

Church News

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Through Wednesday, April 17th @ 7:00pm

Spring Revival at First Christian

Irvine First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), 270 Main Street in Irvine, will be having its Spring Revival, through Wednesday, April 17, 2019 with Ron Sturgill who will be sharing God's message in the Word.

Wednesday services begin at 7:00 p.m. There will be special music and child care/nursery will be available.

Greg Humpert is the pastor and the youth/children pastor is Darrel Ingram.

Wed., April 17th and Sun., April 21st

Mt. Carmel Revival & Sunrise Service

Mount Carmel Christian Church, Furnace Junction, Ravenna, will be holding its Spring Revival, through Wednesday, April 17, 2019, starting at 7:00 p.m. Bro. Jon Sells will be the speaker. Mount Carmel will also

be holding an Easter Sunrise Service on Sunday, April 21st, starting at 7:00 a.m.

All are welcome. Bro. Mark Pearson is the pastor. Call (606) 726-9342 with any questions.

Thursday-Friday, April 18-19 @ 8:00pm

Living Lord's Supper Drama

On Thursday, April 18th and Friday, April 19th at 8:00 p.m., the Irvine United Methodist Church will host the Living Lord's Supper drama. The production brings Leonardo da Vinci's fresco to life as each disciple talks about his relationship with the Master and seeks the traitor in the group. All acknowledge that the traitor could be any one of them.

and Tom Bonny throughout the production. The Noteworthy Handbell Choir begins the prelude at 7:40 p.m.

The Estill County Ministerial Association is co-sponsoring the Friday night performance. An offering will be taken for their community Hope Fund. Everyone is invited to attend.

Nursery services will be available for very small children.

They will be practicing next Sunday at Irvine United Methodist Church at 3:00 p.m. in the sanctuary.

Friday, April 19th @ 12:00 Noon

Community Good Friday Service

The Estill County Ministerial Association in partnership with First Christian Church of Irvine will be hosting our annual Good Friday Service on Friday, April 19th on the lawn

of First Christian Church of Irvine.

Everyone is welcome to attend. Service will start at 12:00 Noon. Pastor Greg Humpert will be the speaker this year.

Saturday, April 20th @ 3:00pm & 6:00pm

Calvary Baptist Egg Hunt, The Nelons

Nelons in Concert

The Nelons, a Grammy nominated Southern Gospel group, will be in concert at Calvary Baptist Church on Saturday, April 20th at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is invited. Admission is free, a love offering

will be taken.

Easter Egg Hunt

Calvary Baptist will be having our Community Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 20th at 3:00 p.m. All children 5th grade and under are welcome to attend.

Saturday, April 20th @ 6:00pm

New Bethel #1 Gospel Singing

New Bethel Baptist Church #1 on Barnes Mountain will be having a Gospel Singing on Saturday, April 20, 2019, starting at 6:00 p.m. Guest

singers will be The Letterbox Boys from Jackson County.

There will be refreshments afterwards and everyone is welcome to attend.

Sunday, April 21st @ 7:00am

Sunrise Service at First Baptist

Irvine First Baptist, 351 Broadway, will be having an Easter Sunrise Service and breakfast, this coming Sun-

day, April 21, 2019, beginning at 7:00 a.m.

Bro. Tony Horn is the pastor and everyone is welcome.

Sunday to Wednesday, April 28 - May 1

Revival at Providence Baptist

The Providence Baptist Church, 1115 Winston Road, will be having a revival, Sunday through Wednesday, April 28 - May 1, with Bro. Dale Rose from Monticello, Kentucky as the evangelist.

ing Worship at 11:00 a.m. and a fellowship meal afterwards.

Sunday through Wednesday evening services begin at 7:00 p.m.

Pastor Tom Roberts and the congregation welcome everyone to attend.

Sunday through Friday, May 5-10

Gospel Meeting at Crystal Church

There will be a Gospel Meeting at the Crystal Church of Christ, 100 Beattyville Road in Ravenna, Sunday through Friday, May 5-10, 2019.

Tuesday services begin at 7:00 p.m. Speaker will be Bro. Mike Hoover.

Wednesday through Friday services begin at 7:00 p.m. Bro. Donnie Oliver will be the speaker.

Everyone is invited to attend all these services.

The Principals of Life

by **BOB CASEY**, preacher
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The definition of 'Principal' is 'the recognition of the main thing in life' or 'the pursuit of a goal of life.' Whether one realizes it or not, all of us are establishing principals in our life as we go about our daily activities, whatever they may be.

But, our God has established principals for us to live by since the beginning of time as we know it. In the beginning, God established principals for all earth dwellers. He created this earth full grown, along with all the lesser animals; and then, he created man and established the principal that man would be in charge of all the earth (in Genesis 1:24-29).

So this principal was given by the Lord and has not been changed at all. So, then, as we continue to read the Bible, we can clearly see that it is a book full of principals. There was another principal in the Garden of Eden. "Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat: But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die." (Genesis 2:16-17) But in Genesis 3:6-7, they both broke the main principal of life, 'obey and live forever or eat and die,' and so they did die (Genesis 5:4-5). He lived 930 years and died. And this established principal has been in existence up until the present minute.

