

An Epistle from Paul:

Take a Load Off Your Mind – Charles Schulz, mastermind behind the comic strip *Peanuts*, had one strip showing Lucy and Linus looking out the window, watching it rain. Lucy began:

- Lucy: Boy, look at it rain... what if it floods the whole world?
Linus: It will never do that... In the ninth chapter of Genesis, God promised Noah that this would never happen again, and the sign of that promise is the rainbow.
Lucy: You've taken a great load off my mind...
Linus: Sound theology has a way of doing that!

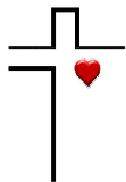
Just what is "sound theology"? In short, it simply means having "sound doctrine." This is exactly what Paul under the inspiration of God told Timothy and Titus to make sure their doctrine (theology) was *sound* (1 Timothy 1:10; 2 Timothy 4:2-3; Titus 1:9; 2:1).

Is our *doctrine/theology* **SOUND**? If we want to take a load off our minds, we will make this a priority. Being faithful and true to the Word of God, is profitable in so many ways, not the least of which is a restful mind...

Brethren, may we ever make it our priority to be sound in our doctrine. May we make it our tenets of faith theology that is consistent with God's Word alone! For in doing this, amongst many other matters we will take a load off our minds!

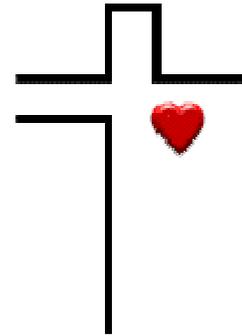
Postscript – Please remember this special offering being taken up November 18th for the building/expansion fund... Hard to believe we are already rounding the bend to celebrating the birth of our Lord and the end of 2012... Bring your Bible and a friend Sunday!

In His Marvelous Love, *Paul*



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Bible School9:30 a.m. Morning Worship10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

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Harvest Feast 11/18/12!



We all are looking forward to Sunday, November 18th! This will be the date for our annual *Harvest Feast*. We will be gathering at the church building and getting underway at 5 PM. The food list out in the foyer is pretty well filled up. Bring your family, friends and neighbors to share in this evening of fellowship and some of the best food this side of Heaven! We, of all people, have reason to give thanks don't we? Come be a part of this great gathering then!!

Special Thanksgiving Offering

Also, Sunday morning, November 18th we remind the church family that a special Thanksgiving Offering will be taken to go toward the building/expansion fund. We all are well aware that we are presently in the process of making an offer to secure five more acres of land immediately behind our present property. We believe all of this will happen in accordance to God's timing. Amen?!?!...





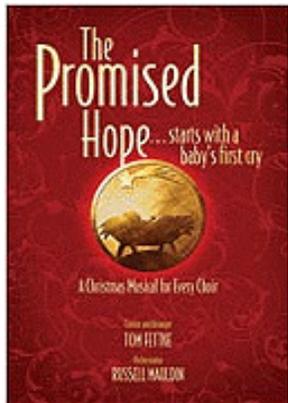
Here's the Count!

October 31, 2012\$1,416.50

November 4, 2012NA

Our Next Luncheon!

Wednesday, November 14th at noon we will be gathering at the Richmond MCL. We have a room reserved for our gathering. If you want or need a ride get in touch with Bill W. or Paul N. and we'll make sure you get a ride there. Again, we always have a wonderful time of fellowship and good food at these luncheon gatherings!!!



Cantata Date is Set!

The choir has been working diligently in preparation for this year's cantata. The title of this year's presentation is: "The Promised Hope...Starts with a Baby's First Cry." You will find this cantata celebrating the birth of our Lord both familiar in some of songs and new in others... The choir is enjoying the preparations for this event and are in the process of passing out *cards of invitation*

to friends neighbors and associates. Sunday, December 16th is the date and the time will be 7 PM here at the church building. We hope you and yours will come and make this a joyous time for all!!

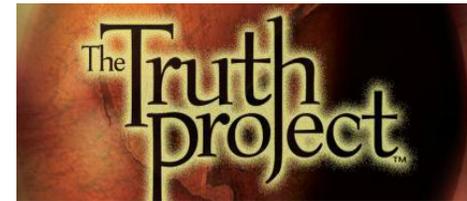
Thank You Lord
for another day

(by no means an exhaustive list)

All Military Personnel: Adam Wentzell, Christopher Drew, Ben Shelley, Zachary Polsini, Cody Vance, Bud Reed, Courtney Reed, Austin Brasher, and Stephen Watts (if others please let us know...)

Recovering and Other Matters: Doris Childers, Betty/Cronley Teater, Ruby Rieger, Florence & Jeanie Laubauch, Emma Grace Mills, Reva Cole, Dan Swihart, Monte Rieger, Dottie Campbell, Tim Ketchem, Neil Snow, Pam Kauslick, Jerry Spicer, Wanda Lee, Greg Moore, John Hackenbracht, Greg Moore, Juanita McCreary, Eddie Johnson, George and Barb Collins, Jack Rowell, Tammy Dunaway, Thurman Hackenbracht, ...

Dealing With Cancer: Pam Cole, Emily Shank, Mary Kidwell, A.T. Rogers, Judy Bell, Dalene McIntire, Rita Culp, Cory Wysong

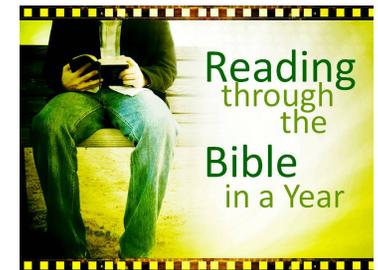


DVD Series Continues!

We have had some really positive feedback about this series of lessons we have been going through on Wednesday evening. If you want a challenging study in the Word of God, this will be a great starting point. Join us this coming Wednesday at 6:30 here at the building!!

New Schedules Soon!

We want to continue to urge and encourage the church family and friends of the church here to plan now to read through their Bibles in the coming new year. We will again be making some schedules that will help keep you on track in this effort.



In the past these schedules have you reading from the Old and New Testaments most every week. We hope you will take the challenge and encourage and read through the Bible. Faith will be the results!