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Fall Gospel Meeting October 12-15, 2008

**Elizabethtown
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Elizabethtown, KY**

Sermon Topics:

- 9:30 AM Sunday - "Hindrances to Church Growth"
- 10:30 AM Sunday - "Preaching Christ Crucified"
- 6:00 PM Sunday - "Fathers are Parents, Too"
- 7:00 PM Monday - "The Right View of the Church"
- 7:00 PM Tuesday - "The Right View of Salvation"
- 7:00 PM Wednesday - "God's Pattern for Husbands and Wives"

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1 & 2 Chronicles

As promised, here is the outline of study for 1 & 2 Chronicles for this quarter. I have broken it down into 13 lessons but with our Gospel Meeting we will only have 12 classes. One of our practical studies may need to be incorporated into the textual study. Classes 7-13 will be included next week (jfb).

1 & 2 Chronicles

Hope Rests in God: Learning More About God and His Presence

2 Chron. 16:9

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WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT TO TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

Our Pilgrimage this Quarter: By Pilgrimage I am referring to a journey made to a sacred "place" as an act of devotion. We will journey to the Scripture as this is where God reveals Himself to us today. As we study God's word we are showing an act of devotion toward Him. May we all approach our study as students and teachers realizing our effort will be our act of devotion to God.

Class One: The Beginning of our Pilgrimage: Introduction to 1 & 2 Chronicles

Isn't Chronicles the same material we just studied in the Kings and the books of Samuel? Technically the answer to such a question is no. Yes it is true that the books cover much of the same time periods (Saul to Zedekiah), but Chronicles is not a duplication of the material already covered. Some material may overlap, but God is providing additional important details as well. The Greek translators of the Hebrew Bible referred to the Chronicles by the title "Things Omitted."

Class Two: In This Pilgrimage: Finding our Identity- Who we are to God (1 Chronicles 1-9)

The Hebrews have been discouraged while in Exile. For years their connection to God (Davidic Kingship ties) had been missing. The Genealogies served to remind the Hebrews who God is and their connection to Him. The Israel of today (Gal 6:16) needs to be reminded who God is and of their connection to Him.

Class Three: In This Pilgrimage: Finding Who God is to Us

Sovereign 2 Chron. 20:6; Providential Sustainer 2 Chron. 20:12; Choosing of Israel 1 Chron. 16:13-17-Eph. 1; Faithful to Promise 1 Chron. 17-18:24; Responds to Prayer 2 Chron. 6:40; 7:12; Justifier 2 Chron. 19:7; Goodness 2 Chron. 30:18-20; Merciful 2 Chron. 30:9)

Class Four: In This Pilgrimage: Contrasting Kings-Saul and David (1 Chron. 10-12)

The presence of God with the King made ALL the difference. Here we see additional details regarding Saul's death and David's ascension to the throne.

Class Five: In This Pilgrimage: Learning from God's Spokesmen

We know of God and His presence through His message. Based in Jehoshaphat's speech to Judah exhorting them to believe in God and the word of His prophets (2 Chron. 20:20) I believe we can learn from picking various speeches of prophets in the Chronicles and by examining the speeches to make application in our lives.

Class Six: In This Pilgrimage: David Realizes the Need and Benefits of God's Presence (1 Chron. 13-20)

David realizes the Ark of the Covenant was a key to the special presence of God being with Israel. David returns the Ark to Jerusalem and realizes the benefits of God's presence in military campaigns.

John F. Board
Elizabethtown, KY

News and Notes

DYRENA WHITE was released from Norton's Hospital Monday. **CHARLES WALKER** is being treated at home for pneumonia.

MEMBERS TO INCLUDE ON PRAYER LISTS

Betty Addington	Carl Mercer
Neil Burden	Tom Morgan
Elonda Crafton	Zola Pence
Dana Fox	Adrian Price (Ukraine)
Howard Gardner	Marie Rose
Bernard Gillim	Grace Speer
Faye Guess	Gene Stough
Nellie Hart	Barbara Underwood
Roy Johnson	Lonnie Underwood
David Keister	Dorotha Weaver
Kent Lane	Lawrence Wells
J Martin	

Let us continue to remember the following military personnel in our prayers: Dave Fulbright, Robert E. Wooten, Justin Gardner, Kelly Leverett, George Edwards, Joe Betterton, Myles Brothers, Dale Martin, Terry Turner, Cameron Ponder, Brett Fleming, Mike Chandler, Nathan McClain, Willie Mitchell, Ronald O'Bryant, Roni Reed, Hector Meza, Aaron Wellman, Michael Morrow, Israel Fox

