

**JULY 31
2016**

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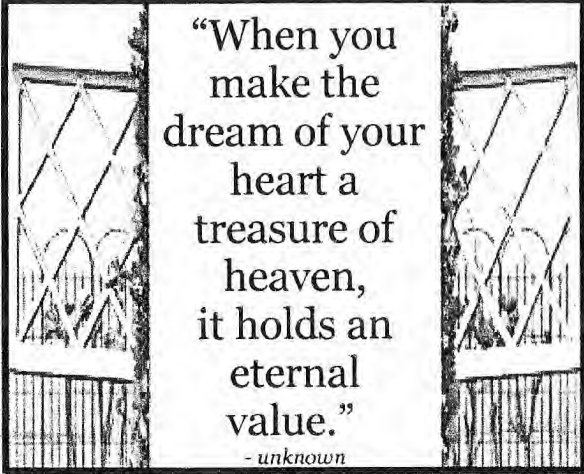
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**ATM INSIDE...
ATONEMENT, TRUTH AND MERCY**

***Welcome to the Church
Where the SHOUT
Has Not Gone OUT!***



**“When you
make the
dream of your
heart a
treasure of
heaven,
it holds an
eternal
value.”**

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THIS WEEK

SERVICE TIMES

SUNDAY 10:00 AM 10:55 AM

SUNDAY Sunday School for all ages 10:00 AM
Children's Church 11:00 AM

Kid's B.L.A.S.T., G.A.P. & TEENS 6:00 PM

YOUNG ADULTS CLASS 6:00 PM

SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY Hour of Power 7:00 PM

PRE-TEENS; TEENS & KID'S TIME 7:00 PM

CALENDAR OF RECURRING EVENTS:

3rd TUESDAY Ladies Senior Visitation Ministry 9:30 AM
(Check with Becky Martin)

1st THUR Sweet Spirits 6:30 PM

3rd THUR Men's Fellowship 6:30 PM

4th THUR Ladies Fellowship 6:30 PM

FROM THE PASTOR . . .



(2 Chron. 18) As we make God's will the top priority in our lives, we will increasingly view our lives and make our decisions with God's perspective. But if our spiritual eye is no longer clear and the Lord's will and His interests are no longer our primary will and interest, then our spiritual eyesight is bad. Moral issues are out of focus and distorted in one way or another. Without clear spiritual vision, our blind spots will accumulate. One wrong moral judgment will lead to another—even though we are convinced we have our act together! For example, if we shift our focus away from the Lord to "my happiness," or "my material security," our moral decisions and choices will be seriously affected. We will think in terms of "What's in it for me?" If our thinking is out of focus, we find ourselves unwilling (*desire-wise*) or unable (*strength-wise*) to do what is right. Obviously, it's because the Lord is no longer at the center of our life—Get right!

TODAY'S USHERS — July 31

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| 1. Tom Rhatigan | 4. Gary Blankenship |
| 2. Carl Summy | 5. Jerry Butler |
| 3. Lawrence Agee | 6. David Cummings |

Alternates: Brad Gillaspay/Percy Gunter

NEXT SUNDAY'S USHERS—August 7

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| 1. Robby Dawson | 4. Brad Gillaspay |
| 2. Randy Dearing | 5. Percy Gunter |
| 3. Tom Frank | 6. Bobby Harrison |

Alternates: Matt Harrison/Lewis Lee

USHERS FOR WEDNESDAY—August 3

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| 1. Bobby Harrison | 3. John Koleznar |
| 2. Matt Harrison | 4. Lewis Lee |

Alternates: Joe Morris/Tom Rhatigan

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

IT'S CHURCH FOR KIDS!

