

# Good News

From Getwell

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WHBQ-AM 560, Sundays, 8:00 - 8:30 a.m.

The Spiritual Sword Television Ministry

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### The Getwell congregation sends monthly support to the following:

Forest Hill Hispanic Ministry, at Getwell  
Tennessee Children's Home, Spring Hill, TN  
West Tennessee Children's Home, Pinson, TN  
Potter Children's Home, Bowling Green, KY  
Children's Homes, Paragould, AR

### SCHEDULE OF WEEKLY ACTIVITY

#### SUNDAY

Bible Study.....9:30 a.m.

Worship.....10:20 a.m.

Worship.....5:00 p.m.

#### TUESDAY

Ladies Bible Study.....10:00 a.m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Bible Study.....7:00 p.m.

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## ON THE HOME FRONT

Gary Colley

It is good to see the joy and happiness of those who attend all of the services at Getwell regularly! No doubt this good atmosphere for worship will cause others to want to have a part in the work here. Our obligations to God and our fellowman are great and only can be satisfied if we "trust and obey."

The wise man said, "Righteousness exalteth a nation; But sin is a reproach to any people" (Prov. 14:34). Not only does righteous living exalt a nation, but it also lifts up our spirits to God in praise. Men need to cling to the principles of Truth today more than ever. The church and our nation were built on these principles, but sadly it seems few remember in our time to practice those needed principles.

The Psalmist wrote concerning the foundations of virtue and piety, "If the foundations be destroyed, what can the righteous do?" (Ps. 11:3). This seems to have been written when law and order were being ignored, and wickedness seemed to triumph over righteousness. Of course the righteous have to keep on doing righteousness, and they will win the victory over sin whatever the devil and his servants may do! Our Shepherd continually blesses the righteous individually, in that he "restoreth my soul; He guideth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake" (Ps. 23:3).

Isaiah writes, "Thus saith Jehovah, Keep ye justice, and do righteousness; for my salvation is near to come, and my righteousness to be revealed" (Isa. 56:1). What does it mean to "do righteousness"? The Psalmist says, "Let my tongue sing of thy word; For all thy commandments are righteousness" (Ps. 119:172). Jeremiah wrote about those who do the commandments, "Jehovah is our righteousness" (Jer. 23:6; 33:16).

Let us hold fast to the foundation of Truth and right in order to have the best life on earth, and to insure that Heaven will be our home (Jn. 14:6).

# FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL LECTURESHIP

MARCH 29-APRIL 2, 2009

THEME:

## “TO SEEK AND TO SAVE”

MEMPHIS SCHOOL OF PREACHING

3950 Forest Hill Irene Road, Memphis, TN 38125-2560

### SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2009

9:30-10:20 A.M. Evangelism: The Faith To Get The  
Job Done.....David Sain  
10:30-11:30 A.M. “To Seek And To Save”.....Barry Grider  
5:30-6:00 P.M. CONGREGATIONAL SINGING  
6:00-7:00 P.M. World Vision For Christ.....George Bailey

### MONDAY, MARCH 30, 2009

8:30-8:50 A.M. CHAPEL (Forest Hill) “He That  
Winneth Souls” (Pro. 11:30).....Scott Cain  
9:00-9:50 A.M. People Really Are Lost.....Paul Sain  
10:00-10:50 A.M. Evangelism: Using Publications.....Garland Elkins  
LADIES\* What Can A Woman Do To Seek  
And To Save? (Women Only).....Irene Taylor  
11:00-11:50 A.M. Working Together: Congregations  
And Individuals.....Eric Owens  
CLASS\* Evangelism: “In Sin City” .....Randy Mabe  
**11:50-1:30 P.M. LUNCH**  
1:30-2:20 P.M. Evangelism: Challenging  
Denominationalism.....Gary McDade  
LADIES\* The Home Is A Mission Field  
(Women Only).....Carla Moore  
2:30-3:20 P.M. Why Must The Church Grow? .....Jerry Jenkins  
CLASS\* Evangelism And Bible Preaching.....Greg Dismuke  
3:30-4:15 P.M. “Searching For Truth”.....John Moore  
Value Of Youth Camps .....Ronnie Hayes  
**4:15-6:30 P.M. INTERMISSION**  
6:30-7:00 P.M. CONGREGATIONAL SINGING  
7:00-8:00 P.M. The Cross: The Heartbeat  
Of Evangelism.....Dan Winkler

### TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2009

8:30-8:50 A.M. “Converting The Soul” (Psa. 19:7).....Gary Curry  
9:00-9:50 A.M. Does Education Inhibit Evangelism?  
.....Curtis A. Cates  
10:00-10:50 A.M. Evangelism: Using The Media.....Jim Dearman  
LADIES\* Evangelism Means Confrontation:  
How Do We Handle It? (Women Only)  
.....Tanya Silcox  
11:00-11:50 A.M. Retired Or “Re” Tire .....Gary Colley  
CLASS\* Evangelism And World Wide Missions  
.....John Grubb  
**11:50-1:30 P.M. LUNCH**  
1:30-2:20 P.M. Evangelism And Church Discipline  
.....Johnie Scaggs  
LADIES\* I Stood By His Side (Women Only)  
.....Melany Hatcher  
2:30-3:20 P.M. Evangelism: Using Campaigns.....Billy Bland  
CLASS\* Training Fishers Of Men.....Tim Wilkes  
**SEMINAR FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS  
AND SUPPORTERS (MSOP CHAPEL)**  
3:30-4:15 P.M. “Digital Bible Study” .....Jonathan Jenkins  
Value Of New Converts Class .....Gary Culbreath

