

SABBATH SCHOOL BIBLE STUDY

Journey to *Rome*

September 22th – 28st



- ❖ 9:15 am Morning Song Service
 - ❖ 9:30 - 10:30 am Sabbath School Bible Study
 - **Adult Class in Sanctuary Toby Klassen
 - **Adult Class in Small Classroom.... Constance Nicolas
- “Saying, Fear not, Paul; thou must be brought before Caesar: and, lo, God hath given thee all them that sail with thee.” Acts 27:24**

SABBATH WORSHIP SERVICE

10:45 am

- Doxology #694
- Invocation David Rauh
- Scripture: (John 20:19-20) Toby Klassen
- Offering: (Southwestern Adventist University).....
“But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God: for it is He that giveth thee power to get wealth.” Deut.8:18
- Children's Story Sonja Tesch
- Opening Hymn # 529 “Under His Wings”
- Sharing Time..... Toby Klassen
- Pastoral PrayerToby Klassen
Pre-Prayer Response: # 671
- Message: David Rauh
“He Showed Them His Hands”
- Closing Hymn #469.....
“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”
- Benediction David Rauh



Vegetarian Pot-Luck
following morning Worship
Everyone is invited!

A time to share your favorite dish!!

If the soul is to be purified and ennobled, and made fit for the heavenly courts, there are two lessons to be learned—self-sacrifice and self-control. Some learn these important lessons more easily than do others, for they are exercised by the simple discipline the Lord gives them in gentleness and love. Others require the slow discipline of suffering, that the cleansing fire may purify their hearts of pride and self-reliance, of earthly passion and self-love, that the true gold of character may appear and that they may become victors through the grace of Christ.

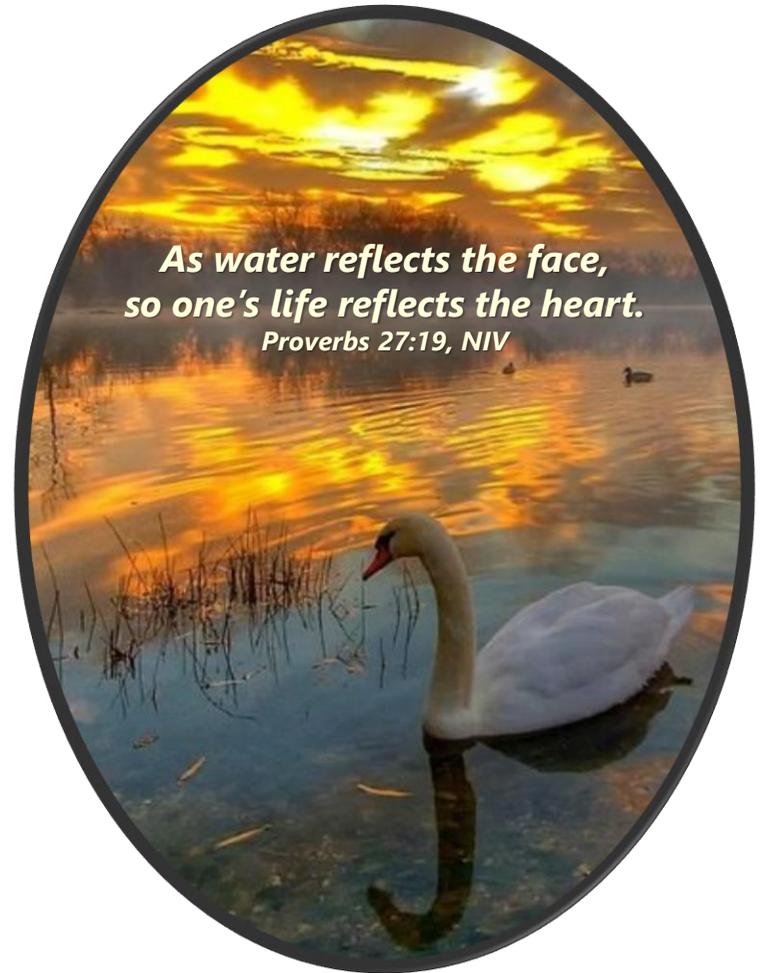
The love of God will strengthen the soul, and through the virtue of the merits of the blood of Christ we may stand unscathed amid the fire of temptation and trial; but no other help can avail to save but Christ, our righteousness, who is made unto us wisdom and sanctification and redemption.

True sanctification is nothing more or less than to love God with all the heart, to walk in His commandments and ordinances blameless. Sanctification is not an emotion but a heaven-born principle that brings all the passions and desires under the control of the Spirit of God; and this work is done through our Lord and Saviour....

...When the grace of Christ is implanted in the soul by the Holy Spirit, its possessor will become humble in spirit and will seek for the society of those whose conversation is upon heavenly things. Then the Spirit will take the things of Christ and show them unto us and will glorify, not the receiver, but the Giver. If, therefore, you have the sacred peace of Christ in your heart, your lips will be filled with praise and thanksgiving to God. Your prayers, the discharge of your duty, your benevolence, your self-denial, will not be the theme of your thought or conversation, but you will magnify Him who gave Himself for you when you were yet a sinner....

