

Tidings From Timothy

Local evangelism report: Making our attendance goal for Friends and Family Day was definitely a big lift. 515 is going to be hard to beat. I know many of you worked hard to get others to come. That's why you had such confidence that we would beat the record. Please let me know of anyone who needs a follow-up visit after our big day. If they came once, they will come again.

In August I had about 33 visits. I am not satisfied with this, but I think I got bogged down toward the end of the month. I attended one singing and one Gospel Meeting. Overall, people were in good health. The congregation prospers and I think is going forward.

Once again we had a good turnout for the Nursing Home service. If you haven't been to this service on a 4th Sunday, then come by and help us. The people who live there will be thrilled when you visit.

You will notice something new on page 4 of this bulletin. We are starting **Bible Correspondence Courses**. A Bible study by mail is just what some people like to do, and it gets my "foot in the door" for a personal Bible study sometime later. Give the church bulletin to a friend and get them signed up to take this course (we even pay for the postage). I already have one or two signed up.

A Report on Casey Fork

This good congregation is made up of about a score of members who meet near Maribone, KY. **Bobby Harlan** has been working with them for about 4 years (they are also a little bit acquainted with Calvin Shaw, ☺) The church there is about 70 years old. With such a small number, the danger is that if the church were to stop meeting, some of them might not end up going to church anywhere. For this reason and others, it is important to keep our very rural congregations going. **Casey Fork** is like a lot of other congregations struggling to survive in rural Kentucky

and Tennessee. They were born in a day when people didn't travel so far. Also, back then you could expect children to stay around after they were grown and work on the farm or get a local job. But the jobs are not local anymore, society is much more on the move, and congregations like Casey Fork are having a hard time. Let us pray for them and others that brethren from Mt. Gilead are helping out. These little congregations are the backbone of the brotherhood, and it would be a shame to lose them. With perseverance, many of these congregations can be revitalized.

Sick

Irene Wilson is in the local hospital. She has not been eating and needs prayer. Floyd Smith and Pauline Bartley are also in the hospital. Sharon Ritter McDermott was to have valve replacement surgery at St. Thomas.

Birthdays

Josh Harlan	12 th
Daniel Harlan	12 th
Chris Harlan	13 th
Mary Helen Bartley	13 th
Diane Harlan	15 th
Donna Murray	15 th
Alex Johnson	15 th
Jeff Proffitt	15 th



I don't have space to give you a full outline of the Sunday morning lesson, but the subject will be "A Healthy Person." In a world obsessed with health issues, we will see that the best Medicine is to be a Christian. On Sunday night, we will study on the Contribution as a part of Worship.

Happy Anniversary! to Gary and Greta Bartley – September 11

WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

- **Hear the Gospel - Acts 15:7**
- **Believe the Gospel - Mark 16:15,16**
- **Repent of Sins - Acts 17:30**
- **Confess Christ - Rom. 10:9,10**
- **Be Baptized for the Forgiveness of Sins - Acts 2:38**

Then, as a Christian we must:

- **6. LIVE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH - REV. 2:10**

Study the Bible?

God speaks to us today through the Holy Word of God - The Bible (Hebrews 1:1-2). The Scriptures instruct us in the way God requires His people to live (2 Timothy 3:16,17). The Bible is powerful and able to save us (Romans 1:16; James 1:21-25), if we will hear, learn and obey it.

⇒ **Yes!** I want to learn more about the Holy Bible. Please enroll me in the eight lesson FREE Bible Correspondence Course (we even pay for the postage).

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¹¹Not that I speak in regard to need, for I have learned in whatever state I am, to be content: ¹²I know how to be abased, and I know how to abound. Everywhere and in all things I have learned both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. ¹³I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me. – Philippians 4:11-13

Elders:

Keith Dyer.....427-4105
Veachel Harlan.....487-5727

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Steve Carter, Larry Copas, Ray C. Lyon, Cass Thomas Froedge, Bobby D. Gerald, Bobby Harlan, Tony Harlan, Jimmy High, Gary Rowland

Evangelist:

Tim McHenry, 931-258-3494

Schedule of Services:

Sunday:

Bible Study... 9:30am
Morning Worship... 10:05am
Evening Worship... 6pm

Wednesday:

Bible Study... 7pm

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