

SHARING —OUR FAITH—

A change took place last week. Did you notice? Our online Bible class at 9 pm, 'A NEW DAY, A NEW YOU' was replaced by the class, 'BIBLE INVESTIGATION'. You might wonder ~why?



Originally 'BIBLE INVESTIGATION' was going to be about twice per month and feature a more in-depth study of a particular subject or an examination of questions that had been emailed in. The reaction to the first three classes was outstanding as those three classes were averaging almost 70% above what we normally get in total number of views.

The decision was made to make BIBLE INVESTIGATION a regular online class. The class can be viewed LIVE at 9 pm Monday-Saturday. So far, the first six classes have averaged 450 views.

If you have questions you want explored during BIBLE INVESTIGATION, a special email address has been set up for that purpose. Email your questions to preachermichaelcox@hotmail.com -This email address is only for the online classes. All names are kept confidential.

At the time of this writing a total of 135 people have emailed in questions covering a total of 74 topics/questions (some people have asked the same question).

As we resume Wednesday evening services, I will make an outline available for the auditorium class. If you want an advance copy of that outline, please send your request to my email address below.

~Michael Cox
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7:45 AM Worship Service

Welcome/Prayer.....Billy Hayes
Song Leader.....Xander Collier



Prayer.....Bill Brannon



COMMUNION

Sermon.....Michael Cox

"So, U Want 2 B Great?"



Prayer.....Donnie Pogue, Jr.

Our Record: May 17, 2020

7:45 AM Worship.....32
10:00 AM Worship.....137
PM Worship.....N/A
Wed. Bible Class.....N/A
Contribution...\$10,760.54

MAY CONTACTS

ELDER / DEACON:

Donnie Pogue, Jr. /
Rick Palmer

FOOD COORDINATORS:

Sharion Pipkins &
Kim Nickolson

10:00 AM Worship Service

Welcome/Prayer.....Billy Hayes
Song Leader.....Nathan Bonde

#162 - "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

#226 - "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Prayer.....Andy McCormick

#344 - "Low in the Grave He Lay"

Scripture Reading/Prayer.....Ed Courtney

COMMUNION

#18 - "Faithful Love"

Scripture Reading.....Billy Hayes

Hebrews 2:10

Sermon.....Michael Cox

"So, U Want 2 B Great?"

#916 - "What a Day That Will Be"

#797 - "Lord, We Come Before Thee Now"

Prayer.....Donnie Pogue, Jr.



Welcome

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Can a man “ACCEPT” Jesus?

So many have been taught that mankind only needs to “accept” Jesus in order to be saved by God. Is this true? What does the term accept mean? What about baptism, repentance or confession? How do I understand the idea of accept?

Accepting Jesus means the following:

We must accept Jesus as KING. The title Christ means King. Jesus is the King of kings and the Lord of all lords (Revelation 19:16). Being the King means a few things. Being King means that all authority belongs to Jesus (Ephesians 1). When we understand the authority wielded by Jesus is to understand His power and might alongside His holiness and righteousness. How great is our God!

We must accept the PLAN of the Father. According to Acts 8, it is impossible to preach Jesus and not preach the plan of God to saved mankind. To preach Jesus IS TO preach: the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus; the way man accesses the blood of the Sacrifice; a faithful life of praise; etc.... We must live according to God’s plan in order to receive God’s privileges.

We must accept the fact that I AM 2nd. As we live in our current society, we are constantly told that we are “top of the heap” or the world bows down to us. WRONG! WRONG! WRONG!!! When I place ANYTHING, including myself, in the 1st place then I have removed God from His rightful place. I then have made myself an idol (Colossians 3). When God is in His proper place, then I am not first.

Can a man “accept” Jesus? Yes, if man is willing to accept the authority of Jesus, the plan of God and the fact that I need salvation by obedience. When this occurs, I am on my way to standing before God justified.

~Billy Hayes
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Starting June 3rd: *The 70 West congregation will resume Wednesday night Bible Study under these conditions:*
Regular Devo @ 7:00...7:15 – 8:00: *Adult Auditorium Bible class with Michael.* This class will be livestreamed on our Facebook page & YouTube channel for those maintaining isolation.
Outdoor Bible class with Billy, either pavilion or breezeway depending on weather for 7th – 12th grades. This will not be live streamed but will be recorded & streamed immediately after Michael’s 9:00 online bible study. It will go out live on Zoom for remote participants.
MPB Bible class for kindergarten – 6th grade. Matt McKee & Sean Rall + Parental assistance. If you have a small child and wish to attend, we encourage one parent to be present to assist in maintaining social space.
-Unfortunately COVID is still part of our lives and the risks remain.
We encourage you to continue to follow the directives from the Arkansas

Department of Health & the CDC for Personal Protective Devices, Social Distancing & personal contact.

Along with that, if you are in any of the following categories, we strongly encourage you to continue to use the Facebook or YouTube streams to participate in worship & Bible Study:

- **High Risk age group as defined by the CDC**
- **Have underlying health conditions that COVID-19 will exacerbate**
- **Have been sick in the last two weeks or have had known exposure to a COVID-19 patient within the last three weeks.**
- **Continue to feel the need to avoid social gatherings.**

We all desire to be back together as a united congregation but let’s continue to be vigilant in protecting ourselves, our families and our community.

