

### 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 14

READ SCRIPTURE

Ken Russell

OFFICIATE LORD'S TABLE

Mark Hatcher

SERVE COMMUNION

Theron Schultz Malon Schuler

Phillip Perkins

PREACHING

11 a. m. - Wayne Hatcher

6 p. m. - Wayne Hatcher

LEAD SINGING

Scott Huff

### In Christ We Have:

A love that can never be fathomed.  
A life that can never die.  
A peace that can never be understood.  
A rest that can never be disturbed.  
A joy that can never be diminished.  
A hope that can never be disappointed.  
A glory that can never be clouded.  
A happiness that can never be interrupted.  
A light that can never be extinguished.  
A strength that can never be overcome.  
A beauty that can never be marred.  
A purity that can never be defiled.  
Resources that can never be exhausted.

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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](http://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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### My Bible

Though the cover is worn,  
And the pages are torn,  
And though places bear traces of tears,  
Yet more precious than gold  
Is the Book worn and old,  
That can shatter and scatter my fears.  
When I prayerfully look,  
In the precious old Book,  
As my eyes scan the pages I see,  
Many tokens of love  
From the Father above,  
Who is nearest and dearest to me.  
This old Book is my guide,  
'Tis a friend by my side,  
It will lighten and brighten my way;  
And each promise I find  
Soothes and gladdens my mind  
As I read and heed it today.



- Author Unknown

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**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Bessie Brooks on dialysis; R.T. Turner; James Horton; Lori Brewer; Wrendle Jones (Becky's dad); Parker Bybee; Linda Forbes; Temisha Denison returned home from Charleston a few days ago; Mary Locke; Phillip Perkins; Leon Seaton; Bill Brooks; Steve Hatcher (brother of our Mark Hatcher) has been in the hospital and is now in NHC in Glasgow for therapy; Jackie Coop spent a couple of days in T.J. Samson Hosp. last week; Stanley & Betty Walton

**FRIENDS AND COMMUNITY**

Joey Chaney; Stella Downs; Sherian Gray; Randy Scott; Doug Isenberg; Brad Terry; Kim Hatcher; Charlene Skaggs (Dianna Proffitt's mom); Larry D. Glass; Gail Hatcher Coats; those who have lost loved ones in our community

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**SUNDAY A.M. AUDITORIUM CLASS**

We are in the Summer Quarter on the theme: *Minor New Testament Figures* This morning we will study "Titus" Wayne serves as the teacher.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY**

Remember our study on Wed. nights -- "The End of Time" Mike Thompson serves as the teacher. If you are not attending our bible classes, you are missing some great studies!!

**NEW INFORMATIONAL DIRECTORY**

Reminder: If you have not filled out a sheet for our new Informational Directory, please do so as we are needing to start printing. Also for those who wish us to take your picture, please see Wayne so that can be done.

**WORSHIP & POTLUCK MEAL**

We appreciated the lessons brought to us on Sun., July 31 by Robbie Fudge. The "potluck" meal after worship was one of the best ever!!! I know the Reynolds family appreciated it very much.

**SPECIAL THANKS**

At the "potluck" meal, Becky and I were totally surprised when we were presented a special cake in honor of our 46th Wedding Anniversary. Also we greatly appreciated the card shower. You all helped to make it a special day for us, and we will always remember it!!!

Darrell Wallace filled in last Sunday while we took a few days of vacation before school started this past Wed.

**MID-SOUTH BIBLE INSTITUTE**

in Glasgow resumes Aug. 30 at 6:30 Topic: *Excellence In Spiritual Leadership* Richard Rogers is the instructor. See bulletin board for details.

**TEST YOUR BIBLE IQ**

What was the fourth plague brought upon Egypt by Moses?

The answer to the last bible question: the tower of Babel Gen. 11:4

**Visitors are always appreciated and welcomed !!!**

**The Ground Is Level At the Foot of the Cross**

by Charles C. Pugh III

All souls are equally precious in the sight of God. The riches of the rich, the poverty of the poor, the degrees of the educated, the ignorance of the uneducated, the color of the skin, the social class, and other similar things, mean nothing when it comes to standing before God for the salvation of one's soul. The principle is illustrated throughout the Sacred Scriptures. God said to Moses, "The rich shall not give more, and the poor shall not give less...to make atonement for your souls" (Ex. 30:15).

**The ground is level at the foot of the cross (i.e. before Jesus Christ who is the "Great Equalizer" of men) when it comes to identity.** All are made in the image of God (cf. Gen. 1:26-27). Paul declared, "And He has made from one blood every nation of man..." (Acts 17:26). "The rich and the poor have this in common, the Lord is the maker of them all" (Prov. 22:2). Furthermore, all accountable persons are identified as having sinned (Rom. 3:23). The only exception to this is the Man Jesus Christ (Heb. 4:15; 1 Pet. 2:21-23). There is no one who does not sin (1 Kings 8:46). Apart from Jesus Christ, all are under sin (Rom. 3:9).

**The ground is level at the foot of the cross when it comes to duty.**

Peter said, "In truth I perceive that God shows no partiality. But in every nation whoever fears Him and works righteousness is accepted by Him" (Acts 10:34-35). All must believe (Heb. 11:6). All must repent (Acts 17:30). All must confess Jesus Christ (Rom. 10:9-10). All must be baptized (Rom. 10:13; Acts 22:16). All must live faithful to Jesus Christ (Rev. 2:10). The duty (i.e. the whole of every man, what human life in a sense is all about) is to fear God and keep His commandments (Ecc. 12:13).

**The ground is level at the foot of the cross when it comes to destiny.** All will die. Wise men as well as foolish men die (Psa. 49:10). There is no man who has power over the spirit to retain the spirit (Ecc. 8:8). Death is the irreducible common denominator of all men (Heb. 9:27). All will be judged. Paul wrote, "For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ..." (2 Cor. 5:10). There is yet to come a universal, end-time judgment day. John in prophecy, "saw the dead, small and great, standing before God...judged according to their works" (Rev. 20:12). Such will occur at the last day in human history (cf. John 5:28-29; 6:44; Acts 17:31). All will be rewarded. "...Tribulation and anguish (i.e. Hell) on every soul of man who does evil...glory, honor, and peace (i.e. Heaven) to everyone who works what is good...for there is no partiality with God" (Rom. 2:9-10, emphasis added).