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We gladly welcome you to our congregation, trusting that – if you are seeking Christ you will find Him here, if sorrowing you will receive comfort and strength here, if troubled in spirit you will gain the blessing of peace here, if discouraged you will rejoice in encouragement and hope here, if friendless you will find companionship and Christian love here. That these and other blessings may be yours is our prayer.

WHERE WE MEET

120 Cave Street
Horse Cave, KY 42749

WHEN WE MEET (CST):

Sunday: Bible Study 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. & 5 p.m. **Wednesday:** Bible Study 6 PM

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FOCUS on one Luke 15:4

What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he loses one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness, and **go after the one which is lost** until he finds it?

The term "Easter" is only found in Acts 12:4 of the King James Version. The original word PASCHA would have been better translated as PASSOVER as that's how it's consistently translated elsewhere in the New Testament (see Mt. 26:2). The word "Easter" derives from an old Anglo-Saxon term related to the goddess of spring. It was borrowed from paganism in the years after the apostolic age and then became an annual celebration of the Lord's resurrection. That being said there is no biblical authority or example that the early church held a yearly tribute to celebrate "Easter" As in the new testament, churches of Christ today remember the Lord's death and His resurrection each first day of the week (Sunday) as we gather to observe communion as the Lord Himself commanded in Matt. 26:26-30. With profound appreciation we know there is no hope without the bodily resurrection of Christ. I Corinthians 15:12-20 - Wayne]

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What Does the Resurrection of Jesus Mean?

There is evidence for the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

- **There is written evidence.** His birth record is documented all the way back to Adam. The gospels record His death, burial, and resurrection.
- **There is eyewitness testimony.** There were more than 500 eyewitnesses who saw Jesus after the resurrection (1 Cor. 15:5-6).
- **There is physical and other evidence.** The empty tomb still exists.

The modern day calendar testifies of a risen Savior separating all of time into two parts: B.C. ("Before Christ") and A.D. ("Anno Domini", which means "in the year of our Lord").

Friends, Jesus is risen from the dead – the evidence is there! Now you can still choose whether to believe it or not, but the fact that Jesus lived, died, and arose, in my mind, is incontrovertible. But what does this mean for us?

- **It means that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.** Paul affirmed that Christ is "declared to be the Son of God with power according to the Spirit of holiness, by the resurrection from the dead" (Rom. 1:4). The resurrection of Jesus is the foundation of the Christian system (cf. 1 Cor. 15:14ff).
- **It means Jesus has defeated Satan and death.** The resurrected Jesus stated to John, "I am He who lives, and was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore. Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death." (Rev.1:18). Through His resurrection, Jesus effectively demonstrated His power over death and Satan (Heb. 2:14-15).
- **It means that Jesus is coming again.** Speaking concerning after His resurrection, Jesus told His disciples (and ultimately us), "I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also" (John 14:2-3). Jesus arose from the dead so that we could one day resurrect and have life forevermore. Jesus said in John 14:19, "Because I live, you will live also."

Because Jesus is resurrected and lives, He remains Lord and can continue to reign in our lives, He continues to keep Satan and death in check, and He is coming back for His own. Hallelujah!!! —Edd Sterchi Broadway church of Christ Campbellsville, KY

[Editor's Note: great article!! Since most churches of Christ do not make a big show of "Easter" Holiday as many churches do. So I want to explain lest people misunderstand why we don't.

NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Joyce Dye ask for our prayers facing three health issues she will be seeing specialists; Becky Bush; Fran Mears went to the ER at T.J. on Wed due to a virus; Mary Whittington; Lisa Schuler had an echocardiogram Friday; Becky Hatcher dialysis three days a week; Mark Hatcher; Connie Campbell; Joey Palmore; Rebecca Higdon; Lori Brewer is back home; Kim Bunnell; Heather Seng (Lisa Schuler's daughter); Donnie Alexander (Dennis Hatcher's brother-in-law); John Gray; Mary Hatcher; Marty Pennington is back on the heart transplant list. Marty's mother-in-law Martha Hurt is taking dialysis in Glasgow where Becky Hatcher goes

IN THE HOSPITAL

Bessie Brooks was admitted to T.J. Samson on Tues. for tests. She has congestive heart failure, fluid around her heart and lungs. She has improved. She came home yesterday. On oxygen and home health.

PRAYERS FOR FRIENDS IN OUR COMMUNITY

Sammy Jo (Doyle) Eubank cancer daughter of Sammy & Rita Doyle here in HC

Tim Shipley, close friend & neighbor to our late Sydney Bunnell

NHC HEALTH CARE Glasgow

Barbara Smith for therapy Room #100

PRAY FOR MISSION EFFORTS WE SUPPORT

Nepal and Bangladesh - Michael Brooks
World English Institute (WEI) - Darrell Wallace
Manna Project

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS 10 A.M.

We are in the book of Luke, last few vss. of ch. 6 The class is taught by Dennis Hogan

PREACHING TODAY

11 am Dennis Hogan - Jesus, the ONE!

5 pm Dennis Hogan - The Tools of Satan #4 or 5

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 6 PM

We are studying the book of Genesis. We will be in the last chapter 50. The class is taught by Dennis Hogan. After this we plan to study the book of Exodus.

WELCOME VISITORS

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guests, and we are very thankful for your presence.

OUR LOCAL RADIO PROGRAM

We encourage you to listen to our radio program **"In Search of the Lord's Way"** heard on WLOC 101.7 FM or 1150 AM here in Horse Cave each Sunday morning from 8:30--9:00 with **Phil Sanders**. This is a **quality** program consisting of 30 minutes of gospel songs and a biblical message!! It is also aired on Cable tv across the U.S. **Are you listening to any of the great lessons??**

His lesson for this Sunday April 5 will be: **"Jesus Saves Sinner"** The Lord Jesus was born to be a sacrifice and save His people from their sins. We can be so thankful that no matter what our past has been, the Lord Jesus can still cause us to be born again and live a new life. For more info go to their website at: searchtv.org

AREA SPRING GOSPEL MEETINGS

April 12-15 at Elizabethtown church of Christ AWAKEN with Joe Wells Sunday 6 pm, Mon—Wed 7 pm EST

April 16-19 at the Center church of Christ with Rodney Nulph "Assurance" - An Aged Apostle Speaks Confidently Lessons from I John *See flyer on bulletin board

OUR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Mark these dates June 22—24th

FREE ONLINE BIBLE STUDY

We want to remind you again to take advantage of the FREE online bible study: Discover the **BIG PICTURE** of the Bible. This an excellent and interesting study. Here is the link to register:

<https://www.housetohouse.com/study/>

You may also watch the previous lessons at this link:

<https://www.housetohouse.com/study-archive/>

ELDERS DEACON MINISTER MEETING

Has been rescheduled for next Sunday at 3 p.m.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Meets tomorrow morning at 10:00 in the Annex

How About the Grown-ups?

"Daddy, I want to ask you a question," said little Bobby after his first day in Sunday school. "Yes, Bobby, what is it?"

"The teacher read the Bible to us. It was about the children of Israel building the temple, the children of Israel crossing the Red Sea, and the children of Israel making sacrifices. Didn't the grown-ups do anything?"

		You may go back and listen to his sermons!! Check it out!!
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