

Sunday, July 7th, 2019

Order of Service ...

Welcome / Announcements / Birthdays / AnniversariesPastor Mike
Opening Hymn..... **His Name Is Wonderful [118]**
Wisdom Scripture..... PSALM 33:18-22
Prayer Concerns Kay Campbell
Morning Prayer CirclePastor Mike
Communion Hymn **Come, Share the Lord [462]**
Communion Service followed by Offering
Special Music..... **TBD**
Sermon (1 THESSALONIANS 1:1-10).....Pastor Mike
Hymn of Invitation..... **'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus [581]**
BenedictionPastor Mike



Today the city of Thessaloniki sits atop the remains of the ancient city of Thessalonica. But this first-century forum has been uncovered by archeologists. Possibly the apostle Paul taught here.

Announcements ...

✓ **Men's Lunch** — Our next men's lunch will be this Wednesday, 7/10, at Gavids in Waynesboro at noon. If you have the opportunity, please join us! Let's stay accountable.

✓ **Board Meeting** — There will be a church board meeting next Sunday, 7/14, after the service. All board members are to attend.

✓ **Vacation** — Pastor Mike will be on vacation on Sunday, 7/21. Pastor Dan Magan from "The Well of Nelson" will be filling the pulpit that day. Please give him a big BGCC welcome!

Sermon Notes ...

Title: "The Church at Thessalonica"
Scripture: 1 THESSALONIANS 1:1-10

-) This letter is written to the **B** _____ at this church. (1THESS 1:1)
-) Their strong points were their works of **F**_____, their labor of **L**_____, and their steadfastness of **H**_____. (1 THESS 1:3)
-) They were chosen by God through the **C**_____ power of the Holy Spirit. (1 THESS 1:4-5)
-) The saints welcomed the message in the midst of severe **S**_____. (1 THESS 1:6)
-) Their words and actions have become an **E**_____ for other believers. (1 THESS 1:8)
-) They turned from **I**_____ to serve the living and true God. (1 THESS 1:9)
-) They highly anticipated the **R**_____ of Jesus Christ. (1 THESS 1:10)

DEFINITIONS

SAINT (n): Scripturally speaking, one who is in the body of Christ; a Christian; the church; a group of people set apart for the Lord and His kingdom. All Christians are considered saints.

QUOTES

"To exhort sinners to be saved by "Accepting Christ as their Savior" without pressing upon them the imperative necessity of repentance is dishonest, and is to falsify God's terms of salvation, for "Except ye repent ye shall all likewise perish" (LUKE 17:3) is the Divine dictum. The sinner must either repent or perish, there is no other alternative. And since "All have sinned" (ROM 3:23) all therefore need to "repent and believe the Gospel" (MARK 1:15) else they will be "punished with everlasting destruction" (2 THESS 1:9). To delay repentance then is most perilous."

... I.C. Herendeen

"Our perseverance is a gift from God. In our salvation, God blesses us with assurance through His gift of perseverance (2 THESS 3:5). However, many Christians lack full assurance of their salvation because their understanding of assurance is founded on the constantly changing emotions of their hearts rather than on the eternal Word of God."

... Burk Parsons

Beech Grove Christian Church

Sunday School..... 9:45 am
 Worship Service..... 11:00 am
 Men's Lunch @ Gavids 7/10/19 @ Noon
 Dinner/Prayer Meeting 7/31/19 @ 6:00 pm

DAILY SCRIPTURE READING

Today
 1 THESS 2:13 — 3:13

Monday
 1 THESS 4:1—18

Tuesday
 1 THESS 5:1—28

Wednesday
 2 THESS 1:1 — 2:8

Thursday
 2 THESS 2:9 — 3:18

Friday
 1 CORIN 1:1—25

Saturday
 1 CORIN 1:26 — 2:16

Next Sunday
 1 CORIN 3:1—23

DAILY SCRIPTURE BIBLE JEOPARDY

Search this weeks' Scripture reading to come up with the correct questions to these answers.

1. Let him who does this, do it in the Lord.
2. The day of the Lord will not come until this person is revealed.
3. The Thessalonians received the Word of God as the Word of God and not this.
4. The natural man does not accept the things of the Spirit because it is this to him.
5. This will come like a thief in the night.

July Deacons:

Lead: Frank Armentrout, Everett Campbell; **Servers:** Greg Armentrout, Kay Campbell

August Deacons:

Lead: Cheryl Campbell, Mike Campbell; **Servers:** Teresa Dudley, Jerome Falls

Deacons for the current month are asked to pray with Pastor Mike in the church office 10 minutes before the start of the service.



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Now when they had passed through Amphipolis and Apollonia, they came to Thessalonica, where there was a synagogue of the Jews. And Paul went in, as was his custom, and on three Sabbath days he reasoned with them from the Scriptures, explaining and proving that it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead, and saying, "This Jesus, whom I proclaim to you, is the Christ."

ACTS 17:1-3 (ESV)

We welcome you to Beech Grove Church today!
 7/7/2019

The Truth Matters

A Teaching Ministry

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