

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; 1 Peter 3:21
Be faithful, committed, walk in light -
Revelation 2:10; 1 John 1:7-10

Who Are You Living For

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It was not about others. It was not about himself. It was all about living for God and doing God's will throughout His life. If Jesus lived life this way, we should live life the same way, "not as I will, but as you will."

Thinking about this passage and how Jesus lived his life, I came across these sayings this week, and I pray that they will encourage you as they did me.

- If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives - BE KIND ANYWAY.
- If you are successful, you will win some unfaithful friends, and some genuine enemies - SUCCEED ANYWAY.
- If you are honest and sincere, people may deceive you - BE HONEST AND SINCERE ANYWAY.
- If you find serenity and happiness, some may be jealous - BE HAPPY ANYWAY.
- The good you do today, will often be forgotten - DO GOOD ANYWAY.
- Give the best you have, and it will never be enough - GIVE YOUR BEST
- In the final analysis, it's between you and God - IT WAS NEVER BETWEEN YOU AND THEM ANYWAY.

Who are you living life for, ANYWAY?

The song "Live For Jesus" by E.R. Latta comes to mind. *"Live for Jesus, live for Jesus; Give Him all thou hast to give; On the cross the world's Redeemer, Gave His life that though might live."* -Wayne



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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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You Are Invited To Our
5th 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

Margie Gentry is being cared for at her home; Billy Bybee and Mike Thompson recuperating from surgeries; Becky Hatcher at home still dealing with back pain. Wayne continues to be her caregiver; Rex & Doris Wallace; Sue Bunnell; Fran Mears; Lori Brewer; Agnes Seaton; Mark Hatcher; Joyce Dye; Lisa Schuler's sister Linda with a brain tumor; Laura Brooks; Brenda Jagers; Becky Bush; 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 treatments for cancer; Brady Thompson (Mike & Vickie's grandson) recovering from a broken leg; Zona Hogan (Genie & Marilyn Hogan's sister-in-law); Don Waddell member at Center; Chad Davis treatments for colon cancer; Mary Thompson; Parker Bybee; Tom Whittington; Bobby Pedigo; Helen Edwards, former member here and the sister-in-law of Janice & Billy Bybee; Robin Wallace's brother Ronnie Smith back surgery is being rescheduled; Dane Ann Stinson was released this past week to return to her home; Remember the family of Dr. Gary Hogan who passed away Tuesday Carolyn Russell had Out-Patient surgery Thursday to repair her broken arm as it was not healing properly on its own; Heather Seng (Lisa Schuler's daughter) has been hospitalized and undergoing tests; Becky Bush is in hospital in Louisville

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

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY

to the family of Marilyn Ray who passed away July 30. Marilyn is the sister of Doris Wallace. To all the Ray and Wallace family we know this

is a huge loss. Marilyn attended here when she lived in Horse Cave. She later moved to Glasgow and became a member at S. Green Street. We are thankful to have known her as a caring, loving and faithful Christian lady.

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 10th lesson in our Summer Quarter. Today's topic: *"The God of Israel, Just and Righteous"* Isaiah 58:1-12—59:1-8 Wayne Hatcher continues to serve as teacher.

PREACHING TODAY

Wayne Hatcher will be preaching this morning at 11 am *"The Mystery Revealed"* and at 5 pm Series on I John *"Choosing Truth or Lies"* I John 2:18-27

LAST SUNDAY & OUR POTLUCK MEAL

We were blessed last Sunday to have Allen Jones with us to preach two great lessons on our 5th Sunday. We had 76 in attendance. We also enjoyed a bountiful meal after morning worship in our annex. We appreciate those who came and participated.

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

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

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

OUR SUMMER SERIES

continues on Wed. evenings at 6:00. Our next speaker this Wed. will be Neal Pollard minister with the Lehman Ave. Church of Christ in Bowling Green. Craig Waddell spoke this past Wed. We are hearing great lessons.

ELDERS & DEACONS meet today at 3:00

TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ

To what two individuals in the gospel of Luke did the angel Gabriel appear?

Answer to our question last week:

Paul

Are You On the Lookout?

by Edd Sterchi

Back in my high school days, I had some friends who convinced me to be a monitoring judge for a road rally. There was a course set throughout the county for contestants to decipher clues and then drive down certain roads ending up back at a designated place. The judges were strategically placed in secret spots recording which cars who were in the rally actually passed by them. This was set up into a point system from which the winners would be determined.

When the time came, I was driven to my spot which was a very remote road in the county. I was tucked away in a wooded area and was told to watch every car that drove by between certain times and simply record it on the official score pad. I was given final instructions to be very vigilant. It seemed easy enough.

The problem was that the cars that drove by that day on that lonely country road were few and far between. Due to that, I became very bored and began to become distracted. I could hear squirrels rustling in the leaves behind me. I noticed the sounds of birds piercing through the silence. I surmised that if I went and did a little ex-

ploring in the woods, I would still hear the sound of vehicles coming from a distance and would have time to make it back to my post to record them going by. So I temporarily abandoned my duty to check out the fascinating world of the woods.

When I was picked up and taken to the rally finish spot, the chief judge was taken aback by my nearly empty score sheet. After his inquiry as to why my page was virtually blank, I had to fess up. Apparently I had become so engrossed with the flora and fauna that I missed several cars going by. They had no recourse but to ignore my section of the contest. I was thoroughly embarrassed.

How many people today, I wonder, are distracted by the things of the world and will be totally unprepared when Jesus comes back? Make sure that you are ready – waiting and watching – every day for Jesus' return. Peter reminds us that we are to be looking for, hastening, and even looking forward to the day Christ comes back (1 Pet. 3:11-14). Are you on the lookout?

Who Are You Living For?

by Lance Morrisett

Who is it that we should live life for? Is it to please others, self, or God? Remember what Jesus prayed for in the Garden of Gethsemane: *"My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will"* (Matthew 26:39b).

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