

HERITAGE *Herald*

May 6, 2018



THIS WEEK:

Dear Friends and Members,

It has been a warm week. One day it was almost 90 degrees. We are sleeping at nights with the windows open for fresh air.

We are grateful for the Lord's care. *Eva*, the oldest member in our church, is doing well in the nursing home, rehabilitating after a nasty fall at home which fractured her shoulder and hip two weeks ago.

We are also grateful for the Lord's protection with several of our families experiencing the need for protection this week in one way or another. Praise the Lord all are safe. The Lord is good for which we praise Him for all His benefits.



Proverb 21:31 ...*safety is of the LORD.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

- May 13 - Mother's Day
- May 20 - BBTS Graduation (Cromwell, CT)
- May 26 - Main/Reeves Wedding

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SERVICE TIMES
SUNDAY SCHOOL - 10 AM
SUNDAY MORNING - 11 AM
SUNDAY EVENING - 6 PM
WEDNESDAY MIDWEEK - 7 PM

for the discerning



GO YE AND WARN THE WICKED

In Ezekiel chapter 3, verses 17-19, the Lord charged Ezekiel with the following warning: *Son of man, I have made thee a watchman unto the house of Israel: therefore hear the word at my mouth, and give them warning from me. When I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die; and thou givest him not warning, nor speakest to warn the wicked from his wicked way, to save his life; the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at thine hand. Yet if thou warn the wicked, and he turn not from his wickedness, nor from his wicked way, he shall die in his iniquity; but thou hast delivered thy soul.* God then repeats this warning in Ezekiel 33:7-9.

Similarly, after Jesus had risen, He appeared to the eleven remaining disciples as they sat together at a meal, and commanded them, *Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned* (Mark 16:15-16).

The central purpose of the Lord's local church is to share the truth of Scripture with the lost sinner and to bring him or her to maturity. The weight of responsibility lies upon the body and upon each individual to warn those who do not know Jesus as their Savior. There are serious eternal consequences for anyone who rejects the free gift of salvation.

Many people become focused on entertainment and socializing. Women talk about cooking, babies, hair, make-up, and clothes. Men talk about tools, trucks, guns, and work.

Yet none of these things are eternal.

Has your local body taken the responsibility of delivering the Gospel seriously? Have you?

- Brad Baldwin

MonthlyMemoryVerse

the heavens declare

*"The heavens declare
the glory of God;
and the firmament
sheweth his handywork."
Psalm 19:1*

Notable Historic QUOTE:



*"There is no more dangerous
experiment than that of
undertaking to be one thing
before a man's face and
another behind his back."*

- Robert E. Lee (1807-1870)
Christian General

Instruction for Eternal Life

Proverbs 4:13

Message by *Dr. Caswell A. Reeves*

Instructions are important. They help us, and some instructions have the value of keeping us safe. Just as instructions can give safety from bodily harm, so Biblical instruction can keep us safe from eternal harm. We learn this about instruction:



- I. There has got to be a reason for instruction (Romans 3:23)
 - A. Maybe that we need it
 - for all have sinned
 - B. Maybe that we are trying to learn something
 - we have come short of the glory of God

- II. There has got to be a teacher and a student
 - A. Someone has the knowledge (Romans 10:14)
 - B. Someone has to know

- III. There has got to be a goal (Romans 10:9-13)
 - A. Believe with the heart and be saved (vs. 9)
 - B. With the heart man believes unto righteousness (vs. 10)
 - C. Ask the Lord for salvation to eternal life from eternal harm (vs. 13)

Just as we have instructions for safety from physical harm, so God has given us instructions for eternal life that will keep us safe from eternal harm. Have you looked at those instructions and found Jesus Christ?



"The secret things belong unto the LORD our God: but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children for ever, that we may do all the words of this law." Deuteronomy 29:2

current schedule:*

May 19, 2018
DOCTRINAL DISSERTATION
 Bro. George Totica, CT

May 20, 2018
BBTS GRADUATION

Jun 11-15, 2018
HERMENEUTICS
 Dr. Keith A. Main
 Willow Grove Baptist Church, PA

Aug 5-9, 2018
BAPTIST HISTORY
 Dr. Caswell A. Reeves
 Galilean Baptist Church, CT

Sept 17-21, 2018
CHURCH OF COLOSSE
 Dr. Caswell A. Reeves
 Philippines, Bro. Raquintan's church

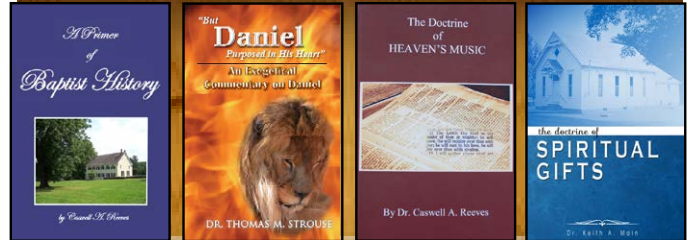
Oct 1-5, 2018
THEOLOGY OF A BIBLICIST
 Dr. Noel Meadowcroft

**all classes at HBC unless otherwise noted.*

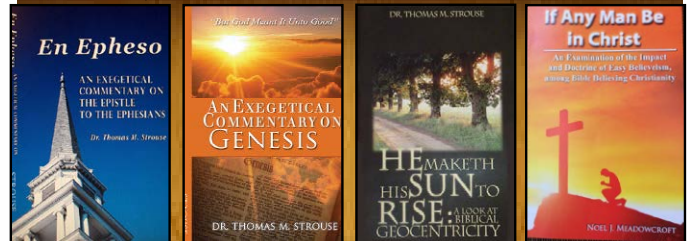
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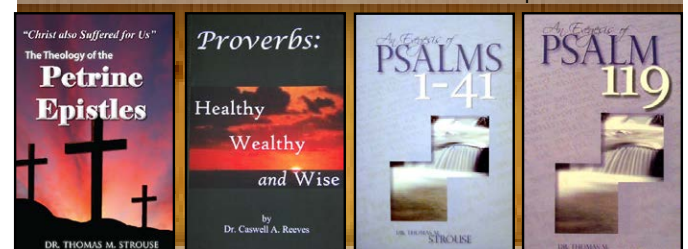
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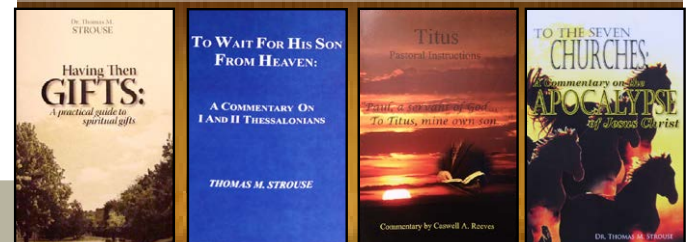
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I Will Build My Church Jonah The Lord God Hath Spoken



Peter Proverbs Psalms 1 - 41 Psalm 119



Spiritual Gifts I & II Thessalonians Titus Revelation