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If you have any questions concerning the message from today, or are interested in obtaining information about church membership, please see the Pastor after the service, drop a note in the offering plate indicating your desire to talk with the Pastor, or call the church office.

Announcements

Wednesday Nights

Dinner menu is **Chili**. Sign up in the hall.

Ladies' Sunday School

Tamera Smith will begin a new Bible study for women during the Sunday School time today, Sunday, **January 15**. She will use the book *Protected by God's Providence: The Book of Esther*, by Carolyn Culver.

Quarterly Meeting

Our normal quarterly congregational meeting will be held this afternoon, Sunday, **January 15**, at 5:15 p.m.

After Church Fellowship

Our next Fellowship is tonight, after Evening Worship. Please bring a snack to share! Moores and Groovers are scheduled to serve.

New Sunday School Class

Beginning **January 22**, Steve Posner will be facilitating a class on outreach and evangelism using a DVD series taught by Erik Raymond. There are enough accompanying books for anyone who would like to join. Class meets in the Youth House.

Men's Oyster Roast

A Men's Oyster Roast is scheduled for Thursday, **January 26**, at 7:00 p.m. It is a great opportunity to invite friends! There is a signup sheet in the hall.

Youth Movie Night

A Youth Movie Night will be Saturday, **January 28**, at 7:00 p.m. All ages are welcome, and movie snacks are provided! The feature is *The Insanity of God*, which asks, and answers, the question, "Is following God worth it?" by examining the stories of Christians around the world who are suffering persecution.

This Week at FABC

Today

Fellowship Time	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Adult Choir Practice	4:30 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Dinner - Chili	5:45 p.m.
Youth & Awana	6:30 p.m.
Prayer & Bible Study	7:00 p.m.

FABC Deacons

Shawn Champion	433-0098
Bobby Deloach (CH)	667-8867
Mickey Fell	920-4557
Ron Fowler	901-409-8628
Jimmy Kicklighter	355-5616
Jack Moore	547-5000
Billy Morris, Sr.	398-1038
Joe Morris	398-0125
Steve Posner	704-5617
Kelly Stanford	441-2151
Michael Walker	655-2497
Ric Zittrouer	210-0344

10:30 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

* Opening Chorus & Greeting

“I Sing the Mighty
Power of God”

Words are on back of bulletin

* Call to Worship

Psalm 46:8-11

*Hymn #290

“Be Still, My Soul”

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Jay Rowe

Proverbs 25:16-28

Special Music

Receiving of Tithes And

Offerings

* Hymn #256

“It Is Well with My Soul”

Message

Bob Dimmitt

7 Objectives of the Incarnation, Part 4

Hebrews 2:5-9

* Hymn, to right

“Doxology”

*All those who are able, please stand.

6:00 p.m.

Welcome and Announcements

* Hymn #449

“To God Be the Glory”

Baptism

Receiving of Tithes And

Offerings

Hymn #272

“The Solid Rock”

Hymn #236

“Amazing Grace”

Message

Bob Dimmitt

The Completeness of Personality, Part 2

Ephesians 4:11-16, Ephesians #73

* Hymn, bulletin p. 5

“Doxology”

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings
flow.

Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen

A.M. Notes

7 Objectives of the Incarnation, Part 4 Hebrews 2:5-9

Regaining That Which Man Lost Through the Fall

Genesis 1:28

In Hebrews 2:5, by saying the world to come, the author uses the most common rabbinic term for the Messianic Kingdom.

Verses 6-8 quotes Psalm 8:5-7

The fact is: *But now we do not yet see all things put under him*; it has not yet happened that man is ruling sovereignly over the physical earth. He lost it when he fell, & because of his sin, he does not have the power to regain it.

By means of His humiliation Jesus became a man:

- (1) The recipient of His humiliation _____
- (2) The extent of His humiliation _____
- (3) The purpose of His humiliation was _____
- (4) The mo-tive of His humiliation _____
- (5) The result of His humiliation is _____

To summarize:

- (a) The sovereignty over Earth was promised to man, not to angels
- (b) Man's sovereignty & right to rule was lost because of the Fall
- (c) The Messiah, as the Ideal Representative Man, has _____

(d) He will eventually exercise this sovereignty _____

- (e) This was never promised to _____
- (f) As far as sovereignty is concerned, in His present humanity by virtue of His sovereignty on earth, He is superior to angels.

