

Passion for God.....Compassion for People
September 14, 2008

Clay City Church of Christ

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Dates to Remember:

Men's Business Meeting are the first Sunday of the month, immediately following morning worship. Plan to attend and be a part of the decision making process of the congregation.

Prayer Meetings are held the first Monday night of each month at 7:00 p.m. If you have a prayer request please let Bro. M.C. know.

Stanton Nursing Home Services are the third Sunday of each month, (9/21) beginning at 2:30 p.m. Please join us in making our congregation a light in the community.

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

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

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?

Have you contacted a shut-in lately? Why not today.
One phone call does make a difference.

*I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth.
John 3:4*



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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.: The Problem of Human Suffering M.C. Rice
Sunday P.M.: What the Lord Jesus Means to Me Daniel Newell
Wednesday: Acts..... Brian Rice

We extend a cordial welcome to all who have come to worship today. We are especially glad to offer our hands in friendship to those worshipping with us for the first time, and we invite you to come often.



Privileged to Serve

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

A.M. Prayer..... Brian Rice
A.M. Prayer before Worship.....Jody McCoy
A.M. Closing Prayer..... Walter Rice
P. M. Opening Prayer M.C. Rice
P.M. Closing Prayer Greg Brewer

September:

Communion:

Reading.....Terry Abney
Serving.....Homer Rice, Walter Rice
Collection.....Pearl Brewer, Donald Olinger
Prepare Communion..... Mary Jayne Casey
Communion to Sick.....Greg Brewer, Jody McCoy
Cleaning Outside..... Terry Abney, Homer Rice
Van Driver 9/14/08.....Jody McCoy
Van Driver 9/21/08..... Brian Rice

Please Lift Up In Prayer:

Paul and Sue Napier, Fred Teasley, Patricia Fetters, Reva O'Hair, Anna Vires, Ellaray Campbell, Correne Hatton; Sharon Olinger; Luke and Dorothy Newell, Joe and Debbie Slone, April Meadows and sons, Joyce Patton, Greg Smith, Cory Brewer, Ed Hash, 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*

Our men and women serving in Iraq and other war torn areas.

Greater love hath no man..... John 15:13



"There is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents." Luke 15:10. We rejoice with Sharon Olinger who came forward Sunday morning requesting the prayers of the church. Sunday evening Joseph Newell was baptized into Christ. We rejoice with him and his family.

Please continue to encourage and support our young in the congregation as they strive to live a Christian life.

.....*that their hearts may be encouraged..... Colossians 2:2nkj*

This and That

Matthew chapter 7 has a remarkable lesson for all of us. Many times we think of ourselves in the highest regard while, at the same time, using a different measuring stick for other people. I think one reason for this chapter is to remind us that God measures us all by the same stick (The Bible). A close look at chapter 7 reveals four sets of twos:

?? In verses 3-5, there are two brothers. One has a plank in his eye and, remarkably, is able to see a speck in his brother's eye. Jesus says this is hypocritical conduct. He indicates that one should clean his eyes first so that he can see clearly to help another. Does this apply to me?

?? Another "two" is revealed in verses 13-14. Here there are two gates. One is narrow and the other is wide and broad. The masses of people are going through the wide gate, However, Jesus indicates the narrow, difficult gate is the way, which leads to life. Which gate have I chosen?

?? Two trees are revealed in verses 17-20. Each brings forth fruit, however the fruit of one tree is evil, while the other tree brings forth good fruit. Which tree represents me?

?? Finally, in verses 24-27, there are two builders. One builds upon a firm foundation while the other builds upon a sandy foundation. Needless to say, the house built upon the rock stood firm when storms destroyed the other. What foundation supports my life and that of my family? Think about it.

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