

Bible Baptist Temple NEWSLETTER

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— Andrew J. Rusnacko, Pastor —

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"How amiable are thy tabernacles, O LORD of hosts! My soul longeth, yea even fainteth for the courts of the LORD."

-Psalm
84:1,2



Special Announcement - Sunday Night Time Change

Please note *change of time* for Sunday Evening Services ...

Starting October 4, our Sunday night services will begin at **6:00 pm** ... changing from 7:00 pm. (note, Wednesday nights will still begin at 7:00 pm)

Speaking of 'Church' - Bible Baptist Temple Articles of Faith, 12/26/02

XV. Of the Church - "We believe that a New Testament church is a local congregation of baptized believers, founded by the Lord Jesus Christ Himself, associated by Biblical doctrine and fellowship, under the direction of the Lord through His Word and His Spirit, observing the ordinances of Christ - Baptism and the Lord's Supper - governed by His laws, called out to congregate for worship and service, to fulfill the great evangelistic commission of *Matthew 28:19,20*, and to build up the saints to Christian maturity to do the work of the ministry. Each local church is a body of Christ ... Each church is to be autonomous and free from any higher ecclesiastical or political and governmental authority ... "

Canaries & Truth - a Parable

"When the daughter of the Mayor of Baune had lost her canary bird, her wise parent gave strict orders that all the gates of the town should be shut, that the creature might not escape. The bird was soon over the hills and far way despite locking the gates. When a *truth* is once known, no human power can prevent its spreading; attempts to hinder its progress will be as ineffectual as the mayor's proclamation.

As a bird of the air, *truth* flies abroad on swift wings; as a ray of light it enters palaces and cottages; as the unfettered wind it laughs at laws and prohibitions. Walls cannot contain it, nor iron bars imprison it; it is free, and maketh free." (copied)

"Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth." - John 17:17

"I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." - John 14:6

For Truth's Sake

"Truth and Untruth cannot be reconciled, and the difference between them cannot be patched away.

Error is always to be exposed and denounced for truth's sake ... "

- Martyn Lloyd Jones

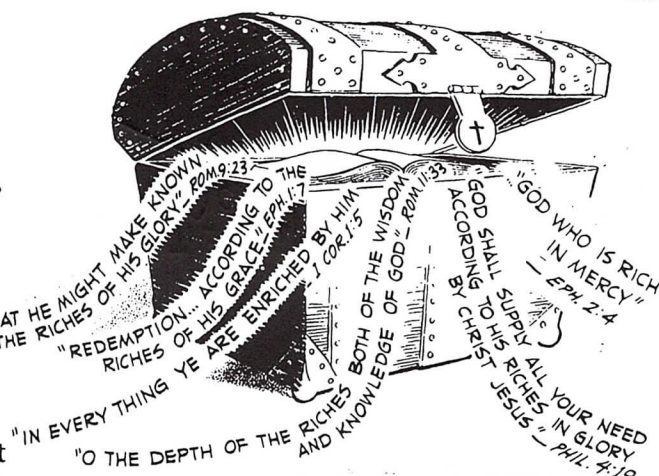
"ENOUGH"

"Enough Happiness to keep us sweet.
Enough Sorrow to keep us human.
Enough Wealth to meet our needs.
Enough Trials to keep us strong.
Enough Failure to keep us humble.
Enough Friends to give us comfort.
Enough Determination to make each day a good one." - copied

What to Do with God's Word

read it = get a Bible
heed it = obey it, live it
need it = like air to breath
speed it = don't delay; some day it will be too late
feed it = like spiritual food; for yourself and others
seed it = plant it into people's thoughts

THINGS THAT FADE



vs. THINGS THAT LAST!

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday Services, 10:30, 11:00 am & 7:00 pm

Wednesdays, Prayer & Bible Studies, 7:00 pm

Friday Night Church - 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month - 7:00 pm

QUOTES

"God takes care of His servants."

"Love makes Duty a Pleasure."

"Holiness is *not* the way to Christ; Christ is the way to holiness."

"Melancholy is the pleasure of being sad."

"You can learn a lot about a man's character by talking to his neighbors."

"Neither skunks nor turtles handle problems right."

"You never get experience by doing nothing."

"Some people have enough 'Christianity' only to make them afraid."

"Worldliness" is whatever makes sin look normal and righteousness look strange.

"He who contends for truth and uprightness must not expect to escape opposition."

A 'Believing' faith is a 'Leaving' faith.

"So Abraham departed, as the LORD had spoken unto him ... " Genesis 12:4 -

"Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate." II Corinthians 6:17

"What a heartbreak it would be to live an 'almost' Christian life, and then only 'almost' get into heaven."

I Kings 8:61

My "Never Again" List

Never again will I confess, "I can't," for, "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

(Philippians 4:13)

2. *Never again* will I confess lack, for, "My God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

(Philippians 4:19)

3. *Never again* will I confess fear, for, "God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."

(II Timothy 1:7)

4. *Never again* will I confess doubt and lack of faith, for, "God hath dealt to every man the measure of faith."

(Romans 12:3c)

5. *Never again* will I confess weakness, for, "the LORD is the strength of my life."

(Psalm 27:1)

6. *Never again* will I confess supremacy of Satan over my life, for, "Greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world."

(I John 4:4)

7. *Never again* will I confess defeat, for, "Thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ."

(II Corinthians 2:14)

8. *Never again* will I confess lack of wisdom, for, "... Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption."

