

Passion for God.....Compassion for People
October 11, 2009

Clay City Church of Christ

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Dates to Remember:

Men's Business Meetings are the first Sunday of each month, immediately following morning worship. Plan to attend and be a part of the decision making process of the congregation.

Stanton Nursing Home Services are the third Sunday of each month, beginning at 2:30 p.m. Please join us in making our congregation a light in the community.

Church Singing is the second Wednesday of each month. Singing night is an important part of our worship. Please plan to attend. Your presence encourages others.

WSKV Radio 8:30 a.m. each Sunday Morning

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Please remember those who come before the congregation asking for the prayers of the church. Also please continue to encourage and support our young in the congregation as they strive to live a Christian life. *.that their hearts may be encouraged* *Colossians 2:2nkj*
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I look to the future because that's where I'm going to spend the rest of my life.

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It is once again time for our fall Revival. Clean-up day at the church building is scheduled for October 24th.

Plan now on whom you will invite to attend. If our members will attend each night we will have a full building. What an example that would set for others!



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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.: The Danger of Delay M.C. Rice
Sunday P.M.: God's Call..... Daniel Newell

Watch out for temptation – the more you see of it the better it looks. What we see on TV inevitably becomes a part of our memory bank, forming background information for justifying our behavior. If what you are seeing isn't what you want to do – change the channel!

Keep watching and praying that you may not come into temptation.
Mark 14:38



Privileged to Serve

Announcements and Sick..... Jody McCoy
Songs of WorshipTerry Abney
A.M. Prayer..... Joe Slone
A.M. Prayer before Worship..... Glen Hayes
A.M. Closing Prayer Jody McCoy
P. M. Opening Prayer Homer Rice
P.M. Closing Prayer..... Thomas Newell

October:

Communion:

Reading Jody McCoy
Serving Dan Newell, Homer Rice
Collection Pearl Brewer, Shane Burgher
Prepare Communion Charlene Brewer, Paula Rice
Communion to SickDaniel and Thomas Newell
Van Driver 10/11/09 Mary Jayne Casey
Van Driver 10/18/09 Jody McCoy

Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Paul Napier, Fred Teasley, Patricia Feters, Pauline Powell, Joe and Debbie Slone, Brian Rice, Kay Stewart, Sharon Olinger, 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

Our men and women serving in Iraq and other war torn areas.

Greater love hath no man John 15:13

“While a steady diet of sufficient sleep may not completely prevent disease, it can improve the body’s defense system and help a person combat disease more efficiently and effectively.” Dr. Michael Irwin states: “Many people just need a regular-length sleep to get those natural disease killer cells revved up again.”

Sleep is the cheapest health aid a person can use. Sleep is our God-given means of restoring health to the body, as well as providing rest to the mind. People often report a new outlook or a change of heart after a good night’s sleep.

Ask God to renew your strength as you sleep tonight; then go to bed on time, so that He can give you what you requested!

It is vain for you to rise up early, to sit up late, to eat the bread of sorrows: for so he giveth his beloved sheep. Psalm 127:2

This and That

I collected the used soap bottles from around the house while Daisy refilled them. As we did so, there was a report on television about the H1N1 virus and its effects on the state. There are several schools that have dismissed classes for the week due to illnesses. The last report I heard was 4 deaths in the state due to this virus. Hand washing and sanitizer use is advocated in public places and at home. It appears that no one is immune from this health issue. This is also true with sin.

Sin is widespread around our world and no one is free from its effects. Every generation must deal with the results of sin in society. From birth to death, each person must live in a world filled with sin and the resulting negative consequences. But as soap, water, and sanitizer are effective in our fight against viruses, there are items that are effectual against sin.

- Accepting and appropriating the grace of God is our first defense against sin. Ephesians 2:8 states “for by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God.” God’s grace is freely given and requires an active response upon the part of man. Titus 2:11-12 says, “For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men.” Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world; God’s word teaches us that the cure for sin includes Jesus Christ.

- In First John 1:7 the apostle states, “if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.” We must react to God’s grace in a manner that will make us a part of the body of Christ, where his blood is. The body of Christ is the church of Christ according to Ephesians 1:22-23.

Sin is a terrible thing. Much like the H1N1 virus, it can sicken a person to the point of death. As soap and water cleans away the virus, so also God’s grace and the blood of Jesus, through the church, cleans away sin. Are you clean from sin? Think about it.

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Daniel

