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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes..... 9:30 AM

AM Worship..... 10:25 AM

PM Worship..... 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY:

Ladies' Bible Class..... 10:00 AM

Bible Classes and Devo..... 7:00 PM



BIBLE LESSON TEXTS

Sunday, January 14

Paul's Friends

Acts 18

Wednesday, January 17

Paul in Ephesus

Acts 19

God's Salvation Plan

HEAR the Gospel – Romans 10:17

BELIEVE on the Lord & His Word – Mark 16:16; John 8:24

REPENT of our sins – Luke 13:3,5; Acts 17:30

CONFESS Christ – Matthew 10:32; Luke 12:8; Romans 10:9-10

BE BAPTIZED for the remission of sins—Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16; Galatians 3:27; 1 Peter 3:21

LIVE a faithful, dedicated life – Revelation 2:10; James 1:12

And Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the LORD, which he commanded them not. And there went out fire from the LORD, and devoured them, and they died before the LORD. Then Moses said unto Aaron, This is it that the LORD spake, saying, I will be sanctified in them that come nigh me, and before all the people I will be glorified. And Aaron held his peace. And Moses called Mishael and Elzaphan, the sons of Uzziel the uncle of Aaron, and said unto them, Come near, carry your brethren from before the sanctuary out of the camp. So they went near, and carried them in their coats out of the camp; as Moses had said. And Moses said unto Aaron, and unto Eleazar and unto Ithamar, his sons, Uncover not your heads, neither rend your clothes; lest ye die, and lest wrath come upon all the people: but let your brethren, the whole house of Israel, bewail the burning which the LORD hath kindled. And ye shall not go out from the door of the tabernacle of the congregation, lest ye die: for the anointing oil of the LORD is upon you. And they did according to the word of Moses. And the LORD spake unto Aaron, saying, Do not drink wine nor strong drink, thou, nor thy sons with thee, when ye go into the tabernacle of the congregation, lest ye die: it shall be a statute for ever throughout your generations: And that ye may put difference between holy and unholy, and between unclean and clean; And that ye may teach the children of Israel all the statutes which the LORD hath spoken unto them by the hand of Moses. And Moses spake unto Aaron, and unto Eleazar and unto Ithamar, his sons that were left, Take the meat offering that remaineth of the offerings of the LORD made by fire, and eat it without leaven beside the altar: for it is most holy: (Lev 10:1-12)



Pictured this week: the familiar front of the building from Highway 8

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**The Royal Marriage Feast – Part 3
(Matthew 22:2-14)**

The initial invitees rejected the invitation. That did not stop the King. “Therefore go into the highways, and as many as you find, invite to the wedding.’ So those servants went out into the highways and gathered together all whom they found, both bad and good. And the wedding hall was filled with guests.” Jesus’ initial ministry was limited to the Jews (Matthew 10:6). Israel rejected Jesus. Now God’s invitation is open to the world. “For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life” (John 3:16). Mark records, “And He said to them, “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned” (Mark 16:15-16).

“But when the king came in to see the guests, he saw a man there who did not have on a wedding garment. So he said to him, ‘Friend, how did you come in here without a wedding garment?’ And he was speechless. Then the king said to the servants, ‘Bind him hand and foot, take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.’ For many are called, but few are chosen.”

One must wear the king’s garments. We must put on Christ in baptism. “For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ” (Galatians 3:27). His righteousness must be our righteousness or we will not enter (Matthew 5:20). Paul said that he wanted to “be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which is from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ” (Philippians 3:9). Not everyone who comes to the wedding feast will be saved. Why? They were not faithful. They will not receive the crown of life (Revelation 2:10).

God bless you, and I love you.
Kevin Cauley

January 14, 2024 SERVANTS

Announcements:John Thomas

LORD'S TABLE: Jody Thomas
Tommy McGee..... Maddux Tyndell

AM Songleader Blake Tyndell

AM PRAYERS **PM PRAYERS**
Dave Conley..... Scott Overstreet
Justin Tyndell John Thomas

PM Songleader:Gavin Cauley

PM Communion: Jim Patterson
Prepare and fill communion trays for January:
Janiece Richardson and Wilma Alexander

January 21, 2024 SERVANTS

Announcements:John Thomas

LORD'S TABLE: Jody Thomas
Tommy McGee..... Maddux Tyndell

AM Songleader Tyler Orbison

AM PRAYERS **PM PRAYERS**
Blake Tyndell..... Jerry Yates
Justin Arsenault..... Jim Patterson

PM Songleader: Scott Overstreet

PM Communion: Jim Patterson
Prepare and fill communion trays for January:
Janiece Richardson and Wilma Alexander

Visitor Cards are picked up Sunday mornings after announcements by **Deacon Tyndell** and **Parker Orr**.
If you cannot serve, please call **John D. Thomas-903-490-5572**.
If you would like to host a **POTLUCK LUNCHEON** in 2024, please sign up on the bulletin board

Birthdays!

