

# Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019

## Order of Service ...

- Welcome / Announcements / Birthdays / Anniversaries .....Pastor Mike
- Opening Hymn..... **What the Lord Has Done in Me**
- Wisdom Scripture.....PROVERBS 29:1
- Prayer Concerns ..... Kay Campbell
- Morning Prayer Circle .....Pastor Mike
- Communion Hymn ..... **Let Us Break Bread Together [462]**
- Communion Service followed by Offering
- Special Music..... **TBD**
- Sermon (ROMANS 3:1-8).....Pastor Mike
- Hymn of Invitation.....**I Surrender All [596]**
- Benediction .....Pastor Mike

## What the Lord Has Done in Me

Let the weak say I am strong  
 Let the poor say I am rich  
 Let the blind say I can see  
 It's what the Lord has done in me

Hosanna, hosanna, to the Lamb that was slain  
 Hosanna, hosanna, Jesus died and rose again

Into the river I will wade, there my sins are washed away  
 From the heaven's mercy stream, of the Savior's love for me

I will rise from waters deep, into the saving arms of God  
 I will sing salvation songs, Jesus Christ has set me free

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## Announcements ...

✓ **Local Need** — Nelson County Middle School is in need of the following items for some students: shampoo, body wash, feminine hygiene products, deodorant, toothpaste, tooth brushes, combs, brushes, wash cloths, age-appropriate clothes. Give as you are able. Place your donations in the fellowship hall. We will accept donations through Sunday, 9/1. Thank you for being generous!

✓ **Visitors** — If you are visiting with us today, I pray you find the fellowship, singing, and the message encouraging to your Spiritual walk. Please come back to Beech Grove Church and worship with us again. The truth matters!

## Sermon Notes ...

Title: "Justifying Sin"

Scripture: ROMANS 3:1-8

- J Truth — God is just in bringing His **W**\_\_\_\_\_ on the unrighteous. (ROMANS 3:5-6)
- J Excuse #1 — I am a Jew and God's wrath does not **A**\_\_\_\_\_ to me. (ROMANS 3:5-6; JOHN 1:12-13)
- J Excuse #2 — We serve a good God who wants only the **B**\_\_\_\_\_ for me and would never condemn anyone. (ROMANS 3:5)
- J Excuse #3 — I will **S**\_\_\_\_\_ so that God's glory and grace will abound in me. (ROMANS 3:8)
- J Excuse #4 — I know it's a sin, but I'll do it anyways and not feel **G**\_\_\_\_\_ about doing it. (ROMANS 1:21)
- J Truth — Condemnation is deserved for those who attempt to **J**\_\_\_\_\_ their sin. (ROM 3:8)

### DEFINITIONS

**ANTINOMIANISM** (n): the belief that there are no moral laws God expects Christians to obey. **Anti** meaning "against"; and **nomos**, meaning "law." Against the law.

### QUOTES

"Love is not just happy smiles or pleasant words. A critical test of genuine love is whether we are willing to confront and discipline those we care for. Nothing is more difficult than disciplining a brother or sister in Christ who is trapped in sin. It is always agonizing work — messy, complicated, often unsuccessful, emotionally exhausting, and potentially divisive. This is why most church leaders avoid discipline at all costs. But that is not love. It is lack of courage and disobedience to the Lord Jesus Christ, who Himself laid down instructions for the discipline of an unrepentant believer (MATT 18:17-18)."

... Alexander Strauch

"On unbelievers, He will pour our His wrath because of their unrepentant hearts. On behalf of believers, He has already punished Jesus for our sins. His holy character demands that He hate sin, judge sinners, and pour out His wrath on those who sin. When we realize how much God hates sin, we will grow in our hatred for it, too."

... Karl Graustein

# Beech Grove Christian Church

Sunday School..... 9:45 am  
Worship Service..... 11:00 am  
Men's Lunch @ Gavids ..... 9/11/19 @ Noon  
Dinner/Prayer Meeting ..... 8/28/19 @ 6:00 pm

## DAILY SCRIPTURE READING

**Today**  
ROMANS 4:1—25  
**Monday**  
ROMANS 5:1—21  
**Tuesday**  
ROMANS 6:1—23  
**Wednesday**  
ROMANS 7:1—25  
**Thursday**  
ROMANS 8:1—22  
**Friday**  
ROMANS 8:23—39  
**Saturday**  
ROMANS 9:1—23  
**Next Sunday**  
ROMANS 9:24 — 10:4

## DAILY SCRIPTURE BIBLE JEOPARDY

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

1. Those who are in the flesh cannot do this.
2. This has set you free from the law of sin and of death.
3. If we have been united with Christ in the likeness of His death, then certainly also in this.
4. This person has the right to make one vessel for honorable use and another for dishonorable use.
5. Foreknew, predestined, called, justified, and then this final step.

### August Deacons:

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

### September Deacons:

**Lead:** Earlene Fields, Jacob Lipscomb; **Servers:** Amber Lipscomb, Donna Rodes

*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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*For His invisible attributes, namely, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world, in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse. For although they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks to Him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened. Claiming to be wise, they became fools.*

ROMANS 1:20-22 (ESV)

We welcome you to Beech Grove Church today!  
8/18/2019

## The Truth Matters

A Teaching Ministry

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