Additional Prayer List: Jan Allen, Weita Anderson, K.C. Avery, Delsie Axton, Bill Bigelow, Christa Bradley, Vickie Brauckmann, Gloria Brown, Grace Brown, Sue Cantrell, Owen Carter, Joyce Cecil, Michael Clymer, Lillian Coleman, Betty Davis, Sydney Dover, David Fant, Royce Goodman, Priscilla Gratton, Renee Green, Terry Griffin, Don Hatcher, Louie Hodge, Rose Johnson, Mike Lane, Michelle Lawson, Lina Lee, Bruce LeFevre, Jennifer Martin, Gayle Massey, Erman McClaskey, Lucinda McCune, Terri McDonald, Julie Murphy, Lynn Parsons, Chris Paul, Joe & John Pawley, Ann Peters, Joe & Patsy Richter, David & Geneva Risinger, Roge-Ge-Neal Smith, Florence Stull, Patsy Taylor, Juanita Tillery, Laura Walker, Kevin Weaver, Polly Weicht, Kendell Whisenant, Nora Wilkins, Sondra Woosley

Pantry Item of the Week

Week of 10/12/08 Boxes/Bags of Rice

BENEVOLENT CENTER UPDATE September 2008

Food Center	196 families helped
Clothing Center	86 families helped

BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE UPDATE September 2008

Courses graded	168
New enrollees	23

Thank You

Thanks to everyone for the many cards, visits, phone calls and most of all the prayers following my surgery and recovery. I look forward to being back to services soon.
Carl Mercer

Sympathy

We express our sympathy to Shane Muncy and his family in the death of his grandmother, Hazel Aubrey, who passed away last week in Texas.

Congratulations

Marvin Hardesty retired last week from Dow Corning. Congratulations, Marvin!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **FALL GOSPEL MEETING, October 12-15**, with Bro. Winford Claiborne of Fayetteville, TN
- **CONGREGATIONAL POTLUCK**, Sunday morning, **October 12**. CSG #4 is in charge of set up and CSG #1 will clean up following the meal.
- **CHURCH WORKERS WORKSHOP**, Monday, **October 13**, at 10:30 a.m.
- **LADIES RETREAT, October 24-25** at White Mills Camp. Cost is \$25 and this should be given to Kay Pack, Mary Woodring or Kim Whobrey by October 19. Renita Archey from Cleveland, TN will be the speaker. Topic: Stress Management for Women. Sign up sheets and information packets are on the table in the lobby.
- **FALL GET-TOGETHER**, Friday night, **October 31**, 5:30 p.m. at the Muncy home in Bardstown. All are encouraged to dress up. Bring finger foods and get ready for lots of fun. Let Shane or Laura know if you plan to attend.
- **MEN'S BREAKFAST**, Saturday, **November 1**, 7:30-9:00 a.m. at Golden Corral.
- **LADIES BRUNCH**, Saturday, **November 1**, 11:00 a.m. hosted by Dorothy Brothers & Renee Lackey at Dorothy's home. All food will be provided.

OUR RECORD FOR October 5, 2008

Sunday Bible Study	124
Sunday Morning Assembly	202
Sunday Evening Assembly	113
Wednesday Bible Study	139
Ladies Bible Class	18
Contribution (Budget -- \$6,309)	\$6,463

Elder/Coordinator for October
Rick Whobrey

Bible Question

This Week's Bible Question: What Babylonian ruler ate oxen food and had hair like feathers?

Last Week's Bible Question: What idol, associated with Moses, was offered sacrifices by later generations of the Israelites? The correct answer is the brazen serpent, 2 Kings 18:4. Kay Thomason, Mary Walker, Betty Bray, and Edna Ashlock correctly answered the question.

Please write down your answer and give it to Ray, put it in the box outside the church office before next Wednesday or email your answer to ray.pack@kvnet.org by Tuesday afternoon. Please include the Scripture reference and your name.

Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Bible Classes	9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship	10:30 A.M.
Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class	10:30 A.M.
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Wednesday

Evening Bible Class	7:00 P.M.
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Daily Bible Reading Schedule

1. Matthew 14:13-17:13
2. Matthew 17:14-20:34
3. Matthew 21-22
4. Matthew 23:1-25:13
5. Matthew 25:14-26:68
6. Matthew 26:69-28:20
7. Mark 1-3
Oct. 12-15 — Gospel Meeting w/Winford Claiborne
Oct. 12 — Congregational Potluck
Oct. 13 — Church Workers Workshop
Oct. 19 — Youth Devotion, Bybees
Oct. 24-25 — Ladies Retreat
Oct. 26 — Singing at Atria
Oct. 31 — Fall Get-together, Muncys
Nov. 1 — Men's Breakfast
Nov. 1 — Ladies Brunch

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