

**GOD'S PLAN FOR SAVING US**

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

**Our Response of Faith:**

Believe - Acts 16:31; Mark 16:15-16  
 Repentance – Luke 13:3  
 Confession – Romans 10:10  
 Be baptized for remission of sins –  
 Acts 2:38; I Peter 3:21  
 Be faithful, committed, walk in light –  
 Revelation 2:10; I John 1:7-10

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 perspectives, talents, and opinions at times  
 (Romans 12:3-21, 14:1-19, 15:5-7; Galatians 3:26-  
 29, 5:13-6:2; Ephesians 4:1-6, 29-32).

It is learning, loving, living, and exhibiting  
 this type of Christian love, unity, family, and  
 acceptance – so distinct and opposite from the  
 world around us – that sets us apart; both from  
 the terrifying madness, as well as the eternal  
 destination, of those engulfed in and swept  
 away by such evils and atrocities. Now, aren't  
 we glad to be Christians?

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**The Authority of Christ**

Many heard Him preach and could not but  
 approve of what they heard, yet they would  
 not give it any regard because it came from  
 one who cut so small a figure and had no  
 external advantages to recommend Him.  
 Many today feel that He has no right to "tell  
 them what to do."

Consider that the God  
 who made the worlds,  
 who rules the armies of heaven,  
 who hurled angels down to hell for  
 disobedience,  
 whose voice shook the earth,  
 who holds the destinies of all the nations in  
 His hand,  
 who "weighed the mountains in scales and  
 the hills in a balance . . . [and,] lifts up the  
 isles as a very little thing,"  
 said, "Hear Him!" (Matthew 17:5).

Give Him audience, regard Him, bow to Him,  
 follow Him, be guided by Him, honor and  
 obey Him.

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We gladly welcome you to our congrega-  
 tion, 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 bless-  
 ing 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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**You Are Invited To Our  
 5<sup>th</sup> Summer Series in July  
 and August**

**"My Favorite Sermon"**

- July 6 **Marty Edwards** "My Favorite Lesser Known  
 Passages of the Bible"
- July 13 **Allen Jones** "Jesus, My Lawyer"
- July 20 **Danny McCain** "Heaven, Rest for the Faithful"  
 Heb. 4:1-11
- July 27 Edd Sterchi** "What the Gospel Will Do"
- Aug 3 **Craig Waddell** "Be Sure to Eat a Balanced Diet for Your  
 Spiritual Health"
- Aug 10 **Neal Pollard** "God Eternal Plan of Salvation"
- Aug 17 **Bart Warren** "United With Him (from Romans 6)"
- Aug 24 **Robbie Fudge** "Four Reasons To Be Faithful"
- Aug 31 **John Board** "Mechanical Instrumental Music"

\*Each Wednesday evening at 6:00 CST

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## NEWS & NOTES...

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Billy Bybee recuperating from back surgery; Mike Thompson recuperating from gall bladder surgery; Becky Hatcher at home; she had severe back pain Wed. Wayne continues to be her caregiver; Doris Wallace has been suffering with sciatica pain; Sue Bunnell; Fran Mears was not well Wed.; Lori Brewer; Agnes Seaton; Mark Hatcher; Joyce Dye; Carolyn Russell recuperating from a broken arm; Lisa Schuler's sister Linda has a brain tumor; Laura Brooks at her daughters; Brenda Jagers; Becky Bush having tests; Lisa Schuler's dad Vincent Ward at home; Malon Schuler's mom Ann Schuler home under Hospice Care; Chase Burd (Marie Burd's grandson); Dixie Napier's son Randy's biopsy came back cancer, PET scan next then chemo; Brady Thompson (Mike & Vickie's grandson) took a nasty fall last Sunday and fractured his right leg; Zona Hogan (Genie & Marilyn Hogan's sister-in-law); Tom Whittington; Don Waddell taking treatments for cancer; Chad Davis treatments for colon cancer; Mary Thompson; Parker Bybee; Bobby Pedigo (thankful he was able to be here last Sunday a.m. along with grandson Conner); Helen Edwards, former member here and the sister-in-law of Janice & Billy Bybee; Frances Davidson was able to be out Wed.; Robin Wallace's brother Ronnie Smith back surgery is being rescheduled; Dane Ann Wilson Stinson has made some remarkable improvements. She is in SKY rehab in BG.

