

Tidings From Timothy

Well, we may not have made a new record, but I know that Friends and Family Day was a success. First, we made a lot of good contacts on that will bear fruit in the future. Secondly, the church here was edified as everyone did their part and caused both the worship and the fellowship meal afterward to go so smoothly. We had visitors from all over. Even various states and another country (England) were represented! Let's strive to invite people like that in our upcoming Gospel Meeting.

Meeting: I will be speaking in a meeting tomorrow night at Poplar Log. That meeting will go through Wednesday with different speakers – the meeting time is 7pm.

Library Additions: Two more books are being added this week. The **New Ideal Hymn Book** and **The Joyful Heart: Daily Meditations** by Watchman Nee (yes, that's his name) are ready to check out.

Food Pantry: We have been getting some good donations. If you don't know what to donate or have a hard time getting to the grocery, then you can give some money to a deacon for the purpose of purchasing some needed items.

In Need of Prayer

People have been generally on the mend. Eldrane Proffitt and Rachel Bartley have been recovering from knee operations. Rachel is at home and Eldrane is getting therapy for her knee replacements.

Birthdays

Josh Harlan	12 th
Daniel Harlan	12 th
Chris Harlan	13 th
Mary Helen Bartley	13 th
Diane Harlan	15 th
Donna Murray	15 th
Alex Johnson	15 th
Jeff Proffitt	15 th

Happy Anniversary! to Gary and Greta Bartley – September 11 and to Charlie & Janice Williams – September 14.

Teacher's Supply Room: The old Food Pantry has been converted into a storage room for teacher supplies. If you would like to donate some things for teachers here to use in their classes, just go downstairs and look to see what is lacking ;or you could ask Connie McHenry or one of the teachers what they might want in it. Have fun teachers!

Wrong is Always Wrong by Wayne Jackson

Siful human beings are ever attempting to blur the distinction between "right" and "wrong." This inclination reaches far back into antiquity. The Book of Proverbs declares: "He that justifies the wicked, and he that condemns the righteous, both of them alike are an abomination unto Jehovah" (17:15). Later, the prophet Isaiah affirmed: "Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!" (Isaiah 5:20). Amos spoke of those who "turn justice to wormwood, and cast down righteousness to the earth" (Amos 5:7).

"Right" and "wrong" exist. They are not merely evolved inclinations that have been humanly contrived in order to introduce a sense of order and security into society. Nor are "right" and "wrong" subjectively determined so that, practically speaking, each person functions as his own law-maker. Rather, morality is to be measured by the laws and principles of divine revelation, as made known in the inspired writings of the Bible. Ultimately, morality is grounded in the very nature of God Himself. "[A]s he who calls you is holy, be ye yourselves also holy" (1 Peter 1:15). Though such a concept is almost wholly rejected by modern society, there is ample evidence to support it.

"Right" and "wrong" are not grounded in what a majority of the population "feels" is ethical. Jesus Christ is a King; He has not implemented a democracy to determine, by majority vote, how human beings ought to live. Man can never be his own guide. "O Jehovah, I know that the way of man is not in himself; it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps" (Jeremiah 10:23).

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What Must I do to be saved?

- **Hear the Gospel - Acts 15:7**
 - **Believe the Gospel - Mark 16:15,16**
 - **Repent of Sins - Acts 17:30**
 - **Confess Christ - Rom. 10:9,10**
 - **Be Baptized for the Forgiveness of Sins - Acts 2:38**
- Then, as a Christian we must:
- **LIVE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH - REV. 2:10**

Study the Bible?

God speaks to us today through the Holy Word of God - The Bible (Hebrews 1:1-2). The Scriptures instruct us in the way God requires His people to live (2 Timothy 3:16,17). The Bible is powerful and able to save us (Romans 1:16; James 1:21-25), if we will hear, learn and obey it.

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Jeremiah 2:20 - 22²⁰ “For of old I have broken your yoke *and* burst your bonds; And you said, ‘I will not transgress,’ When on every high hill and under every green tree You lay down, playing the harlot.²¹ Yet I had planted you a noble vine, a seed of highest quality. How then have you turned before Me Into the degenerate plant of an alien vine?²² For though you wash yourself with lye, and use much soap, *Yet* your iniquity is marked before Me,” says the Lord GOD.

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Schedule of Services:

Sunday:

Bible Study...	9:30am
Morning Worship...	10:05am
Evening Worship...	6pm

Wednesday:

Bible Study...	7pm
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