**4:15-6:30 P.M.**

### ALUMNI AND FRIENDS DINNER (FELLOWSHIP HALL)

6:30-7:00 P.M. CONGREGATIONAL SINGING  
7:00-8:00 P.M. Light The Fire Of Evangelism.....Tom Holland

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2009

8:30-8:50 A.M. CHAPEL (Forest Hill) “What Is A Man  
Profited?”(Mat. 16:26).....Donnie Vick  
9:00-9:50 A.M. Why Go Ye Means Go Me.....Keith Mosher  
10:00-10:50 A.M. What Must I Do To Be Saved? .....Mark Lindley  
LADIES\* Winning Souls Through Compassion  
(Women Only).....Jane McWhorter  
11:00-11:50 A.M. You Never Mentioned Him To Me  
.....David Prophater  
CLASS\* The “Action” Of Evangelism.....Wade Webster  
**11:50-1:30 P.M. LUNCH**  
1:30-2:20 P.M. Evangelism: Quality Or Quantity.....Kevin Moore  
LADIES\* Timothy: Training Our Children To Be  
Evangelistic (Women Only).....Sheila Butt  
2:30-3:20 P.M. Priscilla And Aquilla: Partners  
In Evangelism .....Herb Alsop  
CLASS\* Evangelism And Apologetics.....Kyle Butt  
3:30-4:15 P.M. Truth For The World .....Skip Andrews  
Starting A New Congregation.....Jeff Collet  
**4:15-6:30 P.M. INTERMISSION**  
6:30-7:00 P.M. CONGREGATIONAL SINGING  
7:00-8:00 P.M. “Burning Up The Woods” .....B. J. Clarke

### THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 2009

8:30-8:50 A.M. CHAPEL (Forest Hill) “They That Turn  
Many To Righteousness” (Dan. 12:3)  
.....Wayne Rodgers  
9:00-9:50 A.M. Evangelism: Who Will Lead?.....Jerry Martin  
10:00-10:50 A.M. Evangelism: School On The Internet.....Tom Bright  
LADIES\* The Value Of One (Women Only) .....Vada Rice  
11:00-11:50 A.M. Did He Not Also Die For Them? .....Allen Webster  
CLASS\* Given To Hospitality .....Matt Shelton  
**11:50-1:30 P.M. LUNCH**  
1:30-2:20 P.M. Evangelism: Big City Vs.  
Small Town.....Bob Prichard  
LADIES\* Little Things Mean A Lot  
(Women Only) .....Celicia Grider  
2:30-3:20 P.M. The Power Of Influence .....Dan Cates  
CLASS\* Evangelism And The Radio.....Paul Meacham  
3:30-4:15 P.M. House To House/Heart To Heart .....Allen Webster  
Value Of Prison Ministries.....Charles Box  
**4:15-6:30 P.M. INTERMISSION**  
6:30-7:00 P.M. CONGREGATIONAL SINGING  
7:00-8:00 P.M. “Go Make Disciples” .....Robert R. Taylor, Jr.

