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<u>SERVICES</u> Sunday First Worship Service: 9:00 AM Sunday Morning Bible Study: 10:15 AM

Sunday Second Worship Service: 11:00 AM Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00 PM

CHURCH OF CHRIS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2020

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"The children of thy elect sister greet thee. Amen (II John 13)."

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SICK LIST

Davie King

Pam McGregor

Brenda Qualls

Katelyn Smith

Glenda Stiles

Danice Taylor

Joel Tenpenny

Paul Wilmoth

Titus Ward

Gene Rhea

Brent Pennington

Preston Rutledge

Deborah Ballew
Don Blackwell
Jaime Bouldin
Clarence Deloach
Bert Denton
Grace Denton
Terri Glisson
John Haley
Brayton Harris
Steve Higginbotham
Dorris Hughes
Sandra Jones

Please remember to pray for the sick. "...I pray thee..." (Judges 6:39).



BIBLE SCHOOL CORNER Paul in Acts

We are enjoying our study of Paul in Acts on Sunday Morning in the Adult Bible Class. Brother Steve Mayfield teaches us. This series of lessons on this topic will conclude today as the Summer Quarter

NEWS

- We very much appreciate the opportunity that our Heavenly Father has given unto us today to worship Him in spirit and in truth. Let us clear our hearts and minds of any distractions and seek to offer acceptable worship unto our God.
- Our hearts were made to rejoice this past Sunday, August 23, 2020, as Steve Mayfield repented of his sins and confessed his sins. Please let him know how thankful we are that he has rededicated his life to the Lord.
- Please pray for all who are sick. Many are in need of our prayers.
- This week's suggested pantry item are pickles. All pantry items are accepted.
- Happy Birthday to Shayla Colwell, who will celebrate on Monday, August 31, if the Lord wills!
- Happy Anniversary to Earl and Jewel McCormick, who will celebrate on Friday, September 4, if the Lord wills!



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"THE MODERN-DAY DIOTROPHES: PART 1" BY: BILL JACKSON

Diotrephes! As Judas brings to our minds a picture of betrayal, and as Jezebel brings to our minds the worst in female unpleasantness and ungodliness, so the name of this man brings to our minds a pride and arrogance that should never be in God's kingdom. We find this record of the man:

I wrote unto the church: but Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. Wherefore, if I come, I will remember his deeds which he doeth, prating against us with malicious words: and not content there- with, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church (3 John 9-10).

Our purpose now is to examine that passage, and to note the qualities about this prideful man, and then to note how these same characteristics can be found in the church today. The purpose is that all of us might be thus warned, and then let each and every one keep himself pure (1 Tim. 5:22).

The behavior of a Diotrephes is (1) first, in attitude. Note that John states that he loved the preeminence. Jesus is to be the preeminent one (Col. 1:18), and one has a real character flaw if he desires a higher place than God gave him. Love of preeminence is seen in the behavior of the hypocrites in Judaism (Mat. 6:1-18). It is an improper motive for one desiring any work in the church and is contrary to the Will of God in any event. Diotrephes first had a problem with humility.



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARY

- 4th Earl & Jewel McCormick's Anniversary
- 8th Brandi Gann's Birthday
- 21st Brittany Mayfield's Birthday
- 22nd Travis Colwell's Birthday

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