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SERVICE SCHEDULE

Week of February 16-22, 2014

Sunday Morning Bible Study (February 16)

Devotion: Steve Mayfield

Sunday Morning Worship Service (February 16)

Announcements: Greg Rowland

Sermon: Jason Gann

Lord's Supper Officiate: Charles Gann Assistants: Greg Rowland, James Rowland Sunday Evening Worship Service (February 16)

Sermon: Steve Mayfield

Lord's Supper Officiate: Charles Gann Wednesday Night Bible Study (February 19)

Devotion: Greg Rowland

(Songs will be led by the Song Leaders and prayers will be led in the services by men of the congregation.)

"Bible School Corner" Article Information Due February 19 - Lisa Rowland

Monthly Building Care Work February - Lori Rowland

ORDER OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Study Three Songs, Devotion, Prayer, [Class] Sunday Morning Worship Service Announcements, Three Songs, Prayer, Song, Sermon, Invitation Song, Lord's Supper, Song, Praver

Sunday Evening Worship Service Three Songs, Prayer, Song, Sermon, Invitation Song, Lord's Supper, Song, Prayer Wednesday Night Bible Study Three Songs, Prayer, Song, [Class,] Invitation, Invitation Song, Song, Prayer

PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear (Romans 10:17)

Believe (Mark 16:16)

Repent (Acts 17:30)

Confess (Matthew 10:32)

Be Baptized (Acts 2:38)

Remain faithful (Revelation 2:10)

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PREACHER

Jason Gann 931-668-3732

SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Study: 10:00 AM

Sunday Morning Worship Service: 11:00 AM

Sunday Evening Worship Service: 6:00 PM

Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00 PM



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"For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts (Isaiah 55:9)."

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"FAITH, YES! BUT NOT FAITH ONLY" BY: MICHAEL WILLEY

There are those who believe and teach that all that a person need do in order to be a Christian is to believe; that a person is saved by "faith only." Now, faith is absolutely essential. Jesus said, "*Except ye believe that I am he, ye shall die in your sins*" (John 8:24). But is faith the only element that is essential to one's salvation? Let us allow the Scriptures to answer that question.

The Scriptures teach that **repentance** is essential to salvation. "I tell you, nay; but except ye repent ye will all likewise perish" (Luke 13:5). In this passage, Jesus Christ equates a lack of repentance with perishing (i.e., suffering eternal punishment). The clear implication then, is that one must repent of sins in order to be saved. Since faith plus repentance equals more than faith only, it is obvious that the Lord did not teach nor believe that one could be saved by faith only.

The Scriptures teach that **confession** is necessary for salvation. "For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation" (Rom. 10:10). The necessity of confession and the falsity of the "salvation by faith only" doctrine is further demonstrated by John 12:42, where we read, "Nevertheless even among the rulers many believed in Him, but because of the Pharisees they did not confess Him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue." If salvation is by faith only, these rulers would have been saved.

According to the word of God, **baptism** is also essential to salvation. In baptism, one receives the remission of sins (Acts 2:38). One is cleansed of sin by being buried with Christ in baptism (Rom. 6:4; Acts 22:16; I John 1:7). The apostle Peter, inspired by the Holy Spirit, wrote that "...baptism doth also now save us..." (I Peter 3:21). Jesus said, "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved..." (Mark 16:16). According to the Lord, baptism is also essential to one's salvation.

Clearly, the Bible does not teach "salvation by faith only." In fact, the only time the words "faith only" appear in the entire Bible is James 2:24, where James writes, "You see then that a man is justified by works, and not by faith only." In verse 26, James writes that "...faith without works is dead...."

A dead faith will cause a person to be lost for all eternity. An active, living faith will lead a person to submit completely to the Lord's will. God has told us what one must do to be saved. Anything short of complete obedience is rebellion against God.

Have you obeyed God's plan of salvation? To become a child of God, one **MUST OBEY** the Gospel of Jesus Christ. One MUST..

Hear the Word of God (John 8:45; Rom. 10:17).

Believe in Jesus Christ (John 3:16; 8:24).

Repent of sins (Luke 13:3,5; II Peter 3:9).

Confess Jesus is the Christ (Rom. 10:9,10; Acts 8:37).

Be **baptized** for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16).

Live faithfully everyday (Matt. 10:22).

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SICK LIST

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Abingdon, VA Health Center John Sandefur

Please remember to pray for the sick. Psalm 65:2 says, "O thou that hearest prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come."

BIBLE SCHOOL CORNER

Sound Bible Instruction for All Ages

The Holy Bible is a wonderful gift given unto us by our God (II Timothy 3:16-17). It equips us for every good work. We are thankful to have capable teachers instructing all ages in God's Word. Please make sure you are in a Bible class every Sunday and Wednesday!

News

- Every day God gives us is a good day. Thank Him for this day!
- We rejoice as brother James Rowland repented and confessed his sins in the Sunday Morning Worship Service this past Sunday, February 9, 2014. Let us encourage him as he lives this Christian life.
- Thanks to everyone who came to our special night of honoring all of the married couples of the congregation in our third annual "Sweetheart Night." Also, thanks to all of the youth who helped with this event and those who brought food. The food was delicious, the games were fun, and the fellowship was cherished!
- Tennessee Bible College Bible Lectureship in Cookeville, TN, this Friday-Sunday, February 21-23; Theme: "God's Amazing Grace;" Speakers for men and women: Melvin Sapp, Steve Jaggers, Bo Perez, Mike Hogan, Leroy Dedmon, and Glenn Ramsey; Speakers for men's classes: Jim Sanders and Roy McConnell; Speaker for women's classes: Glenn Ramsey; See bulletin board for more information.
- Tennessee Children's Home is requesting certain items for their Spring Food Drive. One item they are requesting is 100% bottled grape juice. Any items are accepted.
- Happy Birthday to Lisa Rowland, who will celebrate this Thursday, February 20, if the Lord wills!
- Happy Birthday to Bertie Tenpenny, who will celebrate this Thursday, February 20, if the Lord wills!