**\*ALL Classes (Including Ladies Classes)  
Meet In Room 405 In The School Building.**

# April 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p align="center"><b>APRIL COMMUNION SERVICE</b>            Tracy Smitherman   Ron Wallace            Woodrow Porter   J. R. Mayberry            Larry Sanders   LaDarius Sanders            Warnie Hudson   Doug Miller            Alternate: Larry Pike</p>			<p align="center"><i>1</i>            Judg. 13-15            Luke 6:27-49</p>	<p align="center"><i>2</i>            Judg. 16-18            Luke 7:1-30</p>	<p align="center"><i>3</i>            Judg. 19-21            Luke 7:31-50            *June Barringer</p>	<p align="center"><i>4</i>            Ruth 1-4            Luke 8:1-25            Comm. Prep.            Wanda            Barringer &amp;            Maxine Ward</p>
<p align="center"><i>5</i>            I Sam. 1-3            Luke 8:26-56            Cards: Team 1            Meet: Team 4   <i>Egg Hunt</i></p>	<p align="center"><i>6</i>            I Sam. 1-3            Luke 8:26-56</p>	<p align="center"><i>7</i>            I Sam. 7-9            Luke 9:18-36</p>	<p align="center"><i>8</i>            I Sam. 10-12            Luke 9:37-62</p>	<p align="center"><i>9</i>            I Sam. 13-14            Luke 10:1-24</p>	<p align="center"><i>10</i>            I Sam. 15-16            Luke 10:25-42</p>	<p align="center"><i>11</i>            I Sam. 17-18            Luke 11:1-28            Comm. Prep.            Charles            Shappley</p>
<p align="center"><i>12</i>            I Sam. 19-21            Luke 11:29-54            *Nell Barber            Cards: Team 2            Meet: Team 1</p>	<p align="center"><i>13</i>            I Sam. 22-24            Luke 12:1-31            *Billy Collins</p>	<p align="center"><i>14</i>            I Sam. 25-26            Luke 12:32-59            **Walter &amp; Addie            Nelms (64)</p>	<p align="center"><i>15</i>            I Sam. 27-29            Luke 13:1-22</p>	<p align="center"><i>16</i>            I Sam. 30-31            Luke 13:23-35</p>	<p align="center"><i>17</i>            II Sam. 1-2            Luke 14:1-24</p>	<p align="center"><i>18</i>            II Sam. 3-5            Luke 14:25-35            Comm. Prep.            Charles            Shappley</p>
<p align="center"><i>19</i>            II Sam. 6-8            Luke 15:1-10            Cards: Team 3            Meet: Team 2</p>	<p align="center"><i>20</i>            II Sam. 9-11            Luke 15:11-32            *Dewey Murray</p>	<p align="center"><i>21</i>            II Sam. 12-13            Luke 16</p>	<p align="center"><i>22</i>            II Sam. 14-15            Luke 17:1-19</p>	<p align="center"><i>23</i>            II Sam. 16-18            Luke 17:20-37</p>	<p align="center"><i>24</i>            II Sam. 19-20            Luke 18:1-23</p>	<p align="center"><i>25</i>            II Sam. 21-22            Luke 18:24-43            Comm. Prep.            Stanley Wallace</p>
<p align="center"><i>26</i>            II Sam. 23-24            Luke 19:1-27            Cards: Team 4            Meet: Team 3</p>	<p align="center"><i>27</i>            I Kings 1-2            Luke 19:28-48</p>	<p align="center"><i>28</i>            I Kings 3-5            Luke 20:1-26            *Wanda Barringer            Ladies Class            Luncheon</p>	<p align="center"><i>29</i>            I Kings 6-7            Luke 20:27-47</p>	<p align="center"><i>30</i>            I Kings 8-9            Luke 21:1-19</p>	<p align="center">*BIRTHDAY            **ANNIVERSARY            Please advise us            of your birthday            or anniversary if            they are not on            our calendar.</p>	

# FAMILY NEWS AND NOTES



## I WAS SICK AND YE VISITED ME (MATT. 25:36)

Jack Thomas is in Room 460 at St. Francis Hospital following knee replacement surgery. W. T. Hardwick is recuperating at home from pneumonia. Paula Perkins continues to recuperate from pneumonia and some heart irregularities at the home of her daughter Susan. Please remember Brenda Pike in your prayers as she undergoes tests. Our former member Elida Bell has asked to be remembered in our prayers as she recuperates from pneumonia.

Please also remember with your cards, calls, and prayers those of our number who are confined at home or in nursing homes: Hazel Bizzell, 356 Calle Escada, Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459-3698; Buddy Brandon, 11714 Macon, Eads, TN 38028, 853-4720; Nell Brandon, Quince Nursing and Rehab Center, 6733 Quince Rd., Room 2006A, 38119; Emma Brotherton, Landmark of DeSoto, 3068 Nail Rd. W., Room 310B, Horn Lake, MS 38637; Frances Collins, 4779 Amboy Rd., 38117, 682-6917; Mary Haynes, 274 S.

Highland, Apt. 808, 38111, 327-2127; Addie Nelms, 4007 Dunn Ave., 38111, 743-7554; Skipper Schulz, 139 Magnolia Dr., 38117, 683-3049; and Minnie Wayne, Gallaway Healthcare Center, Room 106, 435 Old Brownsville Rd., Gallaway, TN 38036, 317-4590.

## SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to the family of Gordon Stalcup in his passing on March 20.

## PHOTO UPDATES

March 29 will be the last Sunday for now to have your picture made for our hallway picture board. Please go to the fellowship room following our morning service if you need to take care of that.

## PLACED MEMBERSHIP

Benton, Margaret  
800 Dallas St., 38114 (2)

Wade, Luster  
2438 Rozelle, 38114 (2)  
774-1362

## SPIRITUAL SWORD GIFTS

Donations to THE SPIRITUAL SWORD have been received from Herb Moyer (OH), Rex Beardin (NM), and John Kirk (TN).

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

March 29, 2009

Welcome: George Cloys  
Lead Singing: Pat Phillips  
Opening Prayer: George Cloys (a.m.)  
Lenwood Luttrell (p.m.)  
Bible Reading: Dewey Murray  
Sermon: Gary Colley  
Closing Prayer: Charles Shappley (a.m.)  
Rob Barringer (p.m.)

## OUR ATTITUDE

March 22, 2009

Bible Study	90
Morning Worship	103
Evening Worship	58
Wednesday (3/18)	51
Contribution	\$3,848.20
Weekly Budget	\$3,706.00

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