

Passion for God.....Compassion for People
February 26, 2012

Dates to Remember:



There will be a pot luck dinner today immediately following morning worship. Please plan to attend and enjoy fellowship one with another.

Men's Business Meetings are the first Sunday of each month, immediately following morning worship.

Stanton Nursing Home Services are the third Sunday of each month, beginning at 2:30 p.m.

Church Singings are the second Wednesday of each month.

Our sermon airs each Sunday at 8:30 a.m.**WSKV – 104.9 FM**

Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Donald & Sharon Olinger, Inez Estep, Glenn Oliver, Joe & Debbie Slone. Those undergoing medical tests, those going through personal trials, unspoken requests, the elderly in the church, those who have lost loved ones, and 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 Afghanistan and other war torn areas.

Greater love hath no manJohn 15:13



**Dear Past: Thank you for your lessons.
Dear Future: I'm ready.
Dear God: Thank you for another chance.**

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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.: Bro. Phil Blankenship
Sunday P.M.: God – His Nature Daniel Newell



We cannot change the truth, but the truth can change us.
Jesus is Lord.
Jesus is the son of God.
Jesus died for our sins.
Jesus is the truth.
Jesus is coming soon.

ENTER TO WORSHIP ... Please turn off all cell phones and prepare to worship God.

Announcements and Sick.....Jody McCoy
Songs of Worship.....

Prayer:

A.M. Prayer before WorshipJoe Slone
A.M. Closing Prayer.....Alvin Goldy
P. M. Opening PrayerJody McCoy
P.M. Closing PrayerGreg Brewer

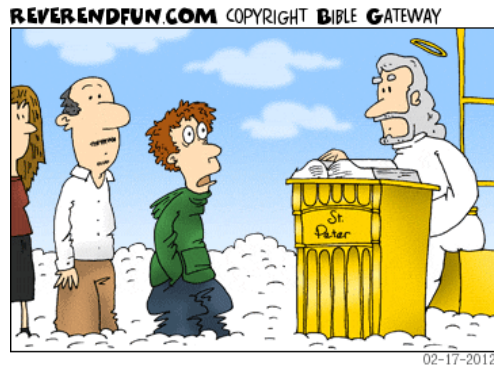
February:

Communion:

Reading Shane Burgher
ServingDan Newell & Walter Rice
Communion to the SickDaniel Newell & Dan, Jr.
Collection..... Pearl Brewer & Jody McCoy
Prepare Communion Carla Watson
Cleaning OutsideJody McCoy & Charles Rice
Van Driver Shane Burgher

THERE WILL BE A BOARD CHANGE NEXT WEEK

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Have you called someone sick or shut-in this week?
One phone call does make a difference.

Facing Monumental Decisions

His master, Abraham, had given him total authority in the finding of a bride for Isaac. He swore to the patriarch that he would not seek a wife from among the Canaanites, but would find one among Abraham's relatives in Mesopotamia. He promised that under no condition would he take Isaac back to Chaldea, for Isaac was to inherit the land God had promised to Abraham and his descendants.

It likely took several days, even weeks, before the unnamed servant reached his destination. One can only imagine what thoughts he had as he traveled. But when he arrived in Mesopotamia, he prayed fervently that God would give him success and thereby show kindness to Abraham.

God answered his prayer in a most remarkable way. Even before he had finished praying, the future bride was standing beside him. As it became apparent that God had heard him and he learned that indeed Rebekah was from Abraham's family, "the man bowed down his head and worshipped the Lord" (Genesis 24:26). He was so thankful that God's mercy had been shown to him. There is more to the story (read Genesis 24), but think of the following lessons we can learn:

1. Prayer should be a vital part of the selection of the person anyone is dating or contemplating marrying.
2. Prayer should precede every major decision we make. When faced with crisis - pray!
3. Prayer is heard in heaven and God answers.
4. Prayer that is answered should be followed by a prayer of thanksgiving that God has heard us.
5. Prayer should not be hidden. Don't be afraid to pray publicly because of what others might think.
6. Prayer shaped the destiny of Abraham's family, **and it affects the destiny of yours.**

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When everything seems like its falling apart, that's when God is putting things together just the way He wanted it.