shall fight for you, according to all that he did for you in Egypt before your eyes;
 31- And in the wilderness, where thou hast seen how that the LORD thy God bare thee, as a man doth bear his son, in all the way that ye went, until ye came into this place.
 32- Yet in this thing ye did not believe the LORD your God,



Dates To Remember

- Apr 16**– Elders, Deacons, & Preacher meeting– annex– 4:30p
Apr 23– Potluck luncheon– annex– 12p
Apr 23-26– Gospel Meeting with Greg Dismuke
Apr 28– Ladies Luncheon– O’Charley’s -11:30a
July 22– one-day VBS– 9:30a– 2:30p
Sep 15-17– Evangelism seminar w/ Allen Webster
Oct 13-15– Gospel Meeting w/ Michael Mayo

Attendance & Contribution Goals			
	<u>04/09/23</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>04/10/22</u>
Bible Study	51	90	nc
AM Worship	113	130	125
PM Worship	58	90	88
Mid Week	70	90	73
Contribution:	\$7726.00	\$6000.00	\$7614.00

Elders, Deacons, Preacher Meeting
 This group will meet today at 4:30pm in the annex large classroom.

Quarters for Peru
 There are coin cards in the foyer beneath the tract rack to fill to help families in Peru. When your cards are filled, put them on the office desk for safe keeping by May 7th and the money will be sent to Daniel and Audrey Goshorn, our missionaries in Peru.

Thailand Student Support
 The new school year will begin in Thailand on May 16th. It is time to buy uniforms & school supplies for the next school year. If you continue to support the student you supported last year or new students for this year, please send the money as soon as you can. Michael has asked that you email him directly with the amount of support to: mayosthailand@gmail.com
 After you contact Michael please write your check to the Flatwoods Church of Christ and note in memo line ‘Thailand Student’ and if you wish to sponsor same student please note that. The church will forward the money.

There are three (3) levels of support:

- Normal-** those who live home and attend local schools. Cost is \$320-350.
Dorm- those from the mountain region who live in dorm grades 10-12 (will be 10 of them). Cost is \$575.
University- live in dorms and attend university (there will be two of them). Cost is \$600.

Invite your friends to our
Gospel Meeting
"What About God?"
 with Greg Dismuke
 Preacher for the Newport News church of Christ in Virginia
April 23rd-26th

Sunday, the 23rd
 9:45am- God, the Church, & the World
 10:45am- God & the Prodigals (Take A Look)
 6:00pm- God & the Prodigals 2

Monday, the 24th
 7:00pm- God & Preaching (Preaching That Pleases God)

Tuesday, the 25th
 7:00pm- God & Your GPS (Keep Right)

Wednesday, the 26th
 7:00pm- God & His Word (A Class of Its Own)

Morning Bible class
 Mon., Tues., Weds. 10:00am- Things God Wants Us to Know

☪ Today's Servants ☪

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Chris Scott

SONG LEADER:

AM: Jeremiah Smith

PM: Brad Morris

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: JC Hughes

PM: Matt Vonderheide

LORD'S TABLE*:

Presiding AM: Mark Parks

Assisting: George Wallace,
Nathan Adkins, Nathan Parks,
Tanner Adkins, Blake Hern,
Dan Stone, Terry Fouts

Presiding PM: Mark Parks

Assisting: John Gambill
*gluten-free bread

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: Chris Legg

PM: Jacob Brown

SCRIPTURE READING:

PM: Gabe Scott

☪ Wednesday Servants ☪

WELCOME: Greg Conley

SONG LEADER: Chris Scott

PRAYER: JC Hughes

DEVOTION: Ranie Wohnhas

☪ Weekly Servants ☪

LIVE STREAM: Jesse Legg

POWER POINT: Braydon Snell

BLDG. ATT.: JC Hughes

COORDINATOR: Nathan Parks

ATTENDANCE: John Gambill

***** Youth Notes *****

**** Sundays ****

Pew Packers

5:45pm

in front of the auditorium-
geared to age 12 & under
but everyone is welcome

Registration is open for church
camp. Codes are available on
the foyer board and in the
office for the church to pay
for your camper and one friend.



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
will find on the back of the pew. You
may put it in the collection box or give 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
also have Bible correspondence courses
you can sign up to 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.

We hope to see you often.