

## GOD'S PLAN FOR SAVING MAN

God's Grace - Ephesians 2:8  
God's Love and Mercy - Ephesians 2:4  
Christ's Blood Shed - Romans 5:9-11  
The Gospel - Romans 1:16  
Sinner's Faith - Acts 16:31; Mark 16:15-16  
Sinner's Repentance - Luke 13:3  
Sinner's Confession - Romans 10:10  
Sinner's Baptism - 1 Peter 3:21; Acts 2:38  
Christian's Hope - Romans 8:24-25  
Christian's Faithfulness and Endurance - Revelation 2:10; 1 John 1:7-10

**HORSE CAVE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
120 Cave Street  
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## LORD'S DAY ASSIGNMENTS

for today - March 7

### READ SCRIPTURE:

Willie Cyphers

### ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Bryan Denison

### OFFICIATE:

Phillip Carter

### SERVE COMMUNION:

Phillip Perkins      Maylon Schuler  
Mark Hatcher        Sydney Bunnell

### PREACH:

a.m. - Wayne Hatcher  
p.m. - Wayne Hatcher

### LEAD SINGING:

a. m. - BA Fudge  
p. m. - Scott Huff

### CREATION vs EVOLUTION:

On March 19-21, the Tompkinsville Church of Christ is hosting a special series of lessons: "Creation vs. Evolution" with Brad Harrub, Ph. D., a Christian brother and co-founder of Focus Press of Brentwood, TN. They publish a lot of great material dealing with Creation and Christian Evidences.

### EAST TN SCHOOL OF PREACHING LECTURESHIP - March 7-10

Theme: "Ancient Faith - Modern World"

### YOUR HELP NEEDED:

We announced Wed. night that Eugene & Connie will be going to Nicaragua on a mission trip. They are asking that if you have any discarded prescription glasses that you would like to donate, please bring them in so they may be put to good use on this mission trip.



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120 Cave Street  
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**TIME OF SERVICES:** **Sunday:** Bible Study 10 AM;  
Worship 11 AM & 6 PM **Wednesday:** Bible Study 7 PM

**CHURCH WEB PAGE:** [www.horsecavecoc.com](http://www.horsecavecoc.com)

We gladly welcome you to our congregation, trusting that - if you are *seeking Christ* you will find Him here, if *sorrowing* you will receive comfort and strength here, if *troubled in spirit* you will gain the blessing of peace here, if *discouraged* you will rejoice in encouragement and hope here, if *friendless* you will find companionship and Christian love here. That these and other blessings may be yours is our prayer.

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## **Satan Has Desired to Have You** by Jon W. Quinn

Reading in Luke 22:31-32, we find Jesus issuing a serious warning to Peter. In just a few short hours Satan was going to try Peter with all of his skill. But despite these conflicts shortly to take place, Peter was not much concerned - he was a tower of strength and had everything under control. He insisted to Jesus, "Though I should die with Thee, I will not deny Thee." (Matthew 26:33). Peter intended on staying with Jesus to the very end. He was not overstating his intentions either - he meant every word - in just a few short hours he would draw his sword against overwhelming odds to defend Jesus and Jesus would tell him to put his sword away. That was not what His mission was all about.

You see, Peter was ready to fight bravely for Jesus on the physical side - but he was also about to lose a spiritual struggle. Later that evening, he would deny that he even knew who Jesus was. Like many today, he was willing to scrap and fight to protect what was his. Brave men and women have fought for our rights and freedoms, but having won them, many fail to exercise them. We are free to worship God, but many seldom worship, and some do not worship at all. Its not that a law should be passed to force worship of God, because people cannot be forced to worship in truth and spirit. Such activity involves the whole heart. Many are ready to fight against flesh and blood, but unprepared to meet Satan on the battlefield of the heart and mind.

Peter lost the battle that dark night, but repented and came back to win the war, securing his place in eternity with the Lord. When all is said and done, we can do no better than that.

## PERSONAL NEWS & NOTES...

### **REMEMBER IN PRAYER:**

James Horton; Linda Forbes; Parker Bybee; Dennis Hatcher; Joe & Maxine Turner; Bill McElwain (Betty Brunt's brother); William E. Estes; Darrell Isenberg (Wayne & Dennis' cousin); Frankie Walters; Buddy Logsdon; George Bush; Gary Hogan; Tyler Lowe; Marianna Meadows; Ruby McCain; Gene Corder; the relief efforts in Haiti; Andrew Koshiol (Betty Brunt's grandson); our Jennifer Hatcher plans to undergo tests this month; Braxton & Braden Banks, Phillip Perkins all had the flu Wed. night; support and prayers for our troops

