How Do I Become A Member Of The Lord's Church?

Hear God's Word: *Romans 10:17* **Believe** Jesus is Lord: *Acts 2:36*,

John 3:16

Repent of your sins: *Luke 13:3-5* Confess Jesus as the Son of God:

Romans 10:9-10

Be Baptized for the remission of sins:

Acts 2:38, Romans 6:3-4

And then

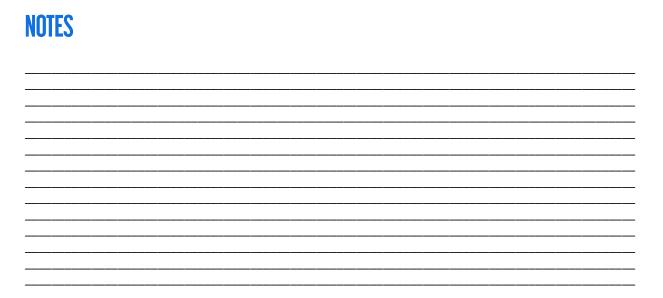
Remain Faithful: *Revelation 2:10*



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Bible Trivia Quiz

(Try to answer without looking in your Bible.)

OT 1. Who was Noah's grandfather?

NT 2. According to Jesus, what happens when a blind man guides another blind man?

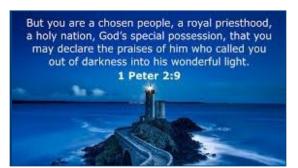
Answers to last week's quiz:

1. 700 2. There was silence in heaven for about half an hour.

* Directory Update *

Please check your page in the directory and let Laura know of any changes that need to be made or if you need a new picture.

Updated pages will be distributed later this fall.



WELCOME, VISITORS!

YOU are our most honored guests and we want to get to know you and answer any questions you may have. Please fill out one of the visitor cards found on the back of the pew and stay a few minutes after service so we can meet you.

Elders: Bob Bliss and Gene Newton

October 13, 2024

9:30 Adult Class:

"Romans"

Gene Newton

10:30 Worship: Scripture Reading: TBD

TBD

Bob Bliss

5:00 Evening Service

7:00 Wednesday Bible Classes

Blessed Is the Nation

It is written in Psalm 33:12, "Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD, The people whom He has chosen for His own inheritance." I have heard, over the years, this passage applied to America in those times when our political and cultural leaders have obviously departed from the biblical foundation of our founding fathers. But is that the intended usage by God?

The first application of the verse is to Israel. David is writing this psalm and he is trying to say that Israel is blessed because they are the ones who are chosen by the LORD (God's personal name) and provided with an inheritance in the land of Canaan. Later in the psalm David says that the LORD looks down favorably on those who fear Him (33:18). Israel is distinguished from the nations around her because of her relationship to the LORD. The other nations have a god but only Israel has the LORD. Because of their relationship to the LORD they are blessed, if they are faithful to Him.

America as a nation doesn't have the relationship with God that Israel had. However, the church does. Peter reminds us that as Christians we are "a holy nation" and "a people for God's own possession" (1Peter 2:9). The church is the nation that is blessed because they have a relationship with God through Jesus Christ. We are a universal nation meant to bring harmony and peace to the world through the message of grace that we proclaim.

I don't want America to depart from our biblical roots. I also don't want the church to depart from those roots. We should never be distracted by the biblical evidence that God calls us Christians first, as His people, and expects us to let our light shine. When we shine, then we are blessed as God's nation.

-Bob-

(from November 3, 2019)



Sunday Morning @ 9:30

Adults—Auditorium—Gene Newton Spanish Class—Room 10—Mario Motino All Children in Room 2—Angie Duran

Wednesday Evening @ 7:00

Adults-Auditorium-Bob Bliss Spanish Class—Room 10—Mario Motino All Children in Room 2—Angie Duran

2nd & 4th Tuesdau Evenings @ 7:00

Bible Studies Ladies-Room 6; Men-fellowship hall

Thursday Morning @ 10:00

Ladies' Bible Class in the fellowship hall

4th Friday Each Month @ 8:00

Fellowship Breakfast at Barnwood

Serving Our Family

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Worship Coordinator/October:

Steve Watson

October 6, 2024

For The Record

Attendance

38 **Bible Study** 57 AM Worship **PM Worship** 24 Wednesday

Contribution - \$2,539 Weekly Average - \$2,772 Goal - \$3.563

Jesus said. I am the way. and the truth. and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me. John 14:6

New Group Photograph Sunday, November 3 After the morning service



ALL MEMBERS. please make plans to be here!

Birthday/Anniversary Dinner

This Thursday, October 17, at 5:45 at Golden Corral



Please sign up if you plan to attend.

Please pray for . . .

.. our church family

Dave & Judy Alexander, Donna Arman, Betty Badley, Jerry Bass, Pat Bliss, Gail Chandler, Robert & Barbara Cutlip, Margie Freeman, Charlie & Sharon Liles, Jim & Iris Liles, Brenda Matchett, Bill & Nell Sasser, Pat & Sonia Sides, Max & Jane Thomas, Steve & Tina Watson, and Raquel Zink.

Jane Thomas is recovering from surgery.

Donna Arman is experiencing problems with her heartbeat and blood pressure.

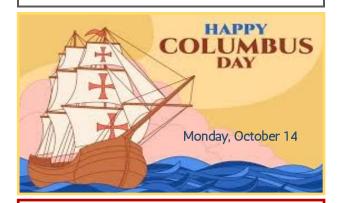
Phillip & Rhonda Hammond will be traveling home this week.

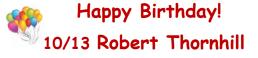
Dave & Judy Alexander will be traveling to Chicago this week.

Laura Martin is requesting prayers for two friends, Deborah Warden and Jeff Weisfeld, who are dealing with several medical issues.

. . . our shut-ins

Roger & Treva Childress, Eric Hansen, Trish Inman, Jerry & Regina Kirk, Janet Lindsey, Dorothy Osmon, Ed Stanphill, Richard J. Woody, and William Wycoffe.





PANTRY INFO

Thanks again for keeping our pantry stocked so we can give to families in need each month. The items needed for the giveaway on **November 9** will be posted on the bulletin board and will be in next week's bulletin.

Thanks to all of you, this outreach is helping many families, both physically and spiritually.

> WE ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE!! Bob and Gene

Acts 2:36-41 (ESV)

"Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified." 37 Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" 38 And Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Starting Sunday, November 3 **Combined, Bilingual Service** for Scripture Reading, Prayer, **Singing and Communion** on the First Sunday of Every Month

(The rest of the service after communion will be separate.)