P.M. Notes

The Completeness of Personality, Part 2

Ephesians #73

Ephesians 4:11-16

The ideal condition of the Church is that in which every member is what he is meant to be, fitting in with every other member and so preserving the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

This leads us to understand that every single member of the Church is of most vital importance.

Question we need to ask: Are you causing pain and trouble in other parts of the body by being diseased, by being sinful, or by being lethargic?

An isolated Christian cannot minister to others, nor can others minister to him.

The body loses something if you don't function. The body does not function perfectly if there are members in the body who are not functioning. There is a measure of paralysis in the body.

COASTAL JAIL MINISTRIES OF GEORGIA'S
2017 "JAIL BREAK" GOLF TOURNAMENT

AT THE CLUB AT SAVANNAH HARBOR

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 2017

8 A.M. SHOTGUN START ❖ 4-MAN SCRAMBLE

\$125 PER PLAYER (OR \$400 PER 4-MAN TEAM) INCLUDES:
GREEN FEES, CART, RANGE BALLS, 1 RAFFLE TICKET PER PLAYER,
AND CHICK-FIL-A BREAKFAST

MANY GENEROUS PRIZES HAVE BEEN DONATED, BUT THE BEST IS KNOWING THAT YOU WILL HELP 80% OF THE MEN AND WOMEN THAT GO THROUGH OUR PROGRAM NEVER TO GO BACK TO JAIL AGAIN. SEE BOB DIMMITT OR MATT COLEMAN FOR TICKETS.

Doxology

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow. Praise Him, all

crea - tures here be - low. Praise Him a - bove, ye

heav - en - ly host. Praise Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost.

Words: Thomas Ken

Music: Jimmy Owens; arr. Mark Rice

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Missionary of the Week

David & Natalie Holsten
MAF - Papua, Indonesia



David and Natalie Holsten serve in Papua, Indonesia. David flies an airplane for Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF). A typical day for David may include taking missionaries, pastors or government workers from one village to the next, transporting cargo like rice, oil and pigs and flying the sick from interior villages to the hospital. Their oldest child, Carter, is working in Colorado for this year, so there are adjustments to be made all around! Please pray for the Holstens' health and safety as they minister to their Indonesian friends.

You can email them at: dholsten@maf.org .

Also, Natalie's blog is at [www.borneomama.blogspot.com!](http://www.borneomama.blogspot.com)

Please pray for:

1. David is Regional Director for MAF in Indonesia. He does a lot of travel. Pray for safety and for Natalie as she holds the fort at home.
2. Daughter Grace is a junior at Hillcrest International School. Luke (7th grade) and Zoe (5th grade) chose to be homeschooled this year. Pray for Natalie and the kids as they progress in their studies.
3. Carter is participating in a gap year program at the YMCA of the Rockies near Granby, Colorado, before continuing his education.
4. David's mom, our dear friend Faye, is suffering from stage 4 cancer. They write in their December newsletter: "She has chosen to enjoy her remaining days with friends and family rather than to pursue an aggressive course of treatment. After a life committed to showing others how to 'live in Christ,' she recently shared with David that she feels during this season of her life she is to show others how to 'die in Christ.' It's so hard to be apart during times like this, but she has graciously encouraged us to remain engaged where we are. What a joy to know that beyond this life we will spend eternity together! "

Sunday School Classes & Descriptions

Adult

“Fundamentals of the Faith” - Room 27:
Matt Coleman

“Chronological Survey of the Bible” -
Fellowship Hall: Bob Dimmitt

Evangelism video series, begins **January 22** - Youth House: Steve Posner

Protected by God’s Providence: The Book of Esther- Organ Side Overflow Room:
Tamera Smith (Women’s Class)

Students & Children

Babies - Room 3: Kay Stanford & Sandra Bridges

1s & 2s - Room 24: Michael & Ruth Kleinpeter/Danny & Kamee Roberson

3s & 4s - Room 25: Emily Wise & Susan Su

Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd Grade - Room 200: Jimmy & Angie Creech

3rd-6th Grade Boys - Room 202: Ric Zittrouer & Richie Mills

3rd-6th Grade Girls - Room 204: Kelly Zittrouer & Mary Ann Fowler

Youth Guys - Room 206: Tim Wade, Bobby Deloach, & Nick Herring

Youth Girls - Room 207: Sona Bailey, Jessica Dimmitt, & Lauren Wade

Grace: We receive God’s grace when we need it. God does not give us all the divine strength we need for the Christian life the day we trust Christ. Psalm 31:19; God’s goodness is stored up for those who fear Him. God stores up goodness and grace for our times of adversity. We do not receive it before we need it, but we never receive it too late.

