

A Weekly Publication of the



WHERE WE MEET

120 Cave Street Horse Cave, KY 42749

WHEN WE MEET (CST):

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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Sunday: Bible Study 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. & 5 p.m. **Wednesday**: Bible Study 6 PM **Newsletter Editor**: Wayne Hatcher **Church Webpage**: www.horsecavecoc.com

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What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he loses one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness, and go after the one which is lost

From the viewpoint of Judas, it was about silver. Judas was a thief and a traitor (John 12:4–6; 13:21–29). He made a deal with the Jewish leaders to sell Jesus for the "princely price" of thirty pieces of silver (Zechariah 11:12–13; Matthew 26:15).

The Cross From Seven Viewpoints

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From the viewpoint of the Pharisees, it was about silence. The Jewish leaders knew that the world was going after Jesus (John 12:19), and they were afraid that the whole world would believe in Him (John 11:48). When they could not stump Him or snare Him with their questions (Matthew 22:15–17, 35), they decided to silence Him by slaying Him (Matthew 26:3–4). Even this did not work. He rose three days later, and His apostles boldly preached His resurrection (Acts 2; 4:18–30, 33; 5:17–29, 40–42; 17:6).

From the viewpoint of Pilate, it was about self-preservation. Although Pilate knew that Jesus was innocent (Luke 23:4; Matthew 27:24), he caved in to Jewish pressure to crucify Jesus (John 19:12–13; Mark 15:15). He sacrificed Jesus in an effort to save himself (cf. John 12:25).

From the viewpoint of the Roman soldiers, it was about sport. The Roman soldiers brought Jesus into the common hall and mocked Him (Matthew 27:2731; Luke 23:11; John 19:2–3). At the foot of His cross, they cast lots for His wardrobe

as they watched Him struggle in pain (Matthew 27:34–35).

From the viewpoint of the Father, it was about substitution. In His grace, God sent Jesus to taste death for us by taking our place on the cross (Hebrews 2:9; Romans 5:8–10; Isaiah 53:5, 11; 1 Peter 2:21; John 3:16; 1 John 4:9–10).

From the viewpoint of the Son, it was about submission. Although it meant shame and suffering, Jesus submitted to the Father's will and went to the cross (Matthew 26:39, 53; Hebrews 5:7–9; 12:2; Philippians 2:8–9).

From the viewpoint of the saints, it was about salvation. The early Christians saw the cross, and the blood shed there, as the means of their salvation (Matthew 26:28; Acts 20:28; Romans 5:9–10; 6:3–4; 1 Corinthians 1:18–24; 6:19–20; Ephesians 1:7; 1 Peter 1:18–20; Revelation 1:5; 7:14). —Wade Webster

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NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Becky Bush had a 99% blockage in a main artery. It was stinted and is now home; Joey Palmore had his left knee replaced on Wed. and is home; Lisa Schuler is improving after her recent surgery; Joyce Dye had to go to the Pain & Spine Clinic in E-town Thurs.; Connie Campbell: Becky Hatcher dialysis 3X a week; Mary Whittington has been taken back to the Medical Center for some testing & treatments; Mark Hatcher; Fran Mears; Rebecca Napper Higdon; Linda Lewis (Diana Proffitt's sister); Lucille Johnson (Jean Bale's aunt; Heather Seng (Lisa Schuler's daughter); Sharla Jones Young (1st cousin to Becky Hatcher) is facing health issues; Fred Proffitt member at South Green St.; Marty Pennington, member of the church of Christ at Center is undergoing PT in Glasgow, and Marty's mother-inlaw Martha Hurt; the family of Ed Wharton (Lubbock, TX)

SIGNATURE HEALTHCARE of HART COUNTY

Lori Brewer

FRIENDS IN OUR COMMUNITY

Tim Shipley

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 book of Luke and are in ch. 3

PREACHING TODAY

11 am Dennis Hogan "Jesus vs. Satan"

5 pm Dennis Hogan "Trusting God Without A Net" #8

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 6 P.M.

We will return to our study of the book of Genesis in chapter 33. Wayne will be filling in for Dennis Hogan

WELCOME VISITORS

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guests, and we are very thankful for your presence. Please use one of the QR cards on the pew or back of the pew so we may have a record of your attendance.

OUR LOCAL RADIO PROGRAM

We encourage you to listen to our radio program "In Search of the Lord's Way" heard on WLOC 101.7 FM or 1150 AM here in Horse Cave each Sunday morning from 8:30--9:00 with **Phil Sanders**. This is an **excellent** program! It is also aired on Cable tv across the US.

ELDERS DEACON MINISTER MEETING

Today in the library at 3:00

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Will meet tomorrow morning at 10:00 in the Annex

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDED NOV 2

Hope everyone remembered to set your clocks back 1 hour before bedtime last night.

A Blessing or a Lesson

I saw a sign yesterday that read, "Friends can be a blessing or a lesson."

There is a lot of truth to that statement. Proverbs 18:24 reads, "A man who has friends must himself be friendly, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother." Solomon added, "The righteous should choose his friends carefully, for the way of the wicked leads them astray" (Proverbs 12:26).

A true friend is indeed a blessing, and we all need true friends. These friends will be there for you in good times and bad. They know just what to say and when to say it, or what to do and when to do it. We all have many acquaintances, but how many true friends do we have?

Some people that we call friends may be a lesson instead. Paul wrote, "Do not be deceived: 'Evil company corrupts good habits'" (1 Corinthians 15:33). Perhaps the person who falls into this realm is not a friend at all.

Choose friends wisely.

- Harry Goff Macon, GA

Indeed, the great friends are hard to find, hard to leave and difficult to forget. - unknown





You may listen to his previous sermons!! Check it out!!

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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