

## *An Epistle from Paul:*

**TRUTH Always Matters!** – The wife of an art dealer, who was anxious to sell some Gothic tapestries to a renowned art lover, was amazed and annoyed when her husband awakened her at three o'clock one morning and demanded her to say, "I'll pay you a million dollars for your Gothic tapestries."

She could see absolutely no sense in his demand. In the first place, she didn't have a million dollars and even if she did, why would she offer to buy tapestries from her own husband?

"Just say it, please," he implored.

Sleepily she complied. She repeated the suggested words, turned over and went quickly back to sleep.

At nine o'clock the next morning the dealer, who took great pride in his integrity, told his potential buyer, "I can swear on a stack of Bibles that at three o'clock this morning I had an offer of a million dollars for those tapestries."

Let me use the above to illustrate yet another Biblical principle – the principle that *TRUTH* always matters. When it comes to telling the truth... living the truth... defending the truth... promoting the truth... *TRUTH* always matters.

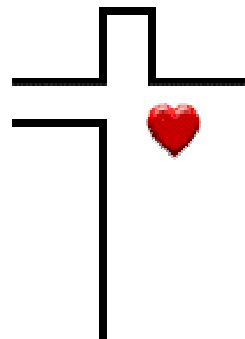
But what is *TRUTH*? According to John 17:17 the Bible, God's Word is *TRUTH*. Therefore, it is imperative that you and I align ourselves solely with the Word of God. 2 Timothy 2:15 says, "*Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, handling accurately the word of truth.*" Brethren and friend may we ever be thorough students of the Word of God because *TRUTH* always matters!

**Post Script** – Pete Taylor will be present February 1<sup>st</sup> to preach in our absence. He will do a solid job... Be preparing and be a part of our Annual Chili Cook Off... Bring your Bible and friend this Sunday!!

*In His Marvelous Love, Paul*

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## *The Timely Word*

*Proverbs 15:23 "... How delightful is a timely word."*

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*Come Worship and Serve Him With Us!*

Bible School .....9:30 a.m.      Morning Worship .....10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study .....10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

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*Annual Cook Off February 4<sup>th</sup>!*

Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup> will be our third annual Chili Cook Off here at the building. We will be gathering at the building at 6:30 PM. Bring your favorite chili recipe and we'll learn together who will win this year's gathering. We will have a devotion time following our eating and determining of the best chili. In the past two years we have had a most enjoyable time of fellowship and good eating. Hey, it's cold outside and what better food to share together than some good homemade chili! Again, come prepared to enter your chili and to eat of others' chili. Drinks and table settings will be provided. Looking forward to this year's Chili Cook Off!!!



## Here's the Count!

January 4, 2015 .....\$2,838.00  
 January 11, 2015 .....\$1,474.01

## New Wednesday PM Series Continues!

We hope that you will come on Wednesday evenings for the new dvd series: *Drive Thru History – Holy Land* with Dave Stotts. This unique Bible series takes us to historical places in the holy land bringing out the significance of Biblical truth in a dramatic and humorous manner. Dave Stotts does a great job of teaching Biblical truths by taking us to geographic locations as revealed in Scripture. Stotts also does this in a most humorous manner making the learning of Biblical truth enjoyable and memorable. Again, we urge you to join us in this fresh, new study! See you Wednesday!!



## Check Those Sheets Out!

There are some wonderful opportunities for your service in the work of the Lord's Church here. Out in the foyer are several "sign-up-sheets" asking you to give of your time and talents.

These are important and needed areas of service. We know there are so many capable brothers and sisters out there who can help by signing up for service in this areas. Check these out and if you have any questions concerning these don't hesitate to get in touch!

(by no means an exhaustive list)

**Military Personnel:** Zachary Claywell, Cody Vance, Austin Brasher, Bud Reed, Courtney Reed, and Stephen Watts...

**Recovering and Other Matters:** Doris Childers, Betty and Cronley Teater, Jeanie Laubauch, Emma Grace Mills, Reva Cole, Dan Swihart, Monte Rieger, Dottie Campbell, Pam Kauslick, Eddie Johnson, Jack/John Rowell, Tammy Dunaway, Anna Eiford, Connie Moore, Barry Rieger, Louie Captain, Jo Ann Harris, David Ramey, Connie Martin, Charles Claywell, Bob Loy, Kevin Nolan...

**Dealing With Cancer:** Dalene McIntire, Rita Culp, Cory Wysong, George Collins, Steve Abernathy, Chuck Paul, and Evert Synder...



## Next Leadership Meeting 2-8-15!



Just a reminder to our men that our next monthly leadership meeting will be delayed a week. We will be meeting at the church building at 6:30 PM, February 8<sup>th</sup>. Please take

note of this and plan to attend!!

## Created in God's Image!

Is human life all that important? We hope after Sunday's message there is no doubt what the Bible says in response to this question. We all have been created in the image of God. Life; therefore, is precious and that especially includes the life of unborn children. May God help and use us all to promote the sanctity of life. Pray for open doors along these lines to be able to reach out and help those who are contemplating aborting other innocent babies. Yes, this is a mission field and a mission work our Lord would have us doing!!!

