

**Passion for God.....Compassion for People  
October 3, 2010**

# Clay City Church of Christ

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**Please be Reminded:**

**Men's Business Meeting will be TODAY**, 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday, beginning at 2:30 p.m. The speaker for October will be M. C. Rice. Please join us for around a half hour of song, prayer, and sermon. Your attendance may brighten the day for a resident.

**Church Singing is the second 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.

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

**Please Lift Up In Prayer:**

Anna Vires and Family, Waveline Teasley, Pauline Powell, Joe and Debbie Slone, Sharon and Donald Olinger, Reva O'Hair, Ellaray Campbell, 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*

- There will be a gospel meeting at Stanton church of Christ this week. The meeting runs through Thursday night at 7pm each evening. There will be a different speaker each night. See the note on the bulletin board for more details.
- 🎵 Each day I'll do a golden deed, by helping those who are in need. My life on earth is but a span, and so I'll do the best I can 🎵

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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. .... M.C. Rice  
 Sunday P.M.: A Few Things I Know .....Daniel Newell

Job 19:25-27 For I know that my redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth: 26. And though after my skin worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God: 27. Whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another; though my reins be consumed within me.



## Privileged to Serve

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

### Board Change for October:

#### Communion:

Reading .....	Jody McCoy
Serving .....	Terry Abney
Collection .....	Dan Newell Jr, & Shane Burgher
Communion to Sick .....	Shane Burgher & Jody McCoy.
Prepare Communion .....	Charlene Brewer & Paula Rice
Van Driver 10/03/10.....	Jody McCoy
Van Driver 10/10/10.....	Shane Burgher
Cleaning Outside .....	Walter Rice & Shane Burgher

ROBERT THORTON RELATED the following incident from his childhood...

"In the middle of one of my parents' more memorable disagreements, my father jumped up from the table, grabbed two sheets of paper, and said to my mother, 'Let's make a list of everything we don't like about each other.'

Mom started writing. Dad glowered at her for a few minutes, and then wrote on his paper. She wrote again. He watched her, and every time she stopped, he would start writing again. They finally finished. 'Lets exchange complaints,' dad said. They gave each other their lists. 'Give mine back,' mom pleaded when she glanced at his sheet. All down the page dad had written: 'I love you, I love you, I love you.'"

How easy it would be to make a list of things that we do not like about one another. However, what we really need is to give love its proper place in our relationships one with another. Wade Webster,

## This and That

Whom do you seek to please? We may spend the greater part of the day trying to please ourselves. Whether it is where we are at, what we are wearing, what we eat, who we are with, etc., we try to please ourselves. We may also use our many talents and resources to try to please a loved one. Paul said "But he that is married careth for the things that are of the world, how he may please his wife", 1 Corinthians 7:33. In the next verse, he also says the wife tries to please her husband. This is only natural and should be thus. However as Christians there is one whom we should strive to please at all times. This is God. In 1 Thessalonians 4:1, Paul says, "Furthermore then we beseech you, brethren, and exhort you by the Lord Jesus, that as ye have received of us how ye ought to walk and to please God, so ye would abound more and more." This means that we should live our lives each day in a manner that pleases God. In Hebrews 11:5 it is said, "By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God." Now this doesn't infer that by pleasing God all will be translated, but it does suggest that those who please God will go to be with him when he leaves this world.

We must have faith in order to be pleasing unto God. Hebrews 11:6 says, "But without faith it is impossible to please him: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him." Since our faith comes by hearing the word of God, Romans 10:17, we should do all that we can to strengthen our faith. Some ways to do this:

Read the word of God daily. Whether you make time at the beginning, middle, or the end of the day, it is important that you make time. This can be even better if you read with a friend or loved one.

Attend Bible Study. Our Bible Studies at Clay City church of Christ are centered on the Bible. Most often it is the Bible itself that is our text as we teach. This is a great opportunity to learn more about the Bible. We have Bible Study at 10am Sunday mornings and at 7pm on Wednesday evenings.

Become more active in the church. Participate in the singing and prayers. Assist in the teaching of young ones. Do visitation as time allows. Pick a chore and do it on a regular basis. By doing so your faith will be strengthened. Think about it. *Daniel Newell*