

Tidings From Timothy

Dorothy Bryant has been visiting with us for some weeks now and she had been studying her Bible and making a lot of progress. Recently, she finished the entire Hurt Bible Correspondence Course (not many people complete the whole thing) and made request to be baptized. Brother Dyer and I went out to see her on Thursday and sister Bryant was baptized into Christ that very day! Welcome her into the church family and we will have some directory updates for you on her and other recent converts next week. Brethen, let's keep up the good work. The Lord's cause is going forward in Monroe County!

In Need of Prayer: Several are recovering from recent medical procedures. Let me know if any of them are missing from the prayer list out front.



Pantry: You all have been responding in a big way in our effort to replenish the food pantry. There are still some specific items needed, but we are well on our way to being restocked. This weeks' item is: Canned potatoes or mashed potato mix.

Graduates: Congratulations to all of you and thanks to those who helped make last week's ice cream supper for the graduates such a success.



Camp: I am determined to set a date for a weekend getaway for the young and young at heart here locally. We will announce about that in a couple of weeks. Also, there is an advertisement out front

for the Bible Camp at Tennessee Bible College in July. If you are interested, let me know. I will be there helping in the daytime at this camp.

Wrong is Always Wrong by Wayne Jackson

Sinful 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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- 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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Verses for the Lord's Supper: Matthew 26:26-28, "And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and brake it, and gave it to the disciples, and said, Take, eat, this is my body. And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all of it; for this is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many for the remission of sins."

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 Morning Worship... 10:05am
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Bible Study... 7pm

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