

Church News

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Wednesday, June 20th - 6:30-8:30pm

Pine Hill Baptist Bible School

Pine Hill Baptist Church on Barnes Mountain Road at Doe Creek, will be concluding their Vacation Bible School, Wednesday, June 20, 2018, 6:30-8:30 p.m. There will be classes for all ages. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday-Wednesday, June 24-27

Irvine 1st Baptist Bible School

Irvine First Baptist, 351 Broadway in Irvine, will have Vacation Bible School, Sunday through Wednesday, June 24-27, 2018, from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. nightly. The theme is "Game On: Gearing Up for Life's Big Game." (2 Peter 1:3.) For further information, call 859-358-6938.

Sun. - Thurs., June 24-28 @ 6pm

Have A New Kid *by Friday*

It's Vacation Bible School for Mom and Dad! In conjunction with VBS at Calvary Baptist Church, the Estill Co. Center for Pregnancy & Parenting is offering parents the opportunity to "Have a New Kid by Friday"! Parenting Coach, Beth Kirby, will be your host for the Center, and lead the group. In his video series by the same name, Dr. Kevin Leman will show you how to change your child's attitude, behavior and character in just 5 days. An internationally known psychologist, radio and TV personality and speaker, he has taught and entertained audiences worldwide with his wit and commonsense psychology.

Dr. Leman has written more than 35 books and produced numerous videos on marriage, parenting, blended families and single parenting, that are used in thousands of churches and schools. Bring the kids out to 'Shipwrecked VBS', June 24-28 at 6 p.m., and join the grown-ups for some witty and fun learning time of your own. Check out 'Shipwrecked VBS' on Calvary's Facebook page to pre-register. Hope to see you there!

Monday, June 25th - 9:00am-2:00pm

VBS at Williams Memorial

Williams Memorial Baptist Church, 402 Poplar Street in Ravenna, will be having a one-day Vacation Bible School this coming Monday, June 25, 2018, from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome!

Sunday, July 1st @ 7:00pm

4th of July Celebration

Epperson First Church of God is hosting a 4th of July celebration on Sunday July 1st at 7:00 p.m. Church is located on Route 89 in Clark County. Food truck will be on site, corn hole games, fishing, side by side rides and fireworks at dark. Bring a lawn chair.

THE ILLUSTRATED BIBLE




For I, the Lord your God, will hold your right hand, saying to you, 'Fear not, I will help you.'

ISAIAH 41:13

Detail of statue in St. James' Church, Chipping Campden, England

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in righteousness." Many would apologize for considering their God in such terms, but this way of thinking is inconsistent with what God's Word teaches. And there are many who want to fashion Him after their own likes and dislikes and endow Him the nature and character they would like Him to possess. They want to make Him consistent with their own wishful thinking so that they will be comfortable in their sins. Their god has the attributes of our God in that he is compassionate and loving but they refuse to accept the fact that His attributes also contain wrath and justice. This would mean that there would be no judgment and no punishment for sins. However, our God is a Holy God. But our God, Who "is love," will one day judge "the world with righteousness and the people with truth."

Robert G. Ingersoll is recognized as one of the most influential agnostics who ever lived. One night in New York he was dramatically and forcefully giving a lecture that explained his doubts about judgment and hell. When the gifted lecturer finished his address, a man who was very drunk stumbled his way to the front of the auditorium and said in slobbering terms, "I sure hope you are right, Brother Bob. I sure hope you are right because I'm counting on that!"

Few today want to think of God as a Judge. It is much more pleasant to think of Him as a loving, caring, compassionate and gracious Father - which He certainly is - than as a stern judge who will "judge the world

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Making Preparations

by **BOB CASEY**, preacher
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It would be very unusual for us to find anyone in today's world that is not preparing for one thing or the other. We all have plans or dreams to reach some kind of goal in our life. And if the desire is important to us, then we will begin to make preparations beforehand to attain it. This is one of the more natural of things we do.

Then, there are things that we value more highly in quest for attainment that we categorize to be more important than something else. This is also natural. But again, if we were to make a list of our most highly desired things to attain, only we ourselves can make this decision.

When I look at this from a Christian's standpoint, I also have things that I would love to attain, too. So, we work and prepare to make things here more enjoyable and pleasant. But again, we need not ever to forget to prepare for the things that are inevitable. These, in my mind, are categorized as death, the judgment before Christ, and one's eternal destiny which is either eternal Heaven or eternal damnation in a Lake of Fire. So, we will make the choice. As for myself, I want to go to be with my Lord in his Heaven some day, so I have made my preparations to that end. The plans are simple. We must give our undivided attention to only hear the words of Jesus. In **John 5:25**, "Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live."