Come Join us . . . Holley & Cindy

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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| July 31 | Orie Wilgus |
| July 31 | Nolan Martin |
| August 1 | Trevor Bruffy |
| August 3 | Margaret Bell |
| August 4 | Jennifer Martin |
| August 5 | Kimberly Gilbert |
| August 5 | Horace Anderson |
| August 5 | Rosie Guinn |
| August 6 | Becky Martin |
| August 6 | John Koleznar |
| August 6 | Diane Gregory |



LAUGHTER IS GOOD MEDICINE— An Episcopal pastor always used a standard message for funerals. To personalize each service, he would use the "Find and Replace" command on his computer to replace the name of the deceased from the previous funeral with the new name for the current funeral. He had printed off the new programs, and it was going smoothly until they started to quote the Apostle's Creed. "Jesus Christ," the congregation read from the program, "born of the Virgin Edna..."



SPECIAL NOTES



ATTENTION: Children's Ministry Workers or if you would like to join our Children's Ministry, we have a meeting today at 4 PM.



B.L.A.S.T. Kid's Program will be **TONIGHT** at 6:00 PM and we will continue with our series, "WHAT IS A HERO?" ... Rescue/Fire & EMT and our Lesson will focus on *JESUS*. On August 7, we will start learning about Defend/Military and our Lesson will be on David. Bring your friends—it's **GREAT!**



AUGUST 7th—NEXT SUNDAY, We are having an **AWESOME SUMMER RETREAT** from 1:00 - 5PM for **KIDS AGES 10—12 only**. We will have baked spaghetti for lunch then go to Percival's Island, for hiking and a lesson then come back to the church for games & a craft until time for **B.L.A.S.T.!** Permission slips are required, bring a change of clothes and wear tennis shoes!



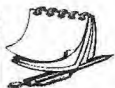
JOIN US THIS WEDNESDAY:

- * **ADULTS Bible Study in Ezekiel**
- * **TEEN GROUP**
- * **PRE-TEENS**
- * **KID'S TIME**



SWEET SPIRITS will be on **THURSDAY, Aug. 4** at 6:00 PM. We will be having **Breakfast for Supper** and everyone is invited!

SERMON NOTES



PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY



Calvin Barker	Heath Morris
Nick Davis	Seth Morris
Caleb Morris	Josh Overstreet

**"You can build a religious
organization on entertainment,
but you can't build a church."**

TV: *In The Garden* Program on "ALIVE" TV,

Shentel Cable Channel 15

Sun. 11AM; Tue. 8PM; Thu. 5PM; Sat. 9PM.

RADIO: *In The Garden* Radio Program

(WRMV—94.5FM) 5:30 p.m. Mon.—Fri.

EXPECT A MIRACLE!

STATEMENT OF FAITH

WE BELIEVE the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God.

2 Timothy 3:15-17; 2 Peter 1:21

WE BELIEVE there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Genesis 1:1; Deuteronomy 6:4; Matthew 28:19; John 10:30.

WE BELIEVE in the deity of Christ, John 10:33.

His virgin birth, Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23;

Luke 1:34-35. His sinless life, Hebrews 4:15; 7:26.

His miracles, John 2:11. His vicarious and atoning death, 1 Corinthians 15:3; Ephesians 1:7; Hebrews 2:9. His resurrection, John 11:25; 1 Corinthians 15:4.

His ascension to the right hand of the Father,

Mark 16:19. His personal return to earth in power and glory, Acts 1:11; Revelation 19:11-16.

WE BELIEVE in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature, and that all are justified on the single ground of faith in the blood shed by Christ, and only by God's grace, through faith alone are we saved. John 3:16-19, 5:24; Romans 3:23, 5:8-9; Ephesians 2:8-10; Titus 3:5.

WE BELIEVE in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost: they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are not unto the resurrection of damnation, John 5:28-29.

WE BELIEVE in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, Romans 8:9; 1 Cor. 12:12-13; Galatians 3:26-28.

WE BELIEVE in the present ministry of Holy Spirit by Whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life, Romans 8:13-14; 1 Cor. 3:16, 6:19-20; Eph. 4:30; 5:18.

A Church is a gift from God—Assembly required

- **Web Site Address: ITGM.ORG**

- **FACEBOOK:** *(add us as a friend!)*

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- **YOUTUBE.com/GBCALIVETV**

- **To obtain Prayer App—**

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