

Passion for GodCompassion for People
Clay City Church of Christ
February 15, 2009

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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.

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

Radio Our sermons are taped for broadcast and can be heard each Sunday morning, beginning at 8:30. Please make an effort to listen to our lesson on the air. You may pick up a message you missed the first time around. **WSKV – 104.9 FM**

Food Pantry: 23 families were blessed with food from our pantry during the holiday season. Please help restock our food pantry, so that we may help those less fortunate.

Remind your friends of our free **Bible Correspondence Course**. If it has been some time since you have taken this course – why not consider taking it again as a refresher course?



Ministers:

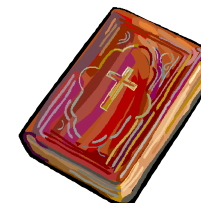
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Worship Services:

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.: 5 Truths You Dare Not Ignore M.C. Rice
Sunday P.M.: Be Careful Who You Marry Daniel Newell
Wednesday: Acts..... Brian Rice

We trust that God has been pleased with our worship and pray that each of you will be strengthened from the sacrifice you are making. We welcome our visitors and invite you to join us again at every service. We appreciate your attendance today. May God's richest blessings be yours all week long.



Privileged to Serve

Announcements and SickJody McCoy
Songs of Worship..... Terry Abney

A.M. Prayer..... Joe Slone
A.M. Prayer before Worship.....Jody McCoy
A.M. Closing Prayer..... Alvin Goldey
P. M. Opening PrayerHomer Rice
P.M. Closing Prayer Brian Rice

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Communion:

ReadingJody McCoy
Serving..... Joe Slone, Brian Rice
Collection.....Willard Dunn, Dan Newell
Prepare Communion..... Bernice Abney, Betty Jo Hash
Cleaning Outside..... Shane and Harold Burgher
Van Driver 2/15/09.....Duwain Watson
Van Driver 2/22/09..... Greg Brewer

Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Paul and Sue Napier, Fred Teasley, Patricia Fetters, Reva O'Hair, Anna Vires, Ellaray Campbell, Correne Hatton; Sharon Olinger, Kay Stewart, Pauline Powell, Luke and Dorothy Newell, Joe and Debbie Slone, Glen Hayes, unspoken requests, the elderly in the church, all those on the church prayer list; and
Our men and women serving in Iraq and other war torn areas.
Greater love hath no man.....John 15:13

"And Jesus said unto them ... "If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible to you."
Romans 1:17

This and That

"Marriage is honourable in all, and the bed undefiled: but whoremongers and adulterers God will judge," Hebrews 13:4. God has created 3 great institutions. Marriage, the Government, and the Church. All three are designed to fulfill specific needs and the discipline of man. Of these three, the topic of interest today is Marriage. This is the oldest of the three. It was Adam that stated in Genesis 2:23-24, "This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man. Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh." This shows the closeness that marks the union of a man and a woman. When two people are thinking about getting married they should think much about the scope of marriage. Here are just a few thoughts.

1. To serve God is the ultimate purpose of each individual. Therefore a Christian should not bind oneself to another whose faith is not in God or is not according to the Bible. "Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? and what communion hath light with darkness?" 2 Corinthians 6:14

2. The first design of marriage is the perpetuation of the human family. There should be an agreement between both parties with respect to children. Genesis 1:27-28

3. The avoidance of fornication. The body, soul, and spirit are united as one. When joined together each is not their own, but part of another. The physical needs of each other are to be supplied by the marriage partner. 1 Corinthians 7:1-3.

4. The need for companionship. If each should care more for the other than for themselves, methinks the marriage would be on solid footing. Remember, there should be no union closer than this union. Should be the best of friends.

5. The permanency of marriage. God's design is one man, one woman, one lifetime. "Wherefore they are no more twain, but one flesh. What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder." Matthew 19:6. Think about it. Daniel Newell