~Your Elders



Hot Springs Christian Radio
<https://www.truth.fm/hs/>

Upcoming Events...

TEEN ‘ZOOM’ BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE:

SUNDAYS: GIFTS @ 5PM; MONDAYS: TEEN GIRLS @ 7:45PM;
WEDNESDAYS: TEENS @ 5:30PM; FRIDAYS: PTP TEENS @ 8PM; SATURDAYS: PTP TEEN GIRLS @ 8PM

ADULT BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE: [facebook.com/airportroad](https://www.facebook.com/airportroad)

Every morning @ 7:00 AM -You can watch ‘MANNA IN THE MORNING’ for an online study of God’s Word with Billy Hayes & Michael Cox

Every evening @ 7:00 PM -You can watch “A MESSAGE OF HOPE” & be involved in an online Bible study with Billy Hayes & Michael Cox

Every evening @ 9:00 PM -You can watch “BIBLE INVESTIGATIONS” –a Bible study with Michael Cox

LADIES’ ‘Soul Searching w/70 West Sisters in Christ’ is also available on FB

TODAY! SUNDAY, MAY 31

- ♦ **BABY SHOWER FOR APRIL BONDE** ●MPB●3:00 pm●Baby Boy’s name: Jason Caleb●Nursery Theme/Color: Winnie the Pooh/Blue ●Registered @ Amazon & Target●RSVP to Sammi Rall by texting to 501/620.3757

FRIDAY, MAY 5

- ♦ **TEEN WATCH PARTY (7TH - 12TH GRADES)●MPB●7-9:00 pm●Boys bring drinks & Girls bring desserts**

FRIDAY, MAY 12

- ♦ **TEEN WATCH PARTY (7TH - 12TH GRADES)●MPB●7-9:00 pm●Boys bring drinks & Girls bring desserts**

SUNDAY, JULY 19

- ♦ **RYC-REELFOOT YOUTH CAMP IN HORNBEAK, TN●Campers will attend early service @ 7:45 am●Campers will leave immediately after service ●Campers will return on 7/24**

PRAYER REQUESTS...

SYMPATHIES EXTENDED TO

⇒ **Mike Hutzel & Family**, his mother & our sister in Christ, **Irene Hutzel**, passed away on Wednesday, May 27.

⇒ **Pennie Garner & Family**, her niece, **Cheryl Tucker-Carlin** passed away on May 25.

MEMBERS

Mike/Shirley Baka●Henry/Linda Cook
Cyndi/Bill Crow●Anna Foster●Ola Freibolt
Alvena Jones●Robert Kissire●Paul Kuhn
Beau Landrum●Fran Maris●Jane Needham
Glenda Pannell●Karen Pate●Leslie Pate
Keith Powell●Lillie Mae Taylor
Patricia Wireman●Wade Wisely

- ♦ Jones, Alvena (5/20 procedure helped for temporary relief of knee pain-Nerve block scheduled for 6/16)
- ♦ Shultz, Mickey (Health)
- ♦ Woeppel, Linda (LH Rehab. for 2 wks)

FAMILY/FRIENDS BATTLING CANCER

Sophia Cannady●Sammye Collier●Darrell Cormier
Jimmy Denton●Gene Foster●Melanie Garner
Mariah Green●Karen Henderson●Troy Keiss
Sandy Pitman●Charlie Isom●Phyllis Madlen
John Raines●Vi Reams●Kevin Steed
Andrea Thompson●Janice Wilcox
Jennifer Williams

SHUT-INS

Geraldine Bledsoe●Phil Chase
Kaye Crossland●LaVonne Depew
Joe Nickolson●Sharon Powell
Lorene Prescott●Jack Smith●Lorraine Talley
Joyce Walker

ALL MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS

- * Bernard, Heidi -GCPD/HSVillagePD
- * Boughan, Tyler (EMS) Garland County
- * Gay, Rhett (AF) Tyndall AFB, Panama City, FL
- * Hayden, Austin (AF) McChord AFB, Tacoma, WA
- * Pianalto, Nick (Navy) 1117 Homoja Dr., Port Hueneme, CA 93041
- * Snyder, Tess (Homeland Sec./BPA) Nogales, AZ
- * Snyder, Virgil (EMS), Garland County
- * Spears, Kevin -WAT22 (Vet. Suicide Prevention)
- * Spellings, Randy (Nat’l Guard) Kuwait
- * Tolleson, Rebekah LRPD
- * Vincent, Tyler (VF) Garland County
- * Wells, Andrew GCPD/HSPD

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Don Anderson●Evalene Bright●Garrison Crane
Paula Crippen●Jim Crow●Catherine Drennon
Paul Geuinn●Verdell Goins●Chuck/Linda Golden
Austin King●Jane Maynard●Beth McCollum
Sam Palmer●Christi Queen●Lee Ratcliff●Sue Roth
John Mark Scott●Judy Straut●Chad Vaughn

- ♦ Wedsted, Michael (Kenneth’s bro.)