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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 Goshorn
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-Dustin Bolks
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-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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Jesus Christ:

KING OF KINGS

LORD OF LORDS

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!

Spreading the News of Jesus

The early church grew because they kept on teaching and preaching the message of Jesus Christ despite opposition (Acts 5:42). When Peter and John were told not to teach at all in the name of Jesus, they said they could not stop speaking about what they had seen and heard as witnesses of the resurrected Lord (Acts 4:18-20). Saul spearheaded a persecution effort against the church in Jerusalem by dragging people to prison (Acts 8:3), but those who were scattered went everywhere preaching the word (Acts 8:4). Multitudes were added by the Lord to His church because they heard the message of the gospel and believed (Acts 2:41, 47; 4:4; 5:14). As the word of God spread, the number of disciples multiplied greatly; moreover, even many of the priests were obedient to the faith (Acts 6:7). The gospel message must be heard before any will believe and obey it (Rom. 10:17). The opponents of the church in Jerusalem noted that the early church had filled Jerusalem with the doctrine of Christ (Acts 5:28).

As we come to our gospel meeting this week, let us have the same determination: to fill Flatwoods and the surrounding areas with the doctrine of Christ. Perhaps you can be like Cornelius who called together his relatives and close friends to hear the gospel (Acts 10:24). Perhaps you could be like Andrew who brought his brother to the Lord (Jn. 1:40-42). If someone is skeptical, maybe you could be like Philip who simply said to Nathanael "Come and see" (Jn. 1:46).

The sad reality is not everyone will obey the gospel (Mt. 7:13-14; Rom. 10:16), but we must work to give them an opportunity. The sower scatters the seed even though some lands on the wayside soil (Lk. 8:5). The seed is the word of God (Lk. 8:11). If no seed is sown, then no one will receive the word that is able to save their souls (James 1:21). Jesus came to seek and save the lost (Lk. 19:10). While Jesus accomplished essential tasks to bring salvation that are not required of us (such as dying on the cross), He also went about preaching the gospel of the kingdom (Mt. 4:23; 9:35). This is an essential part to the lost being saved in which He has called us to participate by spreading the soul-saving message (Mt. 28:18-20; Mk. 16:15-16; Lk. 24:47).

This week will be a great opportunity to do that as we explore lessons which powerfully demonstrate how Jesus is Lord. His fulfillment of scripture and His resurrection from the dead prove He is indeed the Son of God, the promised Messiah (Pss. 16:10; 110:1; Isa. 53:3-8). One can clearly see this if guided by a capable teacher (Acts 8:30-36). Only through Jesus can one enter heaven (Jn. 14:1-6). Without Him, people die in their sins (Jn. 8:24; Rom. 3:9-12, 23; 6:23). The gospel of Christ will be preached this week. Through this message, God will save those who believe (1 Cor. 1:21). However, flaming fire awaits those who do not obey the gospel (2 Thess. 1:8). Eternal souls hang in the balance. Let us spread the saving news far and wide.

-Mark Day

News & Notes



Today's Sermons

AM: Jesus Is Lord

PM: It Is Written

Gospel Meeting with Phil

Sanders

Our gospel meeting with Brother Phil Sanders from "In Search of the Lord's Way" begins today and will last through Wednesday, April 17th. Sunday services will be at our regularly scheduled times and all other evening services will begin at 7pm. There will also be morning classes Monday through Wednesday beginning at 10am. Invite your friends. We hope to see you there!

Potluck Today

We will be having a potluck luncheon today after morning services in the annex. At this luncheon we will be honoring all of our Lads 2 Leaders participants. All are welcome to attend!

Elders, Deacons, Preachers

Meeting

Next Sunday is our monthly elders/deacons/preachers meeting at 4:30pm in the large annex classroom.

Dates to Remember

April 14-17-Gospel meeting with Phil Sanders

April 21-Elders, deacons, preachers meeting 4:30pm annex

April 26-Ladies' lunch at 11:30am-location TBD

May 19-Grad Honor Night to be held in the annex after evening services

June 2-Graduation party for Allison Brown at 1pm in the annex. All are invited!



Attendance & Contribution Goals

	<u>4/7/24</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>4/9/23</u>
Bible Study	68	90	51
AM Worship	113	130	113
PM Worship	65	90	58
Mid Week	76	90	70
Contribution:	\$7,356.45		\$7,726.00

☞ Today's Servants ☜

WELCOME:

AM/PM: Greg Hall

SONG LEADER:

AM: Brad Morris

PM: Mark Day

FIRST PRAYER:

AM: Mark Parks

PM: Chris Scott

LORD'S TABLE*:

Presiding AM: Greg Conley

Assisting: George Wallace,
David Morckel, Nathan Parks,
Ernie Perry, Jesse Legg,
Gabe Scott, Terry Fouts

Presiding PM: Nathan Adkins

Assisting: Greg Hall
*gluten-free bread

CLOSING PRAYER:

AM: Jordan Conley

PM: Gabe Scott

SCRIPTURE READING:

PM: Mason Morris

☞ Wednesday Servants ☜

WELCOME: Mark Parks

SONG LEADER: Mark Day

PRAYER: Visitor

DEVOTION: Gospel Meeting

☞ Weekly Servants ☜

LIVE STREAM: Mason Morris

POWER POINT: Jason Fouts

BLDG. ATT.: Greg Conley

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.**



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 plate 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.