

## GOD'S PLAN FOR SAVING US

God's Grace - Ephesians 2:8  
God's Love and Mercy - Ephesians 2:4  
Christ's Blood Shed - Romans 5:9-11  
The Gospel - Romans 1:16

### Our Response:

Believe - Acts 16:31; Mark 16:15-16  
Repentance - Luke 13:3  
Confession - Romans 10:10  
Be baptized for remission of sins -  
Acts 2:38; 1 Peter 3:21;  
Be faithful, committed, walk in light -  
Revelation 2:10; 1 John 1:7-10

## LORD'S DAY ASSIGNMENTS

for today - June 11

READ SCRIPTURE  
Sydney Bunnell

OFFICIATE LORD'S TABLE  
Mark Hatcher

SERVE COMMUNION  
Malon Schuler Willie Cyphers  
Rex Wallace

PREACHING  
11 a. m. - Wayne Hatcher  
6 p. m. - Wayne Hatcher

LEAD SINGING  
Ken Russell

## THANK YOU

We would like to thank our friends and family at the Horse Cave Church of Christ for all of their love and support. Thank you for allowing us to use such a beautiful church to host our wedding. We cannot thank you enough for your support on our special day.

In Christian Love, Ryan & Shelby Atwell

## UNITED IN MARRIAGE

**Kyle Dudgeon** and **Alyssa Hornback** were united in marriage yesterday June 10 here at the building in a ceremony officiated by Wayne Hatcher.

Carolyn Bowers, Alyssa's grandmother, hosted a nice reception afterwards in our Annex. Congratulations to the Kyle and Alyssa!! We wish you many wonderful years together.

*Happiness doesn't depend on what we have, but it does depend on how we feel toward what we have. We can be happy with little and miserable with much.* - copied



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**Horse Cave  
CHURCH OF CHRIST**

120 Cave Street  
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### TIME OF SERVICES:

**Sunday:** Bible Study 10 AM; Worship 11 AM & 6 PM

**Wednesday:** Bible Study 7 PM

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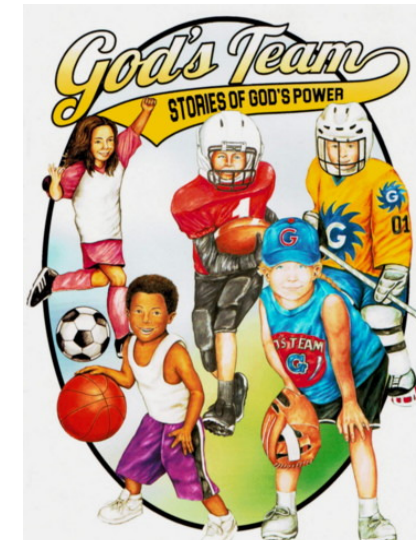
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You are invited to be with us for

# Vacation Bible School

## June 21-24

Wednesday - Thursday - Friday 6:30 - 8 p.m.



### LESSON TOPICS:

Lesson 1 Wed. night: "God Makes the Sun Stand Still"

Lesson 2 Thurs. night: "God Wins With A Small Army"

Lesson 3 Friday night: "God Gives Life To A Boy"

Lesson 4 Sat. morning: "Jesus Heals A Man's Hand"

### CLASSES FOR:

Ages 2 & 3 Ages 4, 5 & 6

1st & 2nd Grade 3rd & 4th Grade 5th & 6th Grade  
Teens Adults

Refreshments each evening Our annual picnic at Noon  
Saturday after closing session

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## NEWS & NOTES...

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Leon & Agnes Seaton; Bill Brooks is slowly improving from shingles. He goes back June 16 for further tests; R.T. Turner; Jenny Thompson; James Horton; Wendle Jones (Becky's dad); Parker Bybee; Helen Edwards' step-granddaughter; Lori Brewer continues to recover at home from her neck & back surgery; Mary Whittington recently had a stress test. She goes June 21 for a follow-up;

### FRIENDS AND COMMUNITY

Doug Isenberg; Brad Terry; Larry McGuire; Jimmy Briggs; Marlene Kerr; Joey Chaney; Frankie Walters; Stella Downs; Kim Hatcher; Bobby Witty; Roger Davis; Stanford Matthews; grandchild of Paul & Kathy Dennison

### PRAY FOR MISSIONS WE SUPPORT

Nepal and Bangladesh - Michael Brooks  
The Barnabas Journey - Ed Bass

### NHC

Jean Turner is in NHC for therapy after surgery to repair her broken hip and wrist.

