

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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Michael Mayo
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Herman Joseph
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Mohamed Ally
Guyana, SA
“In Search of the Lord’s
Way”
TV broadcast
Search TV
Sundays 7:30am (on Fox)

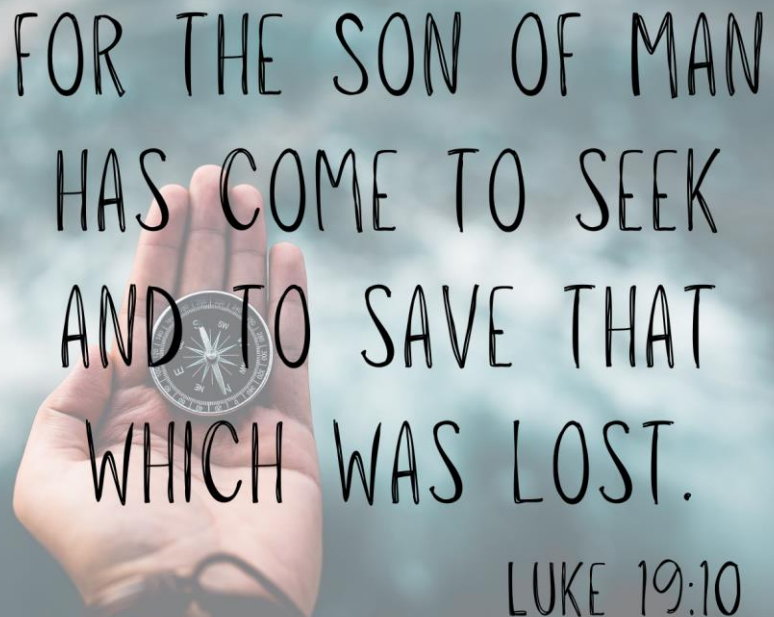
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FOR THE SON OF MAN
HAS COME TO SEEK
AND TO SAVE THAT
WHICH WAS LOST.
LUKE 19:10

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.

There are free tracts and literature on the wall in the foyer. We also have Bible correspondence courses you can sign up to receive by mail at no cost to you. Let us know if you would like to set up an in-home Bible study.

Thank you for attending. We hope to see you often!

Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

One of the fundamental things a person needs to know in teaching others comes in answering the question that an old hymn asked long ago: "Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?" This is a question that lies at the heart of the Christian faith. Why would Jesus leave the glory of heaven to live as a man, suffer, and die on a cross? The Bible gives us clear answers, revealing the depth of God's love and His plan for our salvation.

Jesus Himself stated His mission: "For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost." (Luke 19:10) Without Christ, mankind was spiritually lost, separated from God by sin (Isaiah 59:2). No amount of good works could remove our sin, but through Jesus' sacrifice, we can be reconciled to God (2 Corinthians 5:18-19).

Jesus came to show us how to live a life pleasing to God. He left us a perfect example of humility, service, and obedience: "For to this you were called, because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that you should follow His steps." (1 Peter 2:21) Through His life, Jesus taught us to love others (John 13:34-35), to pray (Luke 5:16), and to serve with humility (Mark 10:45).

Ultimately, Jesus came to give His life as a sacrifice. His death was not an accident but the fulfillment of God's plan: "For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many." (Mark 10:45) Through His death, He paid the price for our sins, offering salvation to all who obey Him (Hebrews 5:9). His resurrection proved His victory over sin and death, giving us the hope of eternal life (1 Corinthians 15:20-22).

Why did our Savior come to earth? He came to seek and save the lost, to give us an example, and ultimately, to die for our sins. His mission was not for His own benefit but for ours. Now, how will we respond to His love and sacrifice? Will we accept His gift of salvation by hearing His Word (Romans 10:17), believing (Mark 16:16), repenting (Acts 2:38), confessing Him (Romans 10:9-10), being baptized (Acts 22:16), and living faithfully (Revelation 2:10)?

Jesus came so that we might have life, let us choose to follow Him and share the message far and wide.

God Bless
- Todd Parsley

Today's Lessons

AM: David Trimble

PM: David Trimble

Notes

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Attendance & Contribution			
	5/18/25	Goal	5/19/24
Bible Study	79	90	72
AM Worship	124	130	118
PM Worship	59	90	87
Mid Week	66	90	49
Contribution	\$6,531.00		\$6,184.42

Free Bible Correspondence Courses

Available by Mail:

8 lesson series by Hurt

“Studies in The Bible” (30 lessons)

“Acts of The Apostles” by Pharr (6 lessons)

“Getting to Know Jesus” by Pharr (20 lessons)

Sunday Servants

Welcome: Greg Hall

Morning

Song Leader: Brad Morris

First Prayer: Nathan Adkins

Closing Prayer: Cody Ward

Lord's Table*

Presiding: Nathan Parks

Assisting: Terry Fouts, George Wallace, Mason Morris, Jacob Brown, Mark Gullett, Jason Fouts, David Morckel

Evening

Song Leader: Nathan Adkins

First Prayer: Jordan Conley

Lord's Table*

Presiding: Mark Parks

Assisting: Jeremiah Smith

Closing Prayer: Gabe Scott

Scripture Reading: John Gambill

Wednesday Servants

Welcome: Mark Parks

Song Leader: Jeremiah Smith

Prayer: Greg Conley

Devotional: Brad Morris

Weekly Servants

Live Stream: Jason Fouts

Power Point: Jacob Brown

Bldg. Att.: Jeremiah Smith

Coordinator: John Gambill

Attendance: John Gambill

***Gluten-Free Bread**

Dates to Remember

May 30 - Ladies' Lunch at IHOP 11:30am

May 31 - Men's Prayer Breakfast 8:30am

June 1 - Family Gathering at 4pm

June 1 - Graduate Honor Night

June 7 - Wedding Shower for Alex & Niecy Wells at 1pm - see bulletin board for details

June 14 - Arts and Eats Festival 3pm-8pm

June 15 - Elders, Deacons, Preachers Meeting at 4:30pm

June 27 - Ladies' Lunch at 11:30am

June 28 - Men's Prayer Breakfast at 8:30am

VBS MEETING TODAY!

We need your help to make VBS happen! If you can help in ANY way, please meet at the front of the auditorium after morning services.

VBS

Youth Notes

West Virginia Christian Youth Camp

WHERE THE TRUTH AND YOUTH COME TOGETHER

Senior Week (ages 14 - 19): June 29 - July 4

Intermediate Week (ages 11 - 14): July 6 - 11

Junior Week (ages 7 - 11): July 13 - 18

All-Age Week (ages 8 - 18): July 20 - 25

Singing Emphasis Week (ages 12 - 21): July 27 - August 1

REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

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