



A Weekly Publication of the



120 Cave Street
Horse Cave, KY 42749

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.

TIME OF SERVICES (CST):

Sunday: Bible Study 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. & 5 p.m. **Wednesday:** Bible Study 6 PM

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We Can Overcome

Claustrophobia, the fear of enclosed spaces, is one of the most well known phobias in the world. Those who deal with claustrophobia report physical symptoms such as shortness of breath, ringing in ears, and confusion when in a small, enclosed space. While only a small part of the human population deal with claustrophobia, most of us know the feeling of the metaphorical walls closing in. When a school deadline is approaching and there is still work to be done on the big paper, it may feel as though the walls are closing in. When a person is under financial stress and his car breaks down, it may feel as though the walls are closing in. For Christians, that feeling often comes as the result of temptation.

We feel this because, frankly, temptation is difficult to overcome. On the one hand, temptation is difficult because it is fun to sin! That sentence may seem surprising, but James tells us, *"But each person is tempted when he is lured and enticed by his own desire. Then desire when it has conceived gives birth to sin, and sin when it is fully grown brings forth death"* (James 1:14-15). Temptation is also difficult because it is all around us. John sums up temptation this way: *"For all that is in the world—the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and the pride of life—is not from the Father but is from the world"* (1 John 2:16). From social media, to television, to the actions of people around us, we encounter temptation daily. Temptation is difficult to overcome!

Scripture teaches us, however, that Christians do not have to suffer from spiritual claustrophobia. John teaches us that we can overcome the world. As difficult as it may seem to overcome the "world" (John's word to describe temptation in 1 John 2:16), it is possible through our faith in Jesus. John says, *"For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith"* (1 John 5:4).

Our faith in Jesus means that we believe he is our Savior, we submit ourselves to him in obedience, and we daily trust in him for the strength to overcome. Hebrews 12:1-2 says, *"...let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith..."* Faith in Jesus brings us the victory to overcome the world! God loves you, and so do I.

- Jared Green Calvert City Church of Christ Calvert City, KY



NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Becky Hatcher undergoing dialysis 3X times a week; Doris Wallace is taking therapy; Sydney Bunnell; Billy Bybee; Mary Whittington; Joey Palmore recuperating at home from surgery; Mark Hatcher; Becky Bush recovering at home after back surgery; Tony Bush; Connie Campbell; Mike Thompson; Joyce Dye had 4 more skin cancers removed; Sonny Dye has been having back issues; Dixie Napier's son Randy; Helen Edwards in Bowling Green; Don Waddell; Carl Thomas; Steve Seaton; Willadean Jones (Becky's aunt) recovering from broken hip; Terry and Debbie Bunnell; Mary Hatcher; Parker Bybee; Brenda Brooks recovering at home from surgery to remove cancer. Her address is on the bulletin board. Jerry Cherry friend in our community

BARREN COUNTY HEALTH & REHAB

Brenda Jaggars Room #47

NHC in Glasgow

Randal Lockett (Doris Wallace's brother-in-law)

PRAY FOR MISSION EFFORTS WE SUPPORT

Nepal and Bangladesh - Michael Brooks

World English Institute (WEI) Darrell Wallace

Manna Project

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS 10 a.m.

We are studying the *Gospel of John*. Dennis Hogan is serving as the teacher.

PREACHING TODAY

11 am Dennis Hogan *Are You Ruled by Jesus?*

5 pm Dennis Hogan *It's NOT About Me*

WEDNESDAY NIGHT 6:00

We continue our study of the *Parables of Jesus*. last Wed. Wayne's lesson last week was "The Marriage Feast" Matt. 22:1-14 This Wed. Darrell Wallace will be the teacher.

OUR RADIO PROGRAM

We are very pleased to sponsor "*In Search of the Lord's Way*" heard on our local radio station WLOC 101.7 FM and 1150 AM each Sunday morning from 8:30 - 9:00 with **Phil Sanders**. Please pray for this great ministry as the seed of the gospel is being sown by means of this biblical program. Phil Sanders does an excellent job!! It is produced in Edmond, OK

NOTE: If you are unable to pick up the radio signal or do not live in our area, you can log on to **wloconline.com** and then choose to listen on your computer or use the **tunein** app on you

mobile devices.

AREA GOSPEL MEETINGS

March 15-17 South Green St. Church of Christ in Glasgow "*The Parables of Jesus*" Guest Speaker: Melvin Otey

March 17-20 Elizabethtown Church of Christ with Ron Stough of Duncan, OK

March 24-27 Poplar Log Church of Christ 12220 Tompkinsville Rd. Glasgow Guest Speaker: Bill Watkins

Flyers are on our bulletin board

LADIES DAY

March 16 Poplar Log Church of Christ with Lisa Birge "*A Word Fitly Spoken...*" Prov. 25:11

March 16 Elizabethtown Church of Christ "*Finding Joy in the Journey*" with Tiffany Gaines See flyer on bulletin board

THANK YOU NOTE

Dear Brothers and Sisters at Horse Cave. I want to thank you for the kindness shown me at the passing of my brother. The door hanger you sent was so pretty and will be a reminder of your caring. I appreciate every prayer, phone call, cards, kind words or anything you did to help me at this sad time. Every kind act meant so so much.

In Christian Love, Marie

SYMPATHY

To the family of Willie Mae Hogan Miller. She was born in Cave City and graduated from Cave City High School in 1947. She a sister to our late Genie Hogan. Funeral conducted by Wayne Sat. at Bob Hunt's FH

Dennis Hogan's Podcast

<https://jesus360degrees.podbean.com/>



WEI is the good work that Darrell Wallace is involved in around the world. He is in charge of teacher training and recruitment

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