### IN THE HOSPITAL

Margie Gentry has been in TJ Samson Hospital. She is back home and loves and misses everyone. Our thoughts and prayers for this special lady and her family.

### PRAY FOR MISSIONS WE SUPPORT

Nepal and Bangladesh - Michael Brooks  
The Barnabas Journey - Ed Bass

House To House/Heart To Heart local mailing  
Manna Project

**HIGHLAND RIDGE** in Glasgow

Wanda Proffitt

**NHC in Glasgow**

Jean Turner

**BARREN COUNTY HEALTHCARE** in Glasgow

Ruth Bradford

### SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS

Today is our 8th lesson in our Summer Quarter. Today's topic: *"Your Husband Is Your Maker"* Isaiah 54:1-10; 55:1-13  
Wayne Hatcher continues to serve as teacher.

### PREACHING TODAY

Darrell Wallace will be preaching this morning at 11 am and at 5 pm

### NEXT SUNDAY

is a 5th Sunday. Robbie Fudge cannot be here but Allen Jones will be our speaker. We also plan to have a "potluck" meal after morning worship in our Annex next door. Shredded bbq, pork shoulder, chicken strips, baked beans, cooked apples bottled water and coffee will be provided. We are asking for salads, veggies, desserts, ice tea or lemonade.

### TUNE IN TO OUR RADIO PROGRAMS

on WLOC radio on Sunday mornings to hear our broadcast: on 101.7 FM or 1150 AM or from their webpage: [wloconline.com](http://wloconline.com)

8:30-8:45 a.m. **Words of Truth** - Billy Bybee

8:45-9:00 a.m. **Truth In Love** - Wayne Hatcher

### CONGRATULATIONS

Laura Brooks has a new great-grandson. Clark Levi Brooks arrived July 17, 6 lbs. 11 ozs. Proud parents are Josh & Rachel Brooks and brother "Ollie" is proud also.

### OUR SUMMER SERIES

Is underway on Wed. evenings at 6:00. Edd Sterchi will be our next speaker this Wed. Danny McCain spoke this past

Wed. on *"Heaven, Rest For the Faithful"* We are having great lessons and interest.

### TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ

Who were the four people brought outside the city of Sodom before its destruction?

Answer to our question last week:

Benjamin Genesis 35:16-20

## The World Has Gone Completely Crazy

by Doug Dingley

The world has gone completely crazy. If you don't think so, just switch on the news for a second or two. Whether it's someone who decides they don't like their doctor's prescription so they're going to shoot him and anyone else who stands in their way; someone who decides to tauntingly murder a classroom full of innocent schoolchildren; some dictator who decides to invade and level a foreign country simply for no other reason than his own personal ego; or someone who wants to remove guns from the hands of law-abiding citizens, while at the same time, seeking to make secure through law, that abortionists are able to both legally hang onto and unleash their deadly weapons of mass destruction daily (which have, by the way, taken the lives of more than 63 million innocent pre-born people over the past five decades), the world has, as I said, gone absolutely nuts.

But this is precisely what happens when you deny God's existence and remove His wisdom from the masses (Psalms 2). This is also exactly what the Apostle Paul described by divine inspiration to the first-century church of Christ (Romans 16:16)

that worked and worshipped together in Rome, saying of such: *"Their throat is an open tomb; with their tongues they have practiced deceit"; "The poison of asps is under their lips"; "Whose mouth is full of cursing and bitterness." "Their feet are swift to shed blood; Destruction and misery are in their ways; And the way of peace they have not known"* (Romans 3:13-17). If that doesn't describe what's going on in the news today, I don't know what does. Paul also said it would get worse and worse as people would become more and more *"lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, traitors, headstrong, haughty, [and] lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God"* (2 Timothy 3:1-4). No question about that!

It is against this backdrop, in such a world gone mad – with so many satanically-intoxicated by their own self-serving and sinfully exaggerated sense of self-importance – that I am so very grateful, to be a blood-bought, fully forgiven, and hope-filled New Testament Christian. One who can experience peace every day, despite whatever is going on around them (Isaiah 26:3; John 14:27, 16:33; Romans 5:1-11, 8:6; Philippians 4:4-9). One who is part of a world-wide family that – totally unlike the world around them – is devoted to unconditionally loving, serving, accepting, and working together with one another, no matter what; and even directly in spite of our many different backgrounds, (continued on the back)