Passion for God.....Compassion for People **April 25, 2010**

Please be Reminded:

Men's Business Meeting is the first Sunday of the month, immediately following morning worship. The meeting takes place in the all-purpose room. Plan to attend and be a part of the decision making process of the congregation.

Stanton Nursing Home Services will be the third Sunday of each month, beginning at 2:30 p.m. The speaker for May will be Luke Newell . Please make plans to attend.

Church Singing is the second Wednesday of each month at **7:00PM.** This is an opportunity to praise God together in song. You may also request that a particular song be sung. Please plan to attend and encourage others as well.

WSKV Radio8:30 a.m. each Sunday Morning

Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Anna Vires and Family, Waveline Teasley and Family, Pauline Powell, Joe and Debbie Slone, Brian Rice, Sharon and Donald Olinger, Reva O'Hair, unspoken requests, the elderly in the church, all those on the church prayer list.

.....the effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. James 5:16

- As stated last week, we still need to complete the "Our History" portion of the website. It is good to gather this information for historical reasons and to have to share with those who visit our website. This should include the when, where, who, etc. of our past. Please help complete this. If you could write something down on paper and give it to Daniel Newell, it would be greatly appreciated.
- For the next 11 Wednesday nights (except the 2nd and 5th) we will have a special presentation from Apologetics Press. See Daniel Newell for more details.

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Worship Services:	
Sunday Morning Bible Study	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.
Sunday A.M.: Frog in a Pothole	M.C. Rice
Sunday P.M.: Psalms 103	M.C. Rice

Bless the Lord, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless his holy name. 2. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: 3. Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy Who redeemeth thy life from diseases: 4. destruction; who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies; Psalms 103:1-4



Privileged to Serve

Announcements and Sick	Jody McCoy
Songs of Worship	Terry Abney
A.M. Prayer	Homer Rice.
A.M. Prayer before Worship	Glen Hayes
A.M. Closing Prayer	Greg Brewer
P. M. Opening Prayer	Charles Mack Rice.
P.M. Closing Prayer	Jody McCoy.

April:

Communion:

Reading	Jody McCoy
Serving	Walter Rice, Joe Slone.
Collection	Shane Burgher, Pearl Brewer
Communion to Sick	Daniel Newell, Dan Newell Jr.
Prepare Communion	Carla Watson, Josie Watson
Van Driver 4/25/10	Greg Brewer
Van Driver 5/02/10	Jody McCoy
Cleaning Outside	Joe Slone, Greg Brewer

WATCH THE POWER of one...

- One good Samaritan rescued a wounded man on the Jericho Road. cf., Luke 10
- One aged man (Noah) was instrumental in saving mankind from extinction. cf., Genesis 6; Hebrews 11:7
- One man (Moses) who felt unqualified confronted a Pharaoh and led the Exodus. cf., Exodus 3
- One woman (Esther) broke longstanding tradition, walked into the king's throne room and saved an entire nation from genoside. cf., Esther 4
- One boy (David) faced a nine-foot giant and saved the Israelites from slavery. cf., 1 Samuel 17
- One boy's lunch of five loaves and two fish fed thousands. cf., John 6
- One slave girl was instrumental in healing a world military leader. cf., 2 Kings 5 (*Mike Benson, editor, kneEmail*)

This and That

The Corinthian church grew out of a population that was worldly and worshippers of idols. It took a while for them to develop and mature as Paul hoped. The 1st Corinthian letter was written to address many of the problems they were experiencing. Division, worldly wisdom, pride, fornication, confrontational lawsuits, and misunderstanding of the resurrection all were issues that confronted the church there. They were also wishing for the miraculous powers that were available to those whom the Spirit chose. Paul writes very important pieces of scripture in the 13th chapter of First Corinthians. Here he tries to convey the thought that nothing matters if love isn't present. Love should be the motivating factor in our relationships. I would like to share that chapter with you in the English Standard Version of the Bible.

If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal.² And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing.³ If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant⁵ or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

- Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. For we know in part and we prophesy in part, 10 but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.
- So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

Think about it. Daniel Newell