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ATM INSIDE...

ATONEMENT. TRUTH AND MERCY

***Welcome to the Church
Where the SHOUT
Has Not Gone OUT!***

STAY VIGILANT! Your life as a Christian is seemingly full of Christ and there is no room for self, but an aggressive sin comes in and wiggles his way in, crowding out Christ just a little bit. You give place to this sin and soon another does the same thing. Sin by sin, error by error, selfishness by selfishness, the backsliding continues until you are virtually empty of Christ and full of self. ~ Unknown



THIS WEEK

SERVICE TIMES

SUNDAY	10:00 AM	10:55 AM
SUNDAY	Sunday School for all ages	10:00 AM
	Children's Church	11:00 AM
Kid's B.L.A.S.T., G.A.P. & TEENS		6:00 PM
YOUNG ADULTS CLASS		6:00 PM
SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP		6:00 PM
WEDNESDAY	Hour of Power	7:00 PM
	PRE-TEENS; TEENS & KID'S TIME	7:00 PM

CALENDAR OF RECURRING EVENTS:

3rd TUESDAY Ladies Senior Visitation Ministry 9:30 AM
(Check with Becky Martin)

1st THUR Sweet Spirits 6:30 PM

3rd THUR Men's Fellowship 6:30 PM

4th THUR Ladies Fellowship 6:30 PM

FROM THE PASTOR . . .



The good land of Canaan was given to Israel, and they were promised that if they fully followed the Lord... they would enjoy all the blessings of the Land, and win all the battles with the enemies in the Land (*Joshua 1:7-8*).

Committed believers today are also promised success. If we fully follow the Lord, we will enjoy all the spiritual blessings heaven has to offer, and be victorious in every spiritual battle we encounter. This is no "health and wealth" promise, but something even better. God may choose to bless certain Christians with material wealth, and He may choose to bless others with perfect health, but these blessings are not guaranteed today as they were under the Mosaic covenant. We can be thankful for material prosperity, and we can praise God if we have not had to endure physical battles with sickness and suffering, but we should not expect these blessings as part of our "salvation package."

Spiritual blessings and victories are promised and can be expected if we fully follow the Lord. The greatest life this side of heaven is found in the enjoyment of all our spiritual blessings, and being undefeated in spiritual battles--regardless of what is in our bank account and in our medical records!

TODAY'S USHERS — March 12

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| 1. Brad Gillaspay | 4. John Koleznar |
| 2. Bobby Harrison | 5. Lewis Lee |
| 3. Matt Harrison | 6. Mike Lee |

Alternates: Mark Litchford / Roscoe Mitchell

NEXT SUNDAY'S USHERS — March 19

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| 1. Mark Litchford | 4. Roy Padgett |
| 2. Roscoe Mitchell | 5. Carl Summy |
| 3. Brian Moore | 6. Randy Tucker |

Alternates: Jerry Butler / Robby Dawson

USHERS FOR WEDNESDAY — Mar 15

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| 1. Brad Gillaspay | 3. Jerry Butler |
| 2. John Koleznar | 4. Randy Tucker |

Alternates: Lewis Lee / Max Nolder

CHILDREN'S CHURCH for Kids — Join us!

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| Mar 12 | Jenny/Carolyn | Mar 19 | Joan/Maranda |
| Mar 26 | Michele/Jenna | April 2 | Holley/Cindy |
| April 9 | Linda/Patty | April 16 | Angela/Holley |
| April 23 | Jenny/Carolyn | April 30 | Joan/Maranda |

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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| Mar 13 | Diane Smith |
| Mar 14 | Helen Moore |
| Mar 14 | Judy Gunter |
| Mar 14 | Daniel Gunter |
| Mar 14 | Emily Marquis |
| Mar 16 | Loretta Buraker |
| Mar 16 | Joan Mitchell |
| Mar 17 | Michele Harrison |
| Mar 25 | Brenda Reynolds |
| Mar 28 | Rebecca Gillaspay |





LAUGHTER IS GOOD MEDICINE~


While on patrol, a policeman arrested a burglar who'd injured himself running from a home. He told the policeman he had broken in and unhooked the phone before searching for valuables, but he'd panicked when he heard a woman's voice. The policeman entered the house and heard the same voice:


"If you'd like to make a call, please hang up and try again later."



 **TONIGHT at 6PM—It's KID'S B.L.A.S.T. Bring a friend!**

 **SUNDAY, MARCH 19—will be "OLD FASHIONED SUNDAY" with Hotdogs and Apple Pie! At 11 AM, we will begin the Series, "STEWADING LIFE..."** focusing on the priorities of life and how we can be mightily used for God's Kingdom! Please invite everyone you can!

 **FRIDAY, MARCH 24th, we will have a BENEFIT BBQ DINNER and MOVIE NIGHT** to help raise \$1100.00 for a roll of paper to print Bibles through Mt. Pisgah Printing Ministry. The night begins with a delicious BBQ Dinner at 6 PM—there is no charge for the dinner—but donations will be accepted. At 7 PM, will be the movie, **MIRACLES FROM HEAVEN**. Invite someone!

 **MARCH 26th—Rev. BOB LEE from Mt. Pisgah Printing Ministry will be here...** Invite everyone you can to come!



Don't Forget!

MAY 7th —Chalk Artist and Speaker VESTER ARNOLD will be with us for the Morning Worship Service

SERMON NOTES



PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY



Calvin Barker

Nick Davis

Heath Morris

Seth Morris

Josh Overstreet

**"You can build a religious
organization on entertainment,
but you can't build a church."**

TV: *In The Garden* Program on "ALIVE" TV,

Shentel Cable Channel 15

Sun. 11AM; Tue. 8PM; Thu. 5PM; Sat. 9PM.

RADIO: *In The Garden* Radio Program

(WRMV—94.5FM) 5:30 p.m. Mon.—Fri.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

WE BELIEVE the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God.

2 Timothy 3:15-17; 2 Peter 1:21

WE BELIEVE there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Genesis 1:1, Deuteronomy 6:4; Matthew 28:19; John 10:30.

WE BELIEVE in the deity of Christ, John 10:33. His virgin birth, Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23; Luke 1:34-35. His sinless life, Hebrews 4:15, 7:26. His miracles, John 2:11. His vicarious and atoning death, 1 Corinthians 15:3; Ephesians 1:7; Hebrews 2:9. His resurrection, John 11:25; 1 Corinthians 15:4. His ascension to the right hand of the Father, Mark 16:19. His personal return to earth in power and glory, Acts 1:11; Revelation 19:11-16.

WE BELIEVE in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature, and that all are justified on the single ground of faith in the blood shed by Christ, and only by God's grace, through faith alone are we saved. John 3:16-19, 5:24, Romans 3:23, 5:8-9; Ephesians 2:8-10; Titus 3:5.

WE BELIEVE in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost: they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are not unto the resurrection of damnation, John 5:28-29.

WE BELIEVE in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, Romans 8:9, 1 Cor. 12:12-13, Galatians 3:26-28.

WE BELIEVE in the present ministry of Holy Spirit by Whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life, Romans 8:13-14, 1 Cor. 3:16, 6:19-20; Eph. 4:30; 5:18.

A Church is a gift from God—Assembly required

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EXPECT A MIRACLE!