

GOD'S PLAN FOR SAVING MAN

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:
 Faith - 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 - August 2

READ SCRIPTURE
Ken Russell

ANNOUNCEMENTS
Bill Brooks

OFFICIATE LORD'S TABLE
Willie Cyphers

SERVE COMMUNION
Phillip Perkins Rex Wallace
Dennis Hatcher

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

LEAD SINGING
Scott Huff

ELDERS & DEACONS MEETING

this afternoon at 4:00. Any men of the congregation are invited to attend.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

meets tomorrow evening at 6:30 in the Annex.

15th ANNUAL LADIES DAY

Aug. 15 South Green St. Church of Christ 8:30 to Noon. "The Power of Prayer" Mary McCoy Creech of Nashville, TN (see Bulletin Board)

BACK TO SCHOOL TIME

It's hard to believe, but school is back in session for 2015-16 this Wednesday for Caverna Independent and Hart County. I'm sure the other districts around us are on similar schedules.

Visitors are always appreciated and welcomed !!!!



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TIME OF SERVICES: Sunday: Bible Study 10 AM;
Worship 11 AM & 6 PM Wednesday: Bible Study 7 PM

CHURCH WEB PAGE: www.horsecavecoc.com

Focused on Christ - Thankful for our Salvation - Glorifying the Lord - Serving through Love - Preaching Christ to the World

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.

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"Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them." Hebrews 7:25

Have you ever been put on hold? I am told that 9-1-1 centers in some large metropolitan areas where people can be put on hold when emergency calls overwhelm the system. Can you imagine being put on hold while someone is breaking your door down, trying to get into your home and harm your family? Thankfully, God isn't like that.

He is always around and we only need one of him. In fact, the writer here is comparing the excellency of Christ to the shadow of the Levitical priesthood. Under the mosaical covenant, the high priest was a fallible man, subject to sin and to physical death. He first had to make atonement for his own sins before he could atone for the peoples, and he was subject to eventually die and be replaced. Under the covenant of Christ, we have only one high priest, and he is all we will ever need. He is able to save us because he offered the perfect sacrifice, himself. He is also able to save us because he never dies. He never gets old or tired. He is the same today, yesterday and tomorrow, to paraphrase the same author.

Jesus' resurrection was forever, the beginning of an eternal kingdom. After his death, burial and resurrection, the Lord took his place at the right hand of God, ever interceding for us. John says Jesus is our advocate, using the same term used for a defense lawyer. With God as the judge, Satan as the prosecutor, and the scriptures as jury, Jesus defends us. Not in the sense that he tries to "get us off." His defense is much more than that, for he simply tells the judge, "The penalty has been paid."
- by Jay Kelley

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PERSONAL NEWS & NOTES...

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Brandon Schuler is having a hard time; Bessie Brooks on dialysis; R. T. Turner; Leon Seaton; Renee` Perkins; Robert Brooks; Linda Forbes; Parker Bybee; Mary Locke; James Horton; Christian Shadburne; Imogene Estes (Vickie Thompson's mother); Donnie Gale Edwards is being treated for diverticulitis; Dennis Hatcher has not felt well lately; Carolyn Bowers has been sick for a couple of weeks; Doris Wallace is finished with her cataract surgeries; Wayne Hatcher is to have cataract surgery on his left eye this Wed.

IN THE HOSPITAL

Russell Brunt was admitted to T. J. Samson Hospital on Tues. with liver issues. He has gone back with his daughter Eugenia to seek further solutions at the hospital where she works.

C. G. Coomer (formerly of Cave City) remains in the ICU in Greenville, NC He had another stroke Friday night and remains non responsive. He also has pneumonia and is battling A-Fib.

VISIT BRANDON SCHULER'S WEBSITE

The last CT Scan shows the tumors are growing again. Last Friday Brandon's doctors took tissue in hopes of locating a "target" drug that might slow it down.

<http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/brandonschuler>
We encourage you to leave messages on his page. It is encouraging to him and family.

FRIENDS AND COMMUNITY

Dave Puckett; Margie Broady; Kevin Gardner; Doris Garrison; Gunner Eaton; Thelma Thompson; Ruby Whitlow; Wanda Judd; Mrs. Cagle at Hart Co. Health; Dane (Petett) Wilson is facing spine surgery.

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HART COUNTY HEALTH CARE

Mildred Briggs (member at Cave City)
Carroll Stilts, Sr (Dennis & Wayne's uncle)

HOMETOWN MANOR ASSISTED LIVING

Jean Turner 201 Trista Lane Glasgow, KY 42141 (270) 659-9167

THANK YOU CARD

To my Christian family,
Thank you for all your kindness and concern for me. Your visits, cards, calls, food, flowers and most of all your prayers meant so much. I have received some of the most beautiful cards I have ever seen or read.

A special thanks to Wayne for being at the hospital during my surgery.

Please know I love each and everyone of you.

A sister in Christ, Jean Hogan & Sharon too
[This was the last note written by our sister Jean. She wrote it earlier in the year after she came home from the hospital in Louisville].

SYMPATHY

We extend our deepest sympathy to our Leon & Agnes Seaton in the death of Leon's brother, Duel Seaton. He was a member of the Shrewsbury Church of Christ in Grayson Co. His funeral was held yesterday in Leitchfield at the Watson & Hunt Funeral Chapel.

TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ

What was the Hebrew equivalent for the name of the site of the Lord's crucifixion?

The answer to last week's bible question:
His second coming Matt. 24:36-42

Jesus Groaned

by John Henson

One of the most impressive things about Jesus was how much he cared for people.

The Greek concept of God was that of an impersonal and uncaring being. In fact, the Greeks thought their gods were just too self-centered to care. Greeks could not conceive of a deity that could sympathize with humans. The thought was foreign to them.

Yet, Jesus showed great compassion for people. In John 11:33, the sight of Mary weeping evoked powerful emotion from Jesus. The verse tells us, "When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, He was deeply moved in spirit and was troubled" (John 11:33 NASB).

The phrase, "deeply moved in spirit," is perhaps not strong enough. The word for this phrase in the language of the New Testament could mean that Jesus was angry, but this meaning does not reflect the context. While seeing Mary weeping, Jesus' response was that he cared so much he moaned with grief. He groaned out loud.

Jesus shows us a divine being who

cares. When we are in anguish, he is, too. When we are brought to tears by the sorrows of this world, Jesus shares our feelings of grief.

Do you grieve over the loss of a loved one, or because of illness or other problems? Do you have the kind of sorrow that brings tears of grief and the sobs of loss? In this passage, Jesus demonstrates that he cares about you. He cares because he loves you and made you in the image of God.

The author of Hebrews wrote, "For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin" (Hebrews 4:15 NASB).

It is easy to share the feelings of the Greeks about God. Sometimes we think God is so far away from us and think, "How can he care about me?" It is easy to feel as though we don't matter to anyone. We matter to Jesus. We serve a Savior who can feel our very emotions and cares more than we may know about us. Indeed, he hurts when we do.

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