Donna Patterson	January 17
Brianna Seagraves	January 18



Peanut Butter
H2R wants
canned cream corn

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

SUNDAY, January 7, 2024

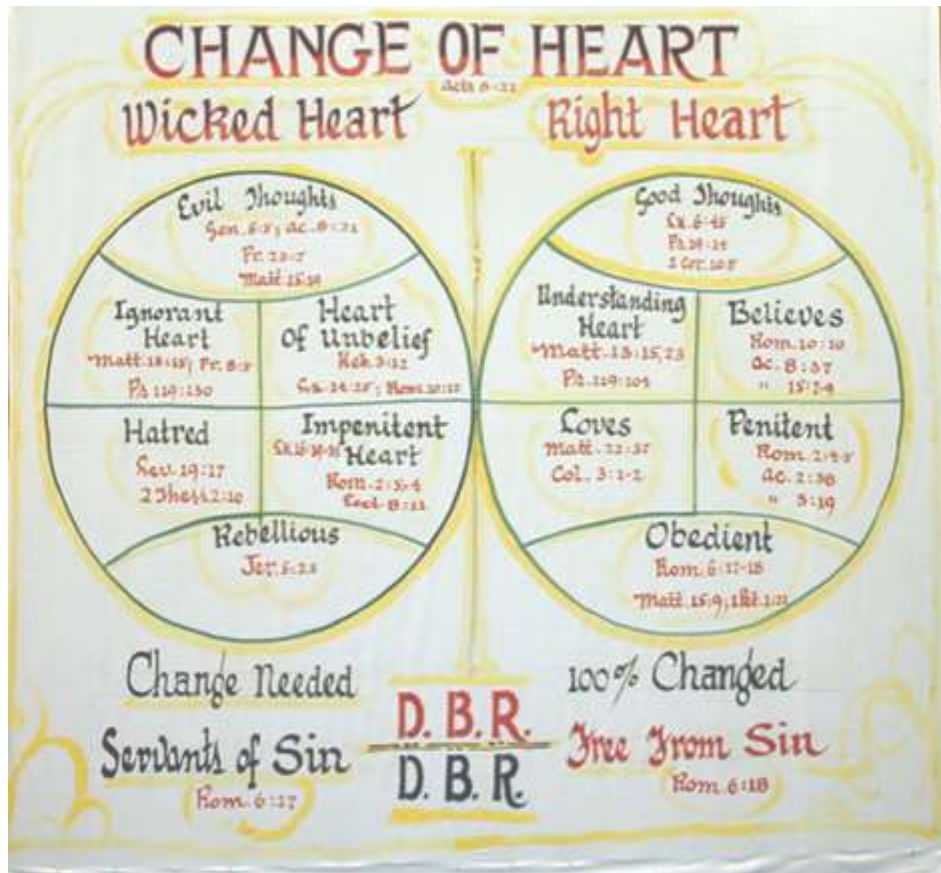
Bible Class-----	50
AM Worship-----	86
PM Worship-----	48
Contribution-----	\$2,181.65
Average to Date -----	\$2,181.65
Budget to Date-----	\$3,127.00

Wednesday 3, 2024

Bible Class-----	36
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Reminders/Notices

1. Ladies' Bible Class resumed this week!
2. Please mark your calendars for January—Potluck will be on the 21st after morning worship.
3. Please mark your calendars for January—Youth Activity will be on the 28th after morning worship.
4. Please mark your January 2024 calendars (3rd times the charm!) Game night January 26th at 5:30 pm. Bring games and fingerfoods
5. Cass County church of Christ in Bloomburg will have a singing January 19, from 7-8 pm.
6. Check our bulletin board for other events taking place in the area. I know of at least three other upcoming events at nearby congregations.
7. It has been good to see our travellers back from holiday excursions, and it is good to get back into routine(s)! There is much to do today, this week, month, and year!
8. Women of Valor 6th annual retreat will be March 21-23 at Camp Ida. Registration forms and all pertinent event information are on the table in the foyer.



CHANGE OF HEART
Acts 9:1-18

Wicked Heart		Right Heart	
Evil Thoughts <i>Gen. 6:5; Ac. 8:1-23</i> Ps. 23:17 Matt. 23:35	Heart of Unbelief <i>Heb. 3:12</i> <i>Ca. 24:18; Rom. 2:17</i>	Good Thoughts <i>Ca. 6:18</i> Ps. 34:18 1 Cor. 10:6	Believes <i>Rom. 10:17</i> <i>Ac. 8:37</i> " 15:3-4
Ignorant Heart <i>Matt. 13:13; Ps. 82</i> Ps. 119:130	Impenitent Heart <i>Ca. 14:14; Rom. 2:15-4</i> <i>Col. 3:7</i>	Understanding Heart <i>Matt. 13:15, 23</i> Ps. 119:104	Penitent <i>Rom. 2:13</i> <i>Ac. 2:38</i> " 3:19
Hatred <i>Lev. 19:17</i> <i>2 The. 1:10</i>	Rebellious <i>Jer. 1:23</i>	Loves <i>Matt. 22:37</i> <i>Col. 3:1-2</i>	Obedient <i>Rom. 6:17-18</i> Matt. 15:9, 18:1-11
Change Needed Servants of Sin <i>Rom. 6:17</i>		100% Changed D.B.R. Free From Sin <i>Rom. 6:18</i>	

A Scriptural reminder of the power of the Gospel to call and CONVERT (CHANGE) souls out of the world. The D.B.R. (death, burial, and resurrection) is key here (1 Corinthians 15:1-4 and Romans 6:1-6). While what has been done is dramatic, and what is still observed going on in this process equally dynamic, we expect to be changed in even more drastic fashion when Christ returns. (1 Corinthians 15:51-52) jp