....When the Saviour imparts His peace to the soul, the heart will be in perfect harmony with the Word of God, for the Spirit and the Word agree. The Lord honors His Word in all His dealings with men. It is His own will, His own voice, that is revealed to men, and He has no new will, no new truth, aside from His Word, to unfold to His children. If you have a wonderful experience that is not in harmony with expressed directions of God's Word, you may well doubt it, for its origin is not from above. The peace of Christ comes through the knowledge of Jesus whom the Bible reveals.

Faith and Works, Page 87,88



WELCOME

“Welcome to the Mountain Home Seventh-Day Adventist Church. May you feel the brush of angels wings as you worship with us this Sabbath Day.”

Please Maintain Reverence in God's Holy Sanctuary

No Applause Please: It is our desire to do everything to the Glory of God and uplift our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ; therefore, we humbly request simple expressions of praise & "Amens" only. **Cell Phones Off or on Silent, Please!**

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

TODAY:

- **8:30 am Prayer Group meets every Sabbath** - Prayer Room
- **Fellowship Meal** following today's Church Service
1st Sabbath – Singing Gassville Nursing Home

MONDAY:

- **11:00 am "Ladies Bible Study"**- Studying the Book of Judges Small Classroom Fellowship Hall - ?? Joann Klassen 870-424-2051 or Linda Morris 870-404-2135

TUESDAY:

- **5:30 pm – Bible Study** - Harmony of The Gospels

WEDNESDAY:

- **5:30 pm - Prayer Meeting** - 'Steps To Personal Revival'
- **6:30 pm Elders Meeting**

THURSDAY:

- **5:00 pm - Bible Study – 'Seeds of Wisdom'** – Based on "Christ Object Lessons" @ Reynold's Library, 300 Library Hill, Small Conf. Room "B" - ??? Wayne Betham, (870)321-4213

Dear Church Family,

I wanted to thank those who prayed, visited, called, sent cards, brought food, & attended the memorial service at the church for my dad, Shirrell Hipp. He enjoyed the fellowship at church while he was still able to attend. He lived a good life & will be missed.

In Christ's Love,
Lesia Bendler

REMINDER !! To those who can donate needed supplies to support "On Time Ministry" - I plan to deliver more supplies for the Safe Houses on Oct 5th,

ITEMS NEEDED: -Tampons -Toilet Paper -Shampoo -Conditioner Shower Gel -Hand Soap -Tooth Paste -Tooth Brushes -Detergent -Bleach -PineSol -Paper Towels -Tissues -Clorox Wipes -etc. AND Prayers are always needed! Thanks Again! -Linda

IT IS ALL ABOUT PRAYER

Elijah Prayed for Israel's Repentance

Among the mountains of Gilead, east of the Jordan, there dwelt in the days of Ahab a man of faith and prayer whose fearless ministry was destined to check the rapid spread of apostasy in Israel. Far removed from any city of renown, and occupying no high station in life, Elijah the Tishbite nevertheless entered upon his mission confident in God's purpose to prepare the way before him and to give him abundant success. The word of faith and power was upon his lips, and his whole life was devoted to the work of reform. His was the voice of one crying in the wilderness to rebuke sin and press back the tide of evil. And while he came to the people as a reprover of sin, his message offered the balm of Gilead to the sin-sick souls of all who desired to be healed.

As Elijah saw Israel going deeper and deeper into idolatry, his soul was distressed and his indignation aroused. God had done great things for His people. He had delivered them from bondage and given them "the lands of the heathen, ... that they might observe His statutes, and keep His laws." Psalm 105:44, 45. But the beneficent designs of Jehovah were now well-nigh forgotten. Unbelief was fast separating the chosen nation from the Source of their strength. Viewing this apostasy from his mountain retreat, Elijah was overwhelmed with sorrow. In anguish of soul he besought God to arrest the once-favored people in their wicked course, to visit them with judgments, if need be, that they might be led to see in its true light their departure from Heaven. He longed to see them brought to repentance before they should go to such lengths in evil-doing as to provoke the Lord to destroy them utterly.

Elijah's prayer was answered. Oft-repeated appeals, remonstrances, and warnings had failed to bring Israel to repentance. The time had come when God must speak to them by means of judgments. Inasmuch as the worshipers of Baal claimed that the treasures of heaven, the dew and the rain, came not from Jehovah, but from the ruling forces of nature, and that it was through the creative energy of the sun that the earth was enriched and made to bring forth abundantly, the curse of God was to rest heavily upon the polluted land. The apostate tribes of Israel were to be shown the folly of trusting to the power of Baal for temporal blessings. Until they should turn to God with repentance, and acknowledge Him as the source of all blessing, there should fall upon the land neither dew nor rain.—(Prophets and Kings, 119, 120.)

Prayer, pages 133, 134

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Stewardship Budget - Report MTD Sept. 2018

Budget – Monthly \$ **3,965.00**
 Received for September \$ **3,182.87**
 (still needed for Sept. \$ 782.13)

(Not included in the Church Budget \$\$)

Tithe Received \$ **6,136.37**
School Budget Received \$ **201.00**

Offering Next Sabbath 10/06 Local Church Budget

DON'T FORGET - SPECIAL OFFERING PROJECTS

- **NEW CARPET for Church Foyer & Sanctuary**
- Funds needed approximately \$10,000.00
- Raised To Date: \$ 4,779.50 (Short \$5,220.50)

Bulletin Announcements Contact:

Sunset Today 6:56 pm Jim or Linda Morris (870)421-0183 or 404-2135 Sunset Friday 6:46 pm jamllm1@centurytel.net