

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 - Oct. 11

READ SCRIPTURE:

Phillip Perkins

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Rob Bybee

OFFICIATE:

Sydney Bunnell

SERVE COMMUNION:

Rex Wallace Donnie Edwards
Willie Cyphers John Eastridge

PREACH:

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

LEAD SINGING:

am - Ken Russell pm - Phillip Carter

INFORMATIONAL DIRECTORY:

Be sure and fill out one of the data sheets for our updated informational directory. Please return it to Becca Napper. Again, she will be taking pictures after services if you would like to have your picture taken for the directory.

CONGRATULATIONS:

Dylan Denison was recently honored by the local Rotary Club as the Student of the Month at Caverna High School where she is a Senior.

MID-SOUTH BIBLE INSTITUTE:

A new Fall quarter is just underway on Thursday nights 6:30-8:30 p.m. - book of James; letters of Peter and Jude

YOUTH DEVO & FELLOWSHIP:

Oct. 19 Center Church of Christ with Todd Lockett as guest speaker. 6:30 p.m.



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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

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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Are You Deceived? By Ed Sterchi

- * A man is DECEIVED if he is a hearer and not a doer of the Word (James 1:22).
- * A man is DECEIVED if he says that he has no sin (1 John 1:8).
- * A man is DECEIVED when he thinks himself to be something when he is nothing (Galatians 6:3).
- * A man is DECEIVED when he thinks himself to be wise with worldly wisdom (1 Corinthians 3:18).
- * A man is DECEIVED when he seems to be religious and does not bridle his tongue (James 1:26).
- * A man is DECEIVED when he thinks that he will not reap what he sows (Galatians 6:7).
- * A man is DECEIVED when he thinks that evil company will not corrupt good morals (1 Corinthians 15:33).
- * A man is DECEIVED when he thinks that the unrighteous will inherit the kingdom of God (heaven) (1 Corinthians 6:9).

Now Satan will try to DECEIVE you to not pay attention to the above. Will you let him?

PERSONAL NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

Doug Edwards; Linda Forbes; James Horton; Parker Bybee; Becca Napper; Chris Burchett; Lindley Hatcher; Pat Bradford (Ruth's son); Vickie Thompson's dad, William E. Estes; Frankie Walters; Buddy Logsdon; Roger Lyons in FL; Larry Glass, Sr.; Chris Hillard; Faye Guinn (member at Center); Alexis Faith Newman tests on Wed.; Mary Hatcher undergoing treatments; Renee Perkins; Colby Long; Bob Bybee had eye surgery last week; Dennis Hatcher suffering with back & leg pain; Judy Petett and Leon Seaton have been very sick; there are lots of cases of the flu or flu-like symptoms; Laura Brooks and Jeff Edwards are having eye problems; Angie Bybee's mother, Loretta Tucker.

FRIENDS FROM OUR COMMUNITY:

Jim Reed; Leslie Witty; Billy Ross; Roger Lile; Mary Bush; Evelyn Smith and John Branstetter are now in Hart Co. Health Care

SHUT-INS AT HOME:

Alma Reynolds Sally Marshall Johnalene Lancaster

HART COUNTY HEALTH CARE:

Hallie Davidson 403; Mary Edwards 207; Helen Stanley 707; Berdine Hogan 405 Alma Stilts 501

HIGHLAND RIDGE ASSISTED LIVING:

Ford Smith 164

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

Jason Freed family going to France

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

GOSPEL MEETINGS:

Oct. 11-15 Mt. Gilead Church of Christ near
Tompkinsville with Charles Isenberg

Oct. 16-18 Elizabethtown Church of Christ with
Dave Miller Fri., Sat. 7 p.m. Sun. 9:30, 10:30 a.
m. and 1:30 p.m. (bulletin board has details)

Nov. 1-4 Broadway Church of Christ Camp-
bellsville, KY with Andy Baker 7 p.m.

*Nov. 6-8 Our Meeting with Mel Futrell of Bir-
mingham, AL

THANK YOU NOTES:

*We want to thank everyone for wishing us
"Happy Anniversary" and for the beautiful
cards . We love you all.*

In Christian Love, Rex & Doris

*Thank you so much for all of your help and the
use of the building. You helped us to have won-
derful memories of the day we started our lives
together. Eddie & Emily (Walton) Staples*

*To all of the very thoughtful members of Horse
Cave Church of Christ, How touching it was to
be thought about by so many as we prepare for
the arrival of our first child. Your kindness is
truly appreciated. It was wonderfully over-
whelming how many people from my childhood
and people who are involved in my families lives
remembered us at this exciting time in our life.*

*A Big Thank you, Lots of Love,
Sarah & Dean Marshall*

TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ:

What Pharisee once came at night to talk with
Jesus?

The answer to last week's question was:
His brother Andrew, John 1:40,41

Inadequate *by Westley Hazel*

Do you remember the first time you were trying to work up the courage to ask that special someone out on a date? Do you remember the first time someone asked you to get up in front of other people and do anything? Do you remember when you applied for that dream job that you really wanted? Do you remember the first time you held your children in your arms? If you can remember any of these times in your life, you probably also remember those thoughts about why you are not good enough, not qualified, etc. You felt inadequate to fulfill this great calling.

The bad news is that we are inadequate. In 2 Corinthians 3:5 Paul wrote about himself and us saying, "Not that we are adequate in ourselves to consider anything as coming from ourselves..." In John 15:5, Jesus said, "I am the vine, you are the branches; he who abides in Me, and I in him, he bears much fruit; for apart from Me you can do nothing." We like to think that if we are smart enough, strong enough, or work hard enough, we can at least do something. Jesus says that is not true. We are inadequate and can do nothing of eternal consequence.

The good news is we are not dependant on our own strength in this life. Paul continues in 2 Corinthians 3:5, "...but our adequacy is from God." Jesus says that when we abide in Him we can bear "much fruit." Philippians 4:13 tells us, "I can do all things through Him who strengthens me." The great things which we are inadequate for in this life, we can accomplish through God who makes us adequate.

We have no need to feel inadequate when life challenges us. This is not because we are so great, because we are not, but the God that we serve is. His strength and power can make even the seemingly impossible a reality. Thank God for His adequacy! May I learn to lean on Him more than myself.

(Westley Hazel preaches for the Tompkinsville church of Christ in Tompkinsville, KY)

Judging Motives

The little boy was helping his mother serve the guests at the dinner table. He brought in a piece of pie and set it in front of his father who passed it on to one of the visitors. After several such trips the little boy said, "It's no use dad, the pieces are all the same size." You know, it's not unusual to have our motives questioned by others. Sometimes we're hurt when someone accuses us of things that have never entered our minds. However, we're guilty of imagining evil on the part of others.

How often someone says, "I'll bet he said that for my sake," or "He said that to make me mad," or "He did that to get even." Often we imagine that someone is rubbing salt into our wounds, when that was the furthest thing from their mind. The person who has love in their heart thinks no evil according to Paul in 1 Corinthians 13:5. The Christian must not imagine evil or think the worst of others. He looks for the good and takes every action and word in the best possible light.

It's true that people generally treat us the way we expect to be treated, because we treat them the same way. God tells us in his word, the Bible, how we should treat one another. Jesus said, "You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'"

On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets." (Matt. 22:37-40). He also added, "Therefore, whatever you want men to do to you, do also to them, for this is the Law and the Prophets." (Matt. 7:12). After giving His parable of the good Samaritan, His exhortation was, "Go and do likewise." (See Luke 10:29-37). Let us make our world a better place by putting these great truths of Jesus into practice.

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