So, with all this being said, I will take the rest of this article dealing with another principal of life found in the **Book of Galatians 6:7-8**, "not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the

Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting." So, to this present hour, this established principal also remains unchanged.

Now, being raised years ago when farming was the main occupation of many and gardening was nearly always engaged in by most; I have a general knowledge relating to sowing and planting and also to cultivation of that which was sown. So, this is one of the oldest principals of life, but here in our study text, the Bible is using this basic knowledge to teach us about heavenly things. Our Lord uses this in the story of the sower in Matthew 13.


First, every action of our life is a demonstration of what kind of seed we are sowing. The harvest hour is the judgment to come, so the harvest will reveal the complete details of the life we have lived, or the seeds we have sown. So, our text says that 'God is not mocked.' You were not put here upon the earth to sow or live a sinful manner of life. But if you do, the Lord will not accept you into his Heaven, having lived in a reckless manner. If you sow evil, so will we reap the rewards of evil.

Then, on the other hand, if we give and surrender our will to the Lord and sow the seeds of a righteous manner of life, your friends, family, all will know it, and the main principal of life is 'the Lord will know it also.'

So, why sow the seed of evil and reap the whirlwind of eternal death. Sow the good seed of obedience and hear Jesus say, 'Well done, thou faithful servant, enter in to the joys of the Lord.' Remember, you are making the choice while you are living and our God will not be mocked.

Visit with us this coming Lord's Day and hear Cain Adkinson preach the Gospel. Cain is a student at Eastern Kentucky University and one who at this young age has dedicated his life to sowing good seed.

Sincerely, Bob Casey, (1-859-369-4165), local



Seeds of Hope

G.K. Chesterton was a famous English writer. He is held in high esteem for his poetry, respected for his work as a journalist and his works in philosophy. He was once named by Time magazine as a "man of colossal genius."

Once, while traveling on a train, he became so engrossed in the book he was reading that he forgot his destination. As the train made its last stop, the conductor went to him and said, "Sir, this is the end of the line."

Hefrantically searched his pockets for his ticket but could not find it. Not being able to find it, he looked bewildered and confused. Sensing his predicament, the conductor asked, "Where were you going?"

After a lengthy pause he said to the conductor, "I can't remember. I'll have to phone my wife and ask her."


The writer of Psalm 80 recognized that the children of Israel had abandoned their relationship with God. With a heavy heart he prayed, "Restore us, O God, make Your face shine upon us that we may be saved." Realizing that they were going in the wrong direction he asked God to "restore them and save them." And He did!

Throughout history, from the dawn of Creation until this very moment, God has never abandoned anyone. It is always the other way around: we have abandoned Him.

A mother received a letter from her son in prison. In his despair he wrote her and said that he got into trouble because God had abandoned him. With a heart filled with love and sadness she wrote, "Son, if you do not feel the closeness of God it is because you have left Him."

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"Easter is very important to me, it's a second chance."
— Reba McEntire

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God's Way

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The body God has given man to live in on this Earth, is so susceptible to every physical condition that may arise. However, when we come out of the grave, we will have a new body like unto Christ, Himself.

"Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is." (1 John 3:2)

What a tremendous hope is ours. It is no wonder that we look forward to that day when we shall be like Him. We will see Him as He is. When the resurrection takes place, then will the prophetic promise be fulfilled. Which says, "Death is swallowed up in victory." Death will have no power over the Christian. There will be no more fear of death, no more subjection to death and no more graves. God will give the saint victory over death, hell and the grave.

The prayer of Paul was made after contemplating God's power or victory over death in behalf of His saints. His longing, yearning and intense desire was "That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;" (Philippians 3:10)

The power that produced Jesus's resurrection and that will produce the resurrection of His saints can become a part of our lives today. This was the fervent prayer of the apostle.

May that same power exist in a supernatural way in our lives, so that His will may dominate the lives of His saints and His divine power may generate the power that man needs to live for Him.

While Jesus was on earth, He brought at least three people back from death. All three died again at some time after their earthly resurrection. Thus the victory achieved over death in these miracles was only temporary. The resurrection of Jesus represented a complete triumph over death, because He never did and never will die again. Likewise, when the dead in Christ are brought forth from their graves and those who remain on earth in Christ are transformed and caught away to be with the Lord, it will also represent complete victory over death. The dead in Christ will never die again. Moreover, those in Christ who remain alive in the earth until His coming will never suffer a natural death. Literally, death will be swallowed up in victory for it is consumed, destroyed, abolished and dissolved by the supernatural power of God.

The resurrection will not be temporary, but permanent for the saints of God as the Scriptures says, "Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord." (1 Thessalonians 4: 7)

All are welcome to come learn with me.

BIBLE WORD SEARCH

by Elie's Spiritual Treasures

ISAIAH 50:4

The **Sovereign LORD** has **given** me a **well**-instructed **tongue**, to **know** the **word** that **sustains** the **weary**. He **wakens** me **morning** by morning, wakens my **ear** to **listen** like **one** being **instructed**.

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