

Prayer List



Of Our Number

- ◆ Janice Carnley—Shoal Creek
- ◆ Jennifer Derrick—tests upcoming
- ◆ Rick Hemphill—physical rehab.
- ◆ Jeff Mashburn—blood press. issues

Others in Need

- ◆ Bobby Adams—passed away
- ◆ Francis Adams—health problems
- ◆ Terri Adams—cancer
- ◆ Johnny Angel—back surgery, knee infection
- ◆ Fran Carlos—back surgery
- ◆ Bonnie Crites—knee pain, surgery
- ◆ Louise Douglas—health problems
- ◆ Kim Dunn—cancer
- ◆ Joyce Faulk—health problems
- ◆ Jennifer Foxworth—health problems
- ◆ Trent Foxworth—sick
- ◆ Melba Fuqua—hospice
- ◆ Annette Garrett - Non-H. lymphoma
- ◆ Kiptyn Gillis—non-cancerous tumor
- ◆ Jerry Madden—cancer

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- ◆ Amy Snyder—injured shoulder
- ◆ Ron Yusnukis—back surgery
- ◆ Pray for Christians overseas, such as those facing persecution in Pakistan and certain parts of India.
- ◆ Pray for peace, pray for the bereaved, the persecuted, sick/suffering, civil leaders, military, 1st responders, the lost, enemies.
- ◆ Pray for our evangelistic efforts

Events



If the Lord wills...

May 3-6
Our Gospel Meeting with Ed Casteel

May 9
Men's Breakfast

To Our Visitors



We are happy and honored that you are here! Please fill out a visitor's card and give us a chance to get to know you. If you have any questions about anything said or done in Bible class or worship, please ask. We seek to give a Bible answer for everything we do (Colossians 3:17; 1 Peter 3:15; 4:11).

Privileged to Serve



Announcements: Leo Derrick
Song Leading: Sunday—Mark Howze; Wednesday—Ethan Howze
Serving the Lord's Supper
Head: Glenn Howze; Helpers: Caleb Howze, David Howze, Ezra Howze
Lord's Supper PM
Head: Johnny Moss
Helper: Jacob Mashburn
Bible Reading: Rick Hemphill

Faithful Worship — **1) Praying** to God the Father in the name of Jesus Christ (Luke 11:1-2; John 16:23; Eph. 5:20; Php. 4:6); **2) Singing** without mechanical instruments (Matt. 26:30; Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16-17; Heb. 2:12); **3) Preaching** God's Word (Mark 16:15-16; Acts 2:42; 20:7); **4) Giving** weekly as prospered, cheerfully (1 Cor. 16:1-2; 2 Cor. 9:7); **5) The Lord's Supper** on the first day of every week (Matt. 26:26-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 11:20-34; 16:2; Heb. 10:23-31).

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Meeting Times

Sundays:

10AM Bible Class
11AM Worship
6PM Worship

Wednesdays:

7PM Bible Class

Other Information

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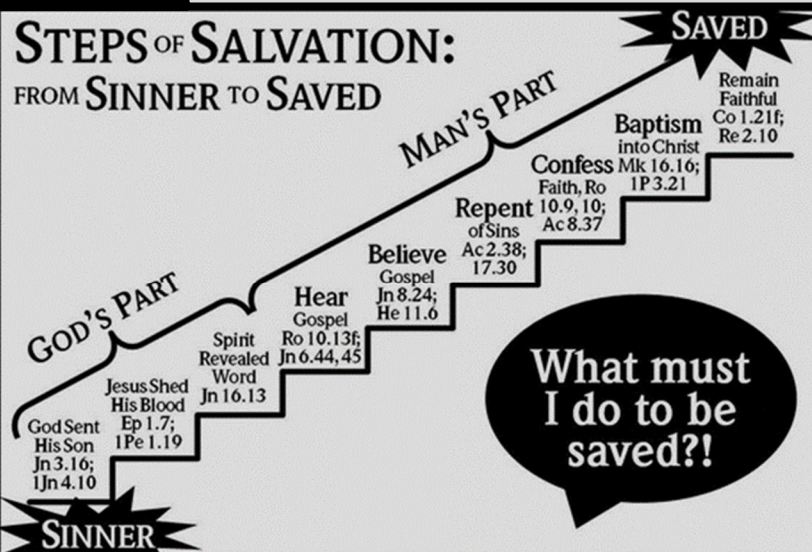
Premeditated Murder

Every day in the United States of America there is an holocaust of innocent lives being carried out. This destruction of innocent lives is not being conducted by an aggressive invading army or religious terrorist who fanatically kill men, women, and children. This killing of innocents is premeditated murder that is sanctioned by both the federal and state government. It is called abortion. Abortion is the deliberate annihilation of a human life while yet in its mother's womb. Why has society advanced to the point that the womb is an extremely dangerous place for a baby to live? There is no reverence of God in many hearts and many Americans are more concerned about sexual freedom than protecting the innocent babies that cannot defend themselves. We must as a people abhor the premeditated murder of an unborn child. One of the arguments advanced by "pro-choice" adherents is the woman's right over her body. What about the rights of the baby? An unborn baby is human. An unborn baby is alive. An unborn baby can respond to stimuli, yet, the society of death is seeking to murder them. Our culture has established laws to protect seals and bald eagles, but the most innocent of our society, babies, has an open season on them. God views the unborn baby as human. It is written: For You formed my inward parts; You covered me in my mother's womb. I will praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made; Marvelous are Your works, And that my soul knows very well (Psa. 139:13-14—NKJV). Dear friend, let each one of us stand firm against abortion, the premeditated murder of innocent babies.

—Paul Vaughn

STEPS OF SALVATION: FROM SINNER TO SAVED

"...ye were the servants of sin..."
(Romans 6:17).



What must I do to be saved?!

"...but ye have obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine which was delivered you. Being then made free from sin, ye became the servants of righteousness" (Rom. 6:17b-18).

Paul's Lists

As you study Paul's epistles in the New Testament, you will find that he frequently made lists. The contrast between the works of the flesh and the fruit of the Spirit in Galatians 5:19-23 is an example of such a list. Romans 1:20-32 contains a list of progressive sins committed by those who depart from God. Paul reminded the Corinthians that some of them had been fornicators, idolaters, adulterers, homosexuals, sodomites, thieves, covetous, drunkards, revilers, and extortioners, but they had been washed, sanctified, and justified (1 Cor. 6:9-11).

The armor of God is listed in Ephesians 6:14-17. Things to meditate on are listed in Philippians 4:8. The vices of the "old man" to "put off" are listed in Colossians 3:5-9, while the virtues of the "new man" to "put on" are listed in verses 12-14. Activities that are contrary to sound doctrine are listed in 1 Timothy 1:9-11.

The list of Paul's lists could go on.

Why did the Holy Spirit lead Paul to make these lists in his writings? Some would prefer to live in a world of vague generalities and grey areas. They will acknowledge there is a difference between right and wrong, but they don't want to be specific about such things.

God's word does set forth principles of righteousness and ungodliness, and we are to understand these and conduct ourselves accordingly. However, God goes even further and draws clear lines identifying exactly what behaviors constitute righteousness and ungodliness. These lists are in the Bible for a reason. They are for our benefit, removing all doubt, so we can know what God expects of us. Let's pay attention to them. —Heath Rogers

"Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law" (Galatians 5:19-23).

WE INVITE YOU

MAY 3-6, 2026

with guest speaker:

Ed Casteel



Meeting Times:

Sunday: 10am 11am & 2pm

Monday - Wednesday: 7pm