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Welcome to Mt. Calvary

PASTOR'S COMMENTS

Through the years I've seen a lot of things, heard a lot of things and been in a lot of places. This week I got a text message with a picture of a house I once lived in. Particularly the one I grew up in. It's located just outside a little town called Lewisburg, Kentucky. The picture absolutely broke my heart. The grass had grown up, the driveway had been overgrown. No longer was the lattice deck still in good shape, but actually beyond disrepair. The windows were boarded up as if it had never even been lived in. That's not the case. I spent lots of good years there. Sometimes I wish I could go back for just an hour to smell the fried potatoes cooking on the stove and for the happiness to be there like I remember. I wasn't very old when we moved; it was the summer of 2001. We moved to Franklin to a house in Valley Ridge, a beautiful new home with all the bells and whistles. Something clicked in my mind though. It's just a house I once lived in. Such as the person I was before I was saved at 11 years old. Just a poor, lost, hopeless.....sinner. That's a house I once lived in but no longer do anymore. In fact I'm far removed from that old hillside in Logan County. I'll hold those memories for an eternity, but I can't go back and even if I could, I wouldn't. I've moved a lot, but there is one move I've never regretted and that's making that move from the old man to the new man. Thank God I'm saved.

Welcome to Mt. Calvary this morning! Thank you so much for being with us.

Bro Taylor Gregory

Don't take the bait, even a fish would stay out of trouble if it kept its mouth shut.



THANKSGIVING DINNER

Next Sunday we will be having our annual Thanksgiving Dinner. Ladies don't forget to prepare your food for this event.

It's easier to do a good job than to explain why you didn't.



And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, *do* all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.

Colossians 3:17

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Nita Reid's Mom and Dad
- Kathy Harrison's brother, who has suffered a heart attack and stroke
- Garon Tuck and his family
- Pray for our nation and our newly elected President
- Gina Bewley, who is recovering from oral surgery
- Lynn Frye's mother who broke her hip

BIBLE TRIVIA:

Last Week's Question: Who is the first prophet mentioned in the bible? **Answer: Abraham (Genesis 20:7)**

This Week's Question: Where did Jesus work his first miracle?



Dinner this Wednesday evening is another diner's choice. Come and join us at 5:40 for food and fellowship.



Next Sunday evening, November 20th, Bro Gregory will be preaching the Thanksgiving message at Gateway Church. Please pray for this service.

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Music School

Our singing school last week was a big success. Now let's take what we learned from our teacher and put it into our singing. Thanks to everyone who took the time to attend and special thanks to Colin Dyer for teaching.

BUSINESS MEETING TODAY

OPRYLAND VISIT

This coming Saturday evening, we will be visiting Opryland to view the Christmas lights. Plans are as follows:

At 4:30 we will meet at Cock of the Walk Restaurant and have dinner together. After dinner we will all drive over to the parking lot at Bass Pro Shop, park our cars and walk over to the hotel. (Please wear comfortable walking shoes)

Everyone is invited to go, but Gina needs to know exactly who is going. If you are going, please let her know today.



FIRST SUNDAY IN DECEMBER. EVERY MEMBER SHOULD BE IN ATTENDANCE.

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Visiting Preacher

Bro Steve Sablan will be preaching for us this evening Please everyone try to come back for this service.



We will be having our first Christmas Program practice this afternoon. Since we have business meeting after church, we will not meet until 3:30. Hopefully this will not be a big inconvenience to

those participating. If you can't be here, please let Stella know.

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GOD'S EXTRAS

God could have made the sun to rise without such splendor in the skies;
He could have made the sun to set without a glory greater yet.
He could have made the corn to grow without the sunny, golden glow;
The fruit without those colors bright so pleasant to the taste and sight.
He could have made the ocean roll without such music for the soul –
The mighty anthem, loud and strong and birdds without their
clear sweet song
The God who fashioned flow'rs and trees delights to
give us things that please.
And all His handiwork so fair His glory and His love declare.
Yes, He who made the earth and skies gave "extras" for our ears and eyes,
And while my heart with rapture sings, I thank Him for the "extra things."