(I Corinthians 1:30)

9. *Never again* will I confess worries and frustrations, for, "Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you."

(I Peter 5:7)

10. *Never again* will I confess bondage for, "where the spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty."

(II Corinthians 3:17)

Over & Under

"People continue to engage in sin because they *over* estimate their power to control it and *under* estimate the damage it will cause them."

"Let your heart therefore be perfect with the LORD our God, to walk in his statutes, and to keep his commandments ..."

"Oh, how great is thy goodness ...

"God's goodness fills creation.

It distinguishes all His works, and is the grand principle of His universal government.

Only the obstinately rebellious deprive themselves of its rich blessings; and even in this life the unbelieving and wicked enjoy the tokens of His unlimited benevolence. But it is a most consolatory doctrine that He is especially good to His saints, to those who know His name, and put their trust in Him. These partake of that goodness which includes the divine complacency and delight. Hence the appropriate language of the text. God's especial and abundant goodness is laid up for His people." (Matthew Henry)

... which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee." - Psalm 31:19

WHY CAPITALISM?

"That's one of the blessings of the free market:

People serve their fellow man *without coercion or caring*. For example I think it's a wonderful thing that Texas cattle ranchers and Idaho potato farmers take the time and effort to ensure that New Yorkers have beef and potatoes. Do you

think they do it because they care about New Yorkers? They may hate New Yorkers, but they make sure there's beef and potatoes on New York supermarket shelves. The *WHY* is easy. They want more for themselves. In a free market (*capitalism*), the best way to have more for yourself is to serve others.

You'll conclude that most good things get done as a result of self-interest, profit motive, private property rights and exchange opportunities. Think about the things that we are dissatisfied with, such as public schools, police services and vehicle registration, etc. There's an absence of profit motive and private property rights."

- Walter Williams

THIS & THAT
From HERE & THERE
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Jewish Population

"The global Jewish population currently stands at around 15.8 million - fewer than the population of the Netherlands. Of these, almost 7.8 million already live in Israel, representing roughly 49 percent."

"Within a decade,"
Israel Today, 5/21/26

New Testament Institution

"The *only* institution in the New Testament is the 'church' - the 'local' church."

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Abortion States

"Massachusetts becomes the eleventh state with no restrictions on abortion." - copied

Christ's 'Friends'

"Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you." - John 15:14

Some think it is quite sufficient if they avoid what He forbids. Abstinence from evil is a great part of righteousness; but it is *not* enough for friendship. If a man can say, I am *not* a drunkard, I am *not* dishonest, I am *not* unchaste ... I am *not* a liar; so far so good, but such righteousness does not exceed that of the scribes and Pharisees, and they cannot enter the kingdom. It is well if you do not willfully transgress; but if you are to be Christ's friends, there must be far more than this. It would be a poor friendship which only said; 'I am your friend; and to prove it, I don't insult you, I don't rob you, I don't speak evil of you.' Surely there must be more positive evidence to certify friendship.

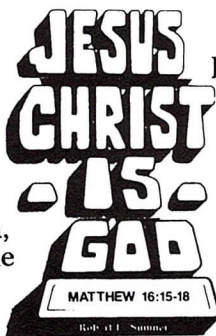
The Lord Jesus Christ lays great stress upon positive duties, it is '*If ye do whatsoever I command you ...*' At the last day He will say; '*I was an hungered, and ye gave me meat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink.*'

In that memorable twenty-fifth chapter of Matthew nothing is said about negative virtues; but positive actions are cited and dwelt upon in detail." - copied

Repentance, etc.

"It is interesting, but not surprising, that people who have a problem with repentance also have a problem with recognizing the Lordship of Christ and this is evidence of a stubborn, self-preserving, egotistical pride after the nature of Satan, whose main problem was and is, an unwillingness to render total submission to the Lord. It is a mark of the fallen nature to want to maintain some degree of self-elevation rather than humble oneself entirely in the dust before God."

- Pastor Charles R. Curtman, "Valiant for Truth", March 1997
Cornerstone Baptist Church, Wyldewood, MO



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Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Morning Services 11:00 a.m.

* Sunday Evening Services 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Studies 7:00 p.m.



September

* NOTE: Starting Oct. 4th
Sunday evening services
start at 6:00 pm.
(Wednesdays
remain at 7:00)

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A Sunday Morning Message Outline:

Believing in Jesus

Acts 4:12, 16:31; John 6:39, 68-69

- I. To Believe Jesus is GOD, Matthew 16:13-17;
John 1:1, 20:31; I John 5:20
- II. To Believe without Visibly Seeing Him,
John 20:28-29
- III. To Believe what He Said about Himself,
Luke 24:27, John 14:6
- IV. To Believe is to Obey Him, Matthew 8:27;
Mark 1:27; Luke 6:46; I John 2:3
- V. To Believe is to Follow Him,
Matthew 4:18-20; Luke 9:23; John 8:12, 10:27
- VI. To Believe on Him is to put Him First, Matthew 6:33
- VII. To Believe is to Witness of Him - tell others about Him,
Acts 5:28, 32, 40-42; Romans 10:9, 10
- VIII. To Believe on Him is to Reject all Others,
Mark 1:18; Luke 14:25; Galatians 1:6-9

What it
really means
to 'believe'
in Jesus

"... Take heed
that no man
deceive you.
For many shall
come in my name,
saying, I am Christ;
and shall deceive
many."
Matthew 24:4,5