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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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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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“Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father
which is in heaven is perfect (Matthew 5:48).”

“NEW TESTAMENT WORSHIP IN SONG: PART 2” BY: RUSTY STARK

Question, “But you don’t have pianos or things like that?”

Answer, “That is true. We do not use mechanical instruments of music in worship to God.”

Question, “But why not?”

Answer, “For the same reason we sing and make melody in our hearts. We are doing what God commanded us to do.”

Question, “But God didn’t say not to use instrumental music in worship did he?”

Answer, “There are many things God didn’t say not to do in worship. There is no command to not jump rope, stand on our heads, or whistle in worship either. The fact is, God does not authorize us to do such things.” Colossians 3:17 says, “And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.”

Two facts make the Lord’s position (our position) abundantly clear and reasonable:

1. God commanded the use of instruments in worship under the Old Testament law. The two trumpets commanded in Numbers 10:2 were played along with their burnt offerings (v.10). 2 Chronicles 29:25 says they used instruments according to the commandment of God by Nathan, David, and Gad. Psalm 150 also commanded the use of instruments in praise to God. This resolves the question of whether or not instruments can be used simply as an aid to worship. They were commanded as an integral part of praising God in the Old Testament.
2. Instruments of music in worship to God is absent in the New Testament. There is no command for it as there was in the Old Testament. There is no example of it being used. There is no inference that can be fairly drawn that mechanical instruments of music can be used in praise to God in worship today.

Is the absence of instruments of music in the New Testament an accident? Is it an oversight? Did God forget to tell us to use instruments? Since God left it out, don’t you think we should be content without it?

Think of other things from the Old Testament that are not carried over into the New Testament.

We no longer practice animal sacrifice, even though the New Testament does not say not to.

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Please remember to pray for the sick.
James 5:17 says, “Elias was a man subject to like passions as we are, and he prayed earnestly that it might not rain: and it rained not on the earth by the space of three years and six months.”

BIBLE SCHOOL CORNER

Wednesday Night Nursery Class Report

By: Lindsey Dixon & Lisa Rowland,
Teachers

We are using the same theme [Discovering God’s Truth through Bible Stories and Songs] for Sunday and Wednesday. Wednesday is used as a continuum or review of Sunday’s lesson.

NEWS

- We welcome each one here today.
- Our hearts were made to rejoice this past Sunday, February 21, 2016 when Michael Hillis repented of his sins and confessed his sins. Please remember to encourage him as he has rededicated his life to the Lord.
- In the Worship Service this morning, we have as a guest speaker, Jason Smith, the preacher of the Boomer church of Christ in Boomer, West Virginia. We welcome him.
- Youth Bible Class Teachers, please submit your “Perfect Attendance” Lists for February this Wednesday, March 2.
- This week’s suggested pantry item is a can of spam.

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We no longer burn incense or light lamps. We cannot consistently point to the Old Testament as justification for using instruments of music in worship to God while we refuse to bring other Old Testament practices into our modern worship.

Look at it another way: We have exactly the two kinds of music God has commanded us to have: Singing (words with which we teach and admonish one another) and Making melody in our hearts.

What passage can you point to in the New Testament that justifies (authorizes) the kinds of music used in the church/denomination you attend?