Next, we should find a place of lodging in our

hearts to believe all that Jesus tells us to do. In **John 8:24**, Jesus says, "I said therefore unto you, that ye shall die in your sins: for if ye believe not that I am he, ye shall die in your sins." Also, we are to make a personal determination within ourselves that we are going to change our old way of living by obeying only what our Lord says. This is called repentance. In Luke 13:1-5, our Lord demands this to be done. In **2 Corinthians 7:10**, this repentance must be genuine. "For godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation not to be repented of: but the sorrow of the world worketh death." And we are also instructed to make our decision before man. In **Matthew 10:32**, Jesus says, "Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven." Then, to complete our commands from our Lord, we are to be baptized (immersed) in water for the remission of our sins (Matthew 28:18-20 & Acts 2:38). How can one misunderstand these commands.

So, then, from 1979 until this present day, I made my preparations and am by faith still working out my salvation with fear and trembling. For I want to hear my Saviour say, 'Well done!'

So, once again, lets revisit the things that are inevitable. We will all one day die. This will be unavoidable. We will all stand before the Great White Throne of Judgment. 2 Corinthians 5:10 and Revelation 20 says so. After the Judgment, there will be an eternal separation of the good and the evil. Matthew 25:31-46 tells of this day.

So, with all this knowledge, I ask, 'Have you prepared for these events?' If not, then why do you put off doing so? Read Luke 12:46-47.

Final statement: If any man fails to make preparations to life, then that man will have spent a useless life on earth. Don't fail to do it, is my advice.
Sincerely, Bob Casey, (1-859-369-4165), local

BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Galatians in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Mosaic law, what would happen to the person who cursed his father or mother? Imprisonment, Outcast, 10 lashings, Death
3. In Genesis 14:3, what lake is called the Salt

Sea? Galilee, Lake Pison, Dead Sea, Euphrates

4. From Daniel 2, who had a dream about a statue composed of different materials? Jezebel, Daniel, Rezin, Nebuchadnezzar
5. In Acts 7, who said, "Lord, lay not this sin to their charge"? Philip, Stephen, Luke, David
6. Whose biblical name means "salvation"? Jude, Ahaz, Hosea, Ruth

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Acts 7:17-19

17 But when the time of the promise drew nigh, which God had sworn to Abraham, the people grew and multiplied in Egypt, 18 Till another king arose, which knew not Joseph. 19 The same dealt subtilly with our kindred, and evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live.

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BIBLE WORD SEARCH

by Elie's Spiritual Treasures

ISAIAH 49:4

But I said, "I have labored in vain; I have spent my strength for nothing at all. Yet what is due me is in the LORD's hand, and my reward is with my God."

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Library News

Friday, June 22nd @ 2:00pm

Teen movie event on June 22 beginning at 2:00. We will be watching "A Wrinkle in Time" in place of Anime. Any children in middle school and high school are welcome to attend. Popcorn and drinks will be provided. For more information please contact Lesa at the Estill County Public Library by calling 606-723-3030.

Saturday, June 23rd @ 10:00am

Saturday, June 23 Brad Holeman will be at the Estill County Public Library for the Art of Blacksmithing. This program will be from 10:00 until 1:00. You may want to bring a lawn chair since you will be outside during this time. For more information please contact Lesa at the library by calling 606-723-3030.

Wednesday, June 27th @ 1:30pm

Craftroom is on June 27, 2018 at 1:30 PM and we will be doing Rock Painting. Come with your favorite book character in mind and ready to paint. For more information please contact Lesa at 606-723-3030.

Friday, June 29th @ 3:30pm

Anime club meets on Friday, June 29, 2018 at 3:30 for middle school and high school students. For more information call Lesa at 606-723-3030.

Saturday, June 30th @ 9:00am

Did you ever think you might like to try fly-fishing? Here's your chance to get a down-to-earth understanding of just what this sport is all about. It's FREE and you don't need to bring a thing. Basic Fly-fishing Class on June 30, 2018 from 9:00 AM until 2:00 PM plus 1 hour of outside fly-casting at the Estill County Public Library. Registration is limited to fifteen (15) students. Northern Kentucky Fly Fishers has been teaching these 6-hour fly-fishing classes in Boone, Campbell, and Kenton Counties since it formed in 1987 and in Estill and Fayette Counties too. Come learn about our sport! For more information please contact Lesa at 606-723-3030.

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