Passion for God.....Compassion for People June 6, 2010

Please be Reminded:

Men's Business Meeting is **<u>TODAY</u>**, 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 June will be Daniel Newell. Please join us for around a half hour of song, prayer, and sermon. Your attendance may brighten the day for a resident.

Church Singing will be this coming Wednesday night 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.

Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Anna Vires and Family, Waveline Teasley, 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

Reminders

- Please be mindful of our pantry. Bring non-perishable items such as canned meat, pasta, sauce, soups and vegetables in so that God's house may be full to give to those in need.
- Bible correspondence courses are available, free of charge to those who desire them. Please make requests to M. C. Rice.



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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.
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Sunday A.M.:	The Way That Seemeth Right	ht M.C. Rice
Sunday P.M.:	God the Teacher	Daniel Newell

Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; and he will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths: for out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem. Isaiah 2:3



Privileged to Serve

Announcements and Prayer List	Jody McCoy
Songs of Worship	Terry Abney
A.M. Prayer	Daniel Newell Jr.
A.M. Prayer before Worship	
A.M. Closing Prayer	Jody McCoy
P. M. Opening Prayer	Charles Mac Rice
P.M. Closing Prayer	Greg Brewer

Board Change for June:

Communion:	
Reading	Charles Mac Rice
Serving I	Dan Newell Jr., Walter Rice.
Collection	Dan Newell Jr., Joe Slone
Communion to Sick	
Prepare Communion	Paula Rice, Erica Rice
Van Driver 6/6/10	Jody McCoy
Van Driver 6/13/10	Shane Burgher
Cleaning Outside	. Jody McCoy, Greg Brewer

Have You Obeyed the Gospel of Jesus Christ?

Hear the Word of GodRomans 10:17
Believe In Jesus ChristJohn 8:24
Repent (turn from) Your Sins Acts 2:38
Confess Faith in Jesus as God's Son Acts 8:37
Be Baptized into JesusMark 16:16
Live a Faithful LifeTitus 2:11-14
Heaven Will Be Your HomeJohn 14:1-3

This and That

The Bible tells us there is going to be a day of reckoning at the end of the world. Jesus will come back, the dead will be raised and we will be judged. Jesus will be the judge (Acts 17:31), the Bible will be the standard (John 12:48), and eternal destiny will be the ruling (Matthew 25:46). According to Matthew 25, the difference in whether a person goes to heaven or to hell will be decided by what they did or did not do with respect to others. After becoming a Christian we have an obligation to God, self, and others. To sit idly by as others need help is unacceptable to the Lord. Jesus said,

I was hungry and thirsty and you either fed me and gave me drink or you did not. Now since Jesus is not here physically we understand that He does not mean He Himself was in need of food and water. Well, who is He talking about? According to the parable of the Good Samaritan, Jesus indicated our neighbor is the one who has need. So when we look around us and see hungry or thirsty people how should we react? Should we look the other way or should we give food and water to those who need it?

I was a stranger and ye either took me in or you did not. The word stranger here means a new person, alien, or foreigner. Whenever a new person comes to our congregation, neighborhood, school, or work, how do we react? Do we do our best to make that person feel at ease and accepted? Or do we refrain from socializing with the person? How would you feel if you were the new person?

I was naked and you either clothed me or you did not. Are there needy people in our neighborhoods? Are there children that need shoes and coats to wear? Do we seek out people to help or do we wait for people to ask for our help?

I was sick or in prison and you either ministered unto me or you did not. How do we behave toward those who are sick or shutin? I feel sometimes those in the nursing homes are as one in prison. They may be there against their will and often times left desolate. Do we minister to these people or do we leave them to fend for themselves? Do we pray for God to help them and do nothing ourselves or do we do everything we can and ask the Lord for help in doing more? These things were mentioned in Matthew 25 as among the things people were judged by. Think about it. *Daniel Newell*