

SUNDAY MORNING

Announcements
Jon Barry

Song Leader
Daniel Allgor

Lord's Supper
Bill Brittenham Rodney Ellis
Jack Calvert

Prayers
Clay Morris Joseph Barry

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WEDNESDAY EVENING

Via Zoom

anywhere else in the same town similarly dressed.
And when any of the above, excepting the first, are the reasons you will not regularly worship and study, something is wrong with your heart. Do not deceive yourself by thinking that everything will "work out alright" if everything is not all right with your heart — check yours!
— Selected

ABOUT US

Elders
Jack Calvert Rodney Ellis

Jon Barry Bill Brittenham
Mike Davis Clay Morris

Evangelist
Bryan Garlock

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday
Bible Study9:30 A.M.
Worship10:15 A.M.
~~Worship6:00 P.M.~~

Wednesday
~~Bible Study7:00 P.M.~~

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GOD'S PLAN FOR SALVATION

Hear the word of truth Romans 10:13-17

Believe the truth..... Hebrews 11:6; John 8:24

Repent from all sins Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38

Confess the name of Christ ... Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:9-10

Be Baptized in His name Mark 16:16; 1 Peter 3:21; Colossians 2:12

Walk in newness of life and **be faithful** unto death Romans 6:1-4; Revelation 2:10



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This May Shock You

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Note: If you read this article and disagree with any of it, please don't just get mad and forget about it. Give us a chance to open the Bible with you about the differences. We want to be right with God and we want you to be right with Him too. The preacher, the elders, or one of the members of this church will be happy to talk with you.

This may shock you, but there are a number of things that the Bible does not teach that a multitude of people are not aware of.

1. The Bible does not teach that one church is as good as another. Rather, the Bible says, "There is one body" (Ephesians 4:4). Christ only built one church. Are the ones He didn't build just as good as the one He did build? That would make man's works as good as God's. Jesus said, "Every plant, which My heavenly Father has

not planted, shall be rooted up" (Matthew 15:13). You see, Jesus didn't seem to think that one church is as good as another.

- The Bible does not teach that Christ will return to earth to reign on a literal throne for 1,000 years. That would be a shocking fact for more than 80% of religious people. However, the verse that so teaches is yet to be found. I read, that when Christ comes again, that will be the end (1 Corinthians 15:23-24).
- The Bible doesn't teach that Christ was born on December 25th. Neither does the Bible teach that there were three wise men.
- The Bible doesn't teach that terms such as "Reverend," "Pastor," and "Father" should be applied to a preacher. The term "Reverend" is only used one time in the Bible, and that time it applies to God (Psalm

FAMILY TALK

Continue to remember and check on our shut-ins: **Bonnie Allgor, Maxine Burnham, Ann Thomas** and **Francine Davis**.

Cathy Monaghan is continuing treatment for her cancer.

Bible Study: 9:30 AM (and Zoom)

Services: 10:15 AM (and Zoom)

Kids Only: 5:00 PM (Zoom)

Monday: 7:00 PM (Zoom)

Wednesday: 7:00 PM (Zoom)

Thursday: 7:00 PM (Zoom)

Great Advice from a Great Man

Psalm 1:1-3 & 6 *How blessed is the man who does not **walk** in the counsel of the wicked, Nor **stand** in the path of sinners, Nor **sit** in the seat of scoffers! But his **delight** is in the law of the LORD, And in His law he **meditates** day and night. He will be like a tree firmly **planted by streams of water**, Which yields its fruit in its season And its **leaf does not wither**; And in **whatever he does, he prospers**. For **the LORD knows the way of the righteous**. But the way of the wicked will perish.*

And this is part of why David was “a man after God’s own heart”.

111:9, KJV). "Pastor" simply means one that is a shepherd over a flock. It is descriptive of an elder in the church that meets certain qualifications (1 Timothy 3:1-7; Titus 1:5-9). Jesus condemned the use of such terms as "Father" in Matthew 23:1-12.

- The Bible teaches that only those who are the members of the body of Christ will be saved. I read that Christ is "the Savior of the body" (Ephesians 5:23). Thus, He only promises to save those in the body. His body and church are one and the same (Colossians 1:18). Thus, only those in His church, the church of Christ, will be saved (Romans 16:16).
- If number five is a shocker, this will shock you more. The Bible teaches that not all of those in the body of Christ will be eternally saved. I read how the faithful will receive a crown of life (Revelations 2:10). Some of those that were once sanctified by the blood of Christ will turn aside and be lost (Hebrews 10:26-29).
- The Bible teaches us that "rejoice" and "forgive one another," are commands of God (Philippians 4:4; Ephesians 4:32). These are not just suggestions that will make us better people. Neither is there an option to choose or not to choose. These are commands! Violating them is sin (1 John 3:4). To sin is to separate oneself from God (Isaiah 59:1-2).
- The Bible teaches that "faith" is a work (John 6:29). If we are saved by faith only, we are saved by a work. If works do not save us at all, then we are not saved by faith.

You Can ... But You Can't

B.G. Hope

You can ignore God's warnings: you can refuse His blessing; you can reject all his wondrous love; but you can't go to heaven doing so.

You can believe any doctrine you choose; you can belong to the church of your choice; you can worship God as you please; but you can't please God doing so (2 John 9; John 8:32; Matthew 15:9,13; Hebrews 11:6; Romans 10:17).

It seems that Satan has done a remarkable job of convincing the people that their religion is a matter of their choice, not God's; that it is a matter of their being pleased, not God; that is, if they are pleased, then God must be.

People insist, "I have a right to believe as I please. I have a right to join the church of my choice. I have a right to worship God as I see fit." And I reply, "Yes, you most certainly do. Not only does the constitution of our great nation give us this privilege, but so does God himself. 'Choose this day whom ye will serve' is the way God would have it."

God created man a free moral agent — that is, He made him with the power to choose. You are admonished to choose between right and wrong, between false doctrine and the truth, between worshipping God as He directs and thus please Him and worshipping God as you are pleased to have it, between being a member of some denomination started by man and being a member of the church, between heaven and hell — yes, you have a right to go to hell, but do you prefer to exercise that right?

Yes YOU CAN do as you please — BUT YOU CAN'T please God at the same time.

What Is Wrong?

(Unknown)

Something is bad wrong when we cannot have all of the members of the church, and their children, in attendance for Bible study. If you are a habitual absentee, consider that your eternal welfare depends upon your finding and correcting what is wrong. A few possibilities are listed:

- If you are too sick to go, something is wrong with your health. You should consult a doctor.
- If you think you don't need the help that comes from Bible study, something is wrong with your education. You don't know enough to know what you need most.
- If you sleep too late, you are too lazy. You need to study Proverbs 6:6-11.
- If you don't have the interest to go, something is terribly wrong with your attitude. Indifference causes people to be lost.
- If you are too busy to go, something is wrong with your schedule. The person who is "too busy" to serve the Lord is "too busy" to go to heaven.
- If you let company keep you away, then something is wrong with your courage. You should have the grit to serve the Lord even if the company is missed or offended.
- If you think your clothes are not good enough, something is wrong with your pride. This excuse is over exalted, for the persons who use it can usually go