

HERITAGE *Herald*

April 22, 2018



THIS WEEK:

Dear Friends and Members,

This week our weather temperatures dropped low enough to bring some snow showers to our area. There was no accumulation to speak of except on the pine trees - beautiful looking.



On Friday the 20th, we attended **Spring Lecture Series**, which was hosted by the **Bible Baptist Church** of Cromwell, Connecticut. **Dr. Thomas M. Strouse** lectured on his latest work, a commentary of the **Book of Hebrews**. It was an exceedingly interesting, uplifting, and enlightening lecture. It was good to see old friends and make new friends. The fellowship was a blessing as was the the delicious meal prepared by **Bible Baptist Church**.



Pastors and professors in attendance at the Spring Lecture Series

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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



So Great Faith

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen (Hebrews 11:1).

Faith, if it is centered upon a relationship with Almighty God, is not a figment of imagination, but a powerful, motivating reality. In the book of Jonah, we have preserved for us the amazing faith response of an ungodly king and the entire wicked city of Nineveh.

When we read the book of Jonah, often one event grabs our attention. Who can ignore the story of a great fish swallowing a rebellious man and then vomiting him upon the shore of the sea?

However, if we read beyond this favorite Sunday School lesson, we will see an even greater miracle. Imagine one man walking alone *through an exceeding great city* crying, *Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown.* Likely if this were New York City, Chicago, or Los Angeles, Jonah would be mocked and laughed to scorn.

But in this case, *the people of Nineveh believed God, and proclaimed a fast, and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them even to the least of them.* Even the king himself believed, saying, *...let them turn every one from his evil way, and from the violence that is in their hands.*

The entire population of Nineveh received God's message by faith. In response to their repentance and submission, God spared the city. Because they repented, there never was any physical evidence that Jonah's message was true.

Think about that for a moment...

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How strong is your faith? Do you respond submissively to God's Word?

- Brad Baldwin

MonthlyMemoryVerse

perfect peace

*"Thou wilt keep him
in perfect peace,
whose mind is stayed on thee:
because he trusteth in thee."
Isaiah 26:3*

Notable Historic QUOTE:



"I have wondered at times about what the Ten Commandments would have looked like if Moses had run them through the U.S. Congress."

- Ronald Reagan (1911-2004)
40th President of the United States

Paul's Testimony in Asia

Acts 20:17-21

Message by *Dr. Caswell A. Reeves*

In this passage we see the personal testimony of Paul with regard to his ministry in Asia. His testimony is the kind of testimony all Christians should have when ministering the truth of God.



- I. Ye know I served the Lord with humility of mind (vs. 19)
- II. Ye know I served the Lord with many tears (vs. 19, Psalm 126:6)
- III. Ye know I served the Lord with temptations (vs. 19)
- IV. Ye know I kept back nothing that was profitable (vs. 20)
(1 Timothy 4:8 - taught godliness, 2 Timothy 3:16 - taught Scripture)
- V. Ye know I have showed you (vs. 20)
 - published, preached, reported, declared
- VI. Ye know I have taught you publicly and privately (vs. 20)
 - house to house
- VII. Ye know I have testified without prejudice (vs. 21)
 - A. repentance toward God
 - B. faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ

As people look at your life, what kind of a witness do you have with them? Are you a testimony for 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
TBA
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

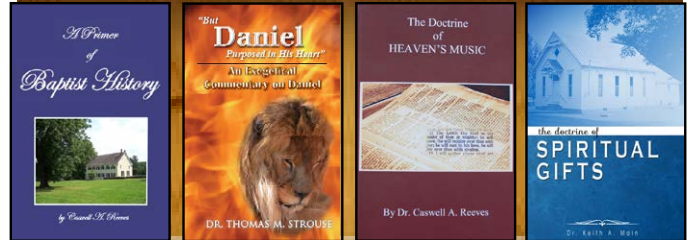
Oct 1-5, 2018
THEOLOGY OF A BIBLICIST
Dr. Noel Meadowcroft

**all classes at HBC unless otherwise noted.*

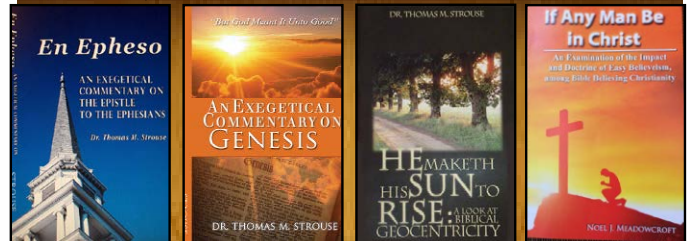
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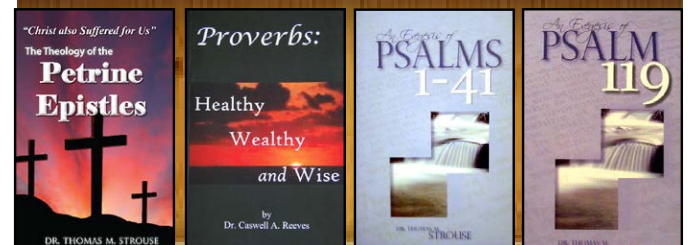
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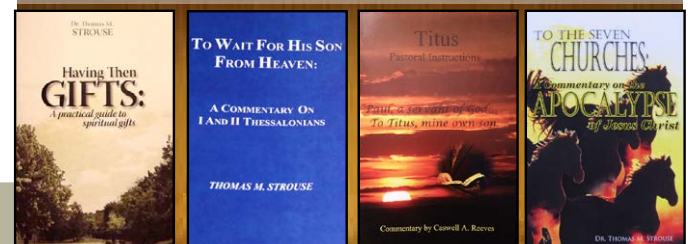
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I Will Build My Church Jonah The Lord God Hath Spoken



Peter Proverbs Psalms 1 - 41 Psalm 119



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