### **FRIENDS FROM OUR COMMUNITY:**

The family of Lynn Breene; Jim Reed; Leslie Witty; John Branstetter; Diane King; Hilda Wolff; James Minor

### **SHUT-INS AT HOME:**

Alma Reynolds Sally Marshall

### **HART COUNTY HEALTH CARE:**

Hallie Davidson Mary Edwards Helen Stanley Berdine Hogan Alma Stilts

### **HIGHLAND RIDGE ASSISTED LIVING:**

Ford Smith

### **NHC HEALTHCARE** in Glasgow:

Robert Allen Edwards

### **MISSION WORKS WE SUPPORT:**

Al Horne in South Africa  
Mike Brooks in Bangladesh/Nepal  
Patinya Thitathan in Thailand  
Sammy Flanary – work in Europe  
Danny McCain - Green Co. KY  
Mid-South Bible Institute in Glasgow, KY  
Jerry Carmichael — Grant Co. KY  
Dhan Ramkelawan – Suriname, South America  
International Gospel Hour – Fayetteville, TN  
Gospel Broadcasting Network – Dalton, GA  
HTH/HTH ministry here in Horse Cave

Local Radio programs over WLOC-1150 AM  
Darrell Wallace Southeast Satellite Schools

### **OUR GOSPEL MEETING:**

We have confirmed a new date for our next Gospel Meeting. Phil Sanders plans to be here Oct. 31 – Nov. 3, 2010 instead of May. As I indicated last week, he had written the wrong year in his calendar. We are very pleased that we were able to work out another date with him.

### **ELDERS & DEACONS MEETING:**

This afternoon at 4:00

### **LADIES INSPIRATION DAY:**

March 13 at E-town Church of Christ with Mary Greene. See Bulletin Board.

### **WEDDING INVITATION:**

Mr. and Mrs. Larry P. Roedel request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter

**Kara Ashton**

to

**Charles Matthew Forbes**

son of David Forbes and Lori Wilson

Saturday, the twenty-seventh of March 2010

at two-thirty o'clock

South Green St. Church of Christ  
306 South Green St. Glasgow, KY

Cake and punch reception immediately following ceremony

### **TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ:**

This is the opening statement of what OT book – *"Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly..."* ?

The answer to last week's question was:  
Romans

## TODAY Matt. 6:34

by Jay Taylor

The word "today" should be an important word to the child of God. Yesterday becomes part of the past with every sunset and tomorrow is not a guarantee. Yet, many believers consume hours dwelling on the past or worrying about the future. Their focus should be on "today."

During the great mountain sermon, Jesus concluded His teaching about worry by saying, *"therefore do not worry about tomorrow..."* (Matthew 6:34). James adds that it is boastful and arrogant to assume the existence of unborn tomorrows. He then reminds us that we *"do not know what will happen tomorrow"* (James 4:14-16). We quickly see that today is the most important day of our lives. All of our focus and energy should be directed to the present day. We need to live our lives in such a manner that realizes that eternity could begin today! Eternity could begin today. What should I be today? What should my life consist of? What should I do with my time today?

Today, I will live with an awareness of God. How long has it been? Hours? Days? Weeks? When was the last time you thought about God? Today, I do not want to just have a passing thought of Him. I want to live in such a way that I am aware of Him at all times. The godly person acknowledges God in all that he does. He sees God in creation. He speaks to God through prayer. He reads God's word. He loves God. He recognizes God as the source of every good and perfect gift. God comes first in all his/her thoughts and actions.

Today, I will be pure in heart. We are surrounded by attitudes, thoughts, and actions that are not pure. The child of God must flee from them. Jesus said that the pure in heart will see God (Matthew 5:8). That is what we desire and live for. We want to see God and spend eternity in His presence. I must be pure in heart if that is my desire. Therefore, today, I will set nothing wicked before my eyes (Ps. 101:3). Today, I will set my mind on things above (Col. 3:2). Today, I will think on those things that are true, noble, just, pure, lovely and of good report (Phil. 4:8). Today, I will resist temptation. Today, I will hate sin.

Today, I will teach someone about Jesus Christ. God has blessed me with every spiritual blessing in Christ. Today, I will bring that message of hope to others. The group of people we refer to as "others" are all around us. They are next door and down the road. We see them at the grocery store every week. They deliver our mail and pick up the trash. I want to bring others to Jesus Christ.

Today, I will pray for courage and wisdom to do that. Today, I will look forward to Christ's return. He is coming again! What a thrilling thought! We will be like Him and see Him as He is on that day when He is revealed (1 John. 3:2). Eternity [for us WH] will begin on that day. Today, I will live like Him and anticipate His return. I will be compassionate, kind, merciful, gracious, slow to anger, touched over the infirmities of others, ready to rejoice, and loving. What will you do today?

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