## Passion for God .....Compassion for People

# Clay City Church of Christ May 17, 2009

## **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.

## **Heed the Signals**

Truths that define the way you should navigate your life:

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  Love God more than you fear hell.
- Make major decisions in a cemetery.
- $\ensuremath{\mathbb{Z}}\xspace$  When no one is watching, live as if someone is.
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  Don't spend tomorrow's money today.
- ∠∠God has forgiven you; you'd be wise to do the same.

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PARENTS: Cell phones are not allowed in the Sunday School Classrooms. Please have your children leave their phones with you, or keep them turned off.



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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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Tell others of our free Bible Correspondence Course.

## Privileged to Serve

Announcements and Sick	Jody McCoy
Songs of Worship	
A.M. Prayer	Alvin Goldey
A.M. Prayer before Worship	Homer Rice
A.M. Closing Prayer	Joe Slone
P.M. Opening Prayer	Jody McCoy
P.M. Closing Prayer	Dan Newell
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Communion:	
Reading	Brian Rice
Serving	Jody McCoy, Homer Rice
Collection	
Communion to Sick	Greg Brewer, Jody McCoy
Prepare Communion	Charlene Brewer, Paula Rice
Cleaning Outside	Walter Rice, Shane Burgher
Van Driver 5/17/2009	Jody McCoy
Van Driver 5/24/2009	Brian Rice

## Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Paul and Sue Napier, Fred Teasley, Patricia Fetters, Reva O'Hair, Anna Vires, Ellaray Campbell, Correne Hatton; Kay Stewart, Pauline Powell, Joe and Debbie Slone, Brian Rice, unspoken requests, the elderly in the church, all those on the church prayer list; and

We have several members not attending services due to illness. Please make an effort to contact someone during the week. One phone call or a card does make a difference. Please don't leave it to someone else.



#### This and That

Whew! What a week that just passed! Our revival with brother Jack Hall from Richmond was great. We heard lessons that are much needed today. "Calling on the Name of the Lord", "Loving God", "Practical Evangelism", and more was brought to our attention this week. We enjoyed the fellowship of visitors from, Bowen, Stanton, Richmond, South Irvine, Rolling Hills, Owingsville, Campton, Cat Creek and maybe other congregations that I have overlooked. We also had folks visit our congregation this week that has never been here before. Many from our own congregation were able to come each night. It was a wonderful event that glorified God, edified his saints, and instructed the lost. Thanks to our leadership for scheduling and managing such a wonderful series of meetings.

Revivals are nothing new. We have evidence of these meetings occurring in the Bible. In each example people are taught the truth, God is proven right, and those who obey are greatly blessed.

Elijah led a great revival that is recorded in 1 Kings 18. Here he is pitted against the prophets of Baal. He is actually outnumbered 850:1. Elijah challenged the prophets of Baal and the Grove to prove their God is the true God by sending fire to burn the sacrifice. Of course we know that Elijah's God, our God, was vindicated and proven to be the one true God.

Hezekiah led a great revival. He began to reign when only 25 years old. It is said that he "open the doors to the house of the Lord, and repaired them". He then sent letters to all Israel and Judah inviting them to come and observe the Passover to the Lord. Many came and the worship was set in order again.

John the Baptist led a great revival in the wilderness. Many came to him and were baptized in the river Jordan, confessing their sins.

And who can forget the great Pentecost revival immediately after the resurrection of our Lord. People were taught a perfected truth for the first time and the church is born with 3,000 additions. Yes revivals are great events. We are glad for ours this week. Think about it.

Daniel Newell