### HIGHLAND RIDGE ASSISTED LIVING

Ruth Bradford

### SUNDAY A. M. AUDITORIUM CLASS

Today is lesson 2 in our Summer Quarter on the theme: "Christian Growth in James and Jude" This morning we will study "Facing Trials" Wayne is the teacher.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

We are in a new study on Wednesday nights on church history. We have just begun "The Restoration Movement." Mike Thompson is the teacher. Everyone is encouraged to support our bible classes.

### MIKE BROOKS MISSION REPORT

It was great seeing Mike & Brenda Brooks Wed. evening. Mike presented a wonderful report on the work in Nepal and Bangladesh.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR—VBS

**June 21-24** Wed.—Fri. 6:30—8:00 p.m. Sat. 10 a.m.—Noon

Our VBS theme is - **"God's Team" - Stories of God's Power**

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\*After VBS closes Sat. at Noon, we will have a cook-out.

### AWAY PREACHING

This Lord's Day morning Mike Thompson teaches a class and preaches at the Beckton Church of Christ.

### CD'S OF OUR GOSPEL MEETING

If you requested a copy of the lessons by David Sain from our Gospel Meeting, please see Wayne to pick up yours.

### TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ

What was the second plague God brought upon Egypt through Moses?

The answer to last week's question: very present help in trouble Psa. 46:1

**Welcome to our visitors!!! We are very glad you are here!!!**

## The Church That Jesus

**Saw** by Bill Brandstatter

One of the most familiar passages to many Christians is Matt. 16:18. There Jesus states, "...Upon this rock I will build my church"...; but what was the church that Jesus saw when He spoke those words? He no doubt knew about what the Old Testament writers said regarding the church.

Jesus knew about the prophecy of Daniel pertaining to the kingdom. When the church came, the kingdom came. Daniel prophesied that God would set up a kingdom that would never be destroyed. (Dan. 2:44) Later Jesus told Peter He would give to him the keys to the kingdom of heaven. (Matt. 16:19) The establishment of the church was in the eternal purpose of God. (Eph. 3:11) Since Jesus was with the Father in the beginning and involved in Creation, He no doubt knew all about the establishment of the church in New Testament times. (John 1:1, 2)

Jesus read and knew about the prophecy of Isaiah pertaining to the Lord's house being established in the top of the mountains, and all nations flowing into it. (Isa. 2:2-3) Later the apostle Paul described the church as the "house of God". (1 Tim. 3:15)

Jesus knew that the name of God's people in the church would change. Being familiar with the writings of Isaiah, He read Isaiah 62:2 where Isaiah stated that the Lord would give His people a new name which the mouth of the Lord would utter. He also knew that

God's servants would be called by another name. (Isa. 65:15) That name was first used in Acts 11:26 when the disciples were first called Christians.

Jesus knew about the day that the church would be established. Peter stated that "all the prophets from Samuel and those that follow after, as many as have spoken, have likewise foretold of these days." (Acts 3:24) Jesus being familiar with Old Testament writings, no doubt knew what those days were. He also knew what Joel wrote in Joel 2:28-32. This is what Peter quoted on the day of Pentecost. He prefaced Joel's words by stating, "this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel." (Acts 2:14)

Jesus no doubt knew about the establishment of the church was in God's plan before He even came to earth. Paul writes to the church at Ephesus and told them that the church was in the eternal purpose of God. (Eph. 3:11) Jesus was there in the beginning. (John 1:1-2) Today we have at our disposal a lot of information about the church. We have His words. We have the words of the apostles. Yet with all the information available to us many still are confused regarding the church. Jesus read about the church; we can too. Will I believe what is written, accept it, and obey it? Jesus would want me to since the church belongs to Him. (Matt.16:18; Acts 20:28) We can read the same verses that Jesus read. With all this information there should not be any problem with understanding about the church. Perhaps we need to look again at the church that Jesus saw.