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Hear (Romans 10:17)

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#### **PREACHER**

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#### **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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"Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth (III John 2)."

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# "I WILL LEAD ON GENTLY." BY: G. K. WALLACE

A good leader will display tender consideration for the old, young, weak, and unfortunate. Jacob knew this when he said to Esau, "I will lead on gently (Genesis 33:14)." Jacob said, "if they overdrive them one day, all the flocks will die (Genesis 33:13)." A good leader will not overdrive. We may overdrive by continual controversy about "words, to no profit (II Timothy 2:14)." It is so easy to reject the weak if they have not reached the heights of the strong (Romans 14:1). Romans 14:1 says, "Him that is weak in the faith receive ye, but not to doubtful disputations." It is tempting to condemn the young if they do not know life as we who are older know it. We may require of the young and weak a degree of courage and other graces which in their case may be only buds.

We may "overdrive" by preaching nothing but severe truth, threatenings, and punishment, and never emphasize the great promises of God. It is ours to console as well as to condemn. The great comforting passages of the Bible should not be reserved for funerals only.

We may "overdrive" by manifesting austerity, suspicion, and harshness toward those who disagree with us. We must do good unto all men (Galatians 6:10). Galatians 6:10 says, "As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith." To return good for evil is indeed a golden rule (Matthew 7:12). Matthew 7:12 says, "Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets." Faultfinding has a place, but not to the neglect of worthy praise. "Fathers, provoke not your children, that they be not discouraged (Colossians 3:21)." We may discourage even the strong by dwelling upon the woes and trials of Christianity and saying little or nothing about its joys.

Jesus had a special place in His heart for the poor and downtrodden. He was tender and kind to the most sinful. Even to those who would become leaders He said, "I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now (John 16:12)." We should not **drive** as did Jehu, but lead as did Jesus. We move a lighted candle slowly lest it go out. A fire almost expiring can be put out by a strong wind. A tender plant can be watered too much. In dealing with the weak we would do well to follow the hospital rule: "Walk softly and speak quietly." We were all little children first and had to learn to walk. "The Lord's servant must not strive." We must have a heart of compassion, kindness, lowliness, neekness, longsuffering; forbearing one another, and…love, which is the bond of perfectness (Colossians 3:12-14)." These qualities help to make a good leader.

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Barbara Waggoner

Raintree Manor Healthcare Center Harvie McCormick

Please remember to pray for the sick. Acts 2:42 says, "And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in **prayers**."

#### **BIBLE SCHOOL CORNER**

Educational Program,

One Way to Help Ensure that the
Church Is the Pillar and Ground of the Truth

The Campaign church of Christ has a great Bible School program. This program of teaching is just one of the many programs that is being used to help ensure that the Campaign church of Christ is and will remain the pillar and ground of the truth (I Timothy 3:15). We believe that the educational program should be emphasized, because of its importance in ensuring this.

We encourage you to invite others attend our regular Bible Study Classes, held every Sunday morning and every Wednesday night. Studying God's Word together helps us so much! Let's look forward to studying God's Word together each time we have to come together to do so!

#### **News**

- Let us praise our Wonderful God. Praise Him! Praise Him!
- Campaign Church of Christ Vacation Bible School 2012, June 24-28, at 7:00 PM; Theme: "The Treasure of the Forgotten Island: Searching for Gems in Proverbs;" Classes for all ages; Our Vacation Bible School is less than a month away from beginning, so let's start inviting people to it!



- Teachers of the youth Bible classes are asked to submit to brother Jason Gann the "Perfect Attendance Lists" for the month of March, this Wednesday, May 30.
- East End Church of Christ Vacation Bible School, June 3-5, from 6:30 - 8:00 PM; Different speakers for the Adult Class each night and classes for Kindergarten - Adult.
- This week's pantry item is oatmeal.
- Let us remember on this Memorial Day the great sacrifice that our military men and woman paid when they grave their lives.
- The monthly men's business meeting will be held this coming Sunday, June 3. All faithful Christian men of the congregation are asked to plan to attend.