Bob, based on some thoughts by Jerry Bridges

Bible Reading Schedule

January 2017

	1	Proverbs 1 & Psalm 1-4
	2	Proverbs 2 & Psalm 5-9
	3	Proverbs 3 & Psalm 10-12
	4	Proverbs 4 & Psalm 13-17
	5	Proverbs 5 & Psalm 18
	6	Proverbs 6 & Psalm 19-21
	7	Proverbs 7 & Psalm 22-24
	8	Proverbs 8 & Psalm 25-27
	9	Proverbs 9 & Psalm 28-30
	10	Proverbs 10 & Psalm 31-32
	11	Proverbs 11 & Psalm 33-34
	12	Proverbs 12 & Psalm 35-36
	13	Proverbs 13 & Psalm 37
	14	Proverbs 14 & Psalm 38-39
	15	Proverbs 15 & Psalm 40-42
	16	Proverbs 16 & Psalm 43-44
	17	Proverbs 17 & Psalm 45-47
	18	Proverbs 18 & Psalm 48-49
	19	Proverbs 19 & Psalm 50-51
	20	Proverbs 20 & Psalm 52-55
	21	Proverbs 21 & Psalm 56-58
	22	Proverbs 22 & Psalm 59-61
	23	Proverbs 23 & Psalm 62-65
	24	Proverbs 24 & Psalm 66-67
	25	Proverbs 25 & Psalm 68
	26	Proverbs 26 & Psalm 69
	27	Proverbs 27 & Psalm 70-71
	28	Proverbs 28 & Psalm 72
	29	Proverbs 29 & Psalm 73
	30	Proverbs 30 & Psalm 74-75
	31	Proverbs 31 & Ps. 76-77



I Sing The Mighty Power Of God

I sing the mighty power of God
That made the mountains rise,
That spread the flowing seas abroad
And built the lofty skies.

I sing the wisdom that ordained
The sun to rule the day;
The moon shines full at His command,
And all the stars obey.

There's not a plant or flower below
But makes Thy glories known;
And clouds arise and tempests blow
By order from Thy throne;
While all that borrows life from Thee
Is ever in Thy care,
And everywhere that man can be,
Thou, God, art present there.

Military BibleSticks

Your generous gifts for the Military BibleSticks added up to \$2500 we were able to send to this ministry. Because of gifts like this, Faith Comes by Hearing has been able to provide them for over 750,000 active-duty service members and veterans. The ministry was very grateful for our gift.



God uses chronic pain and weakness, along with other afflictions, as His chisel for sculpting our lives. Felt weakness deepens dependence on Christ for strength each day. The weaker we feel, the harder we lean.

J.I. Packer

Nursery January 15

10:30 A.M.

Babies:

Mary Fowler, Bethany Humphrey,
Kay Stanford

Toddlers - 4 year olds:

Jimmy & Tammy Kicklighter/
Nick Herring, Hannah Joy,
Allie Mills

6:00 P.M.

Janice Donaldson, Ceci Sheffield,
Sharon Boaen

Nursery January 22

10:30 A.M.

Babies:

Donna Martin, Cindy Wise,
Kirsten Jones

Toddlers - 4 year olds:

Justin & Alex Pinckney/
Eric & Amy Horton

6:00 P.M.

Jim & Heather Schraeder,
Tricia Sumner

Ushers January 15

10:30 A.M.

Johnny Bridges, Bucky Lanier,
Jack Moore, Mike Morris

6:00 P.M.

Joe Morris, Jay Rowe

Ushers January 22

10:30 A.M.

Kelly Stanford, John Sumner,
Michael Walker, Billy Waters

6:00 P.M.

Kelly Stanford, John Sumner

Sunday Greeters - January 15

Ceci Sheffield, Lisa Rowe

January Lock-Up Deacons

Ron Fowler, Jimmy Kicklighter,
Jack Moore