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CHURCH OF GOD NEWSLETTER

God's Holy Days 2021

Passover *

March 27th

Feast of Unleavened Bread *

March 28th - April 3rd

Pentecost *

May 16th

Feast of Trumpets *

September 7th

Atonement *

September 16th

Feast of Tabernacles *

September 21st - 27th

Last Great Day *

September 28th

*** Begin Evening Before at Sundown**

*Fulfill you my joy,
that you be
likeminded, having
the same love, being
of one accord, of one
mind.*

Philippians 2:2

The Ten Commandments

Exodus 20:1-17

And God spoke all these words, saying,
I am the LORD your God, which has brought you out of
the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

You will have no other gods before me.

You will not make yourself any graven image, or any
likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is
in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the
earth:

You will not bow down yourself to them, or serve
them: for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visit-
ing the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto
the third and fourth generation of them that hate me;
And showing mercy to thousands of them that love
me, and keep my commandments.

You will not take the name of the LORD your God in
vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that
takes his name in vain.

Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy.

Six days you will labor, and do all your work:

But the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD your
God: in it you will not do any work, you, or thy son, or
your daughter, your manservant, or your maidservant,
or your cattle, or your stranger that is within your
gates:

For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the
sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day:
wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day, and hal-
lowed it.

Honor your father and your mother: that your days
may be long upon the land which the LORD thy God
giveth thee.

You will not murder.

You will not commit adultery.

You will not steal.

You will not bear false witness against your neighbor.
You will not covet your neighbor's house, you will not
covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant, or his
maidservant, or his ox, or his ass, or any thing that is
your neighbor's.

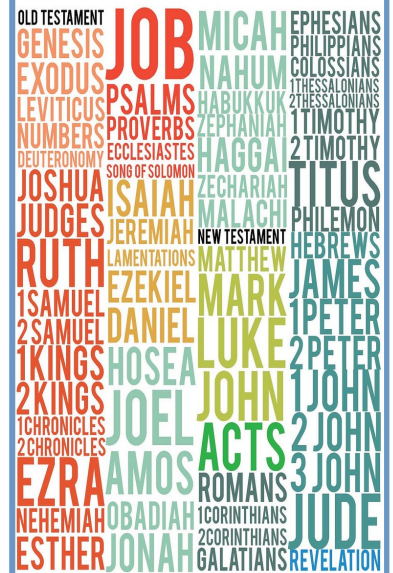
John 13:34-35

A new commandment I give to you, That you love one
another; as I have loved you, that you also love one
another.

By this shall all *men* know that you are my disciples, if
you have love one to another.

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*For God sent not his
Son into the world to
condemn the world;
but that the world
through him might be
saved.*

John 3:17

Prayers and Praises to God

Do you have prayer requests or do you want to give our Lord the praise he deserves, for an answered prayer? Please contact us.
(Contact Info is on Page. 3)

It is also important that we receive updates on any prayer requests. If we have not received an update within 30days of posting the prayer request, we will remove them from the list believing that their prayers have been answered.

NEW PRAISES TO GOD

Bonnie Chrisman had planter fasciitis in her right foot. She is doing well now.

Stephen Hicks is doing well after a heart attack in July. He is receiving acupuncture for his back and leg pain and it is helping.

Teresa & Samantha Hicks are back to work after having Covid-19. They are working on getting their strength back now.

Stephanie & Jack Downard have recovered from Covid-19. Stephanie has returned to work.

NEWEST PRAYERS AND UPDATES:

Beverly Waylon has a malignant tumor behind her eye. She is finishing her treatments.

Shirley Nicholas is still having a lot of back pain.

Ella Childs was having severe pain from pancreatitis. She is still in hospital, but improving greatly and is eating well now.

Katherine Ogwen's husband has ulcerative colitis. She recently had carpal tunnel surgery on both hands.

Norman Curran is presently in the Autumn Oaks Caring Center in Mountain Grove, Mo. due to a fall he took at home.

Cosden Foland needs prayers for his eye to be healed.

Bill Gossett is in final stages of prostate cancer. They have called hospice in for him.

John Everhart had a stroke. Doctors found blood clots and blockage. They put in a stint and have cleared his left carotid artery and will do the right side on March 10th. He is at home. Pray for his wife Wendy also.

Minnie Mendez has Covid-19 and is in very serious condition.

Autumn Wilkins is in need of a job. Update: She has a job, but needs to find a place to park her RV before March 27th.

Ann Gieselman is having a lot of leg and knee pain.

Daniel Baum has Covid-19 and is doing better now.

Bob Theimer's blood clot has reduced, but still has health issues.

Gary Gibeson has cancer of the liver. When the doctors did surgery they found sever liver disease and another small tumor. They had to burn the tumors instead of removing them.

Billy Porter was in a major car accident along with his pregnant wife and two children. They all suffered some injuries.

Kevin Wright is fighting for his life and has been diagnosed with congestive heart failure.

Rachel Bollig still has breathing problems.

Carolyn Unnewehr is still in a healthcare facility. Needs prayers for healing and strength.

Tonya Obrien has lymphoma cancer. She saw the doctor on the 20th to decide what to do.

Neil Meyers has been diagnosed with stage 4 lung cancer.

Kristen Hocker she is still unable to walk Update: Her dad is helping her and needs prayers. They are both very positive about her recovering process.

Barbara Chase is having sever pain in her hip and leg.

Roy Marlin has cancer.

Gerry Marlin is recovering from a stroke.

Kimberly Edwards has wounds appearing on her legs from unknown cause.

Nancy Miles needs surgery for hiatal hernia.

Tim Hicks is having a lot of back pain and is not sleeping well.

Marlene Brown is having pain in her left shoulder and neck.

Kate Forester is having ankle and leg pain.

Psalm 42:8

Yet the LORD will command his lovingkindness in the daytime, and in the night his song shall be with me, and my prayer unto the God of my life.



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Greetings & Fellowship 11:00—11:25 AM

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JOIN US FOR A JOINT (OPEN FORUM)BIBLE STUDY EVERY FRIDAY EVENING AT 7 P.M.

Working together to spread the gospel of Jesus, the Christ

No Wonder God is Angry

By Stephen Hicks

Most people, if asked today, would say that God loves us, He is pleased, and He is still blessing the United States. He does love His creation, but He hates the sin that is a big part of their lives.

When I pray, I ask Him to be merciful and to forgive them because they don't know what they are doing. But I cannot find it in my heart to ask God to bless a country that has turned its back on Him and refuses to repent. I would not even ask God to bless me if I was not keeping His commandments.

This world wants to address and celebrate their gods and goddesses but will not recognize the One True God that would love and bless them if they would only repent and turn to Him.

You cannot turn on the TV or radio or even read news in the paper without hearing or reading some

reference to the gods of sports, the women who call themselves goddesses (divas) and men who believe that the gods will help them through their problems in life.

The other day I heard someone talking about the Hippocratic oath that medical students quote after graduation. I did not know much about it, so I did some research. The oath begins like this: "I swear by Apollo the physician, and Asclepius, and Hygieia and Panacea and all the gods and goddesses as my witnesses, that, according to my ability and judgement, I will keep this Oath and this contract." Within the context of the oath, it also says: "I will not give a woman a pessary to cause an abortion," and, "In purity and according to divine law will I carry out my life and my art." It seems a contradiction to swear an oath to other gods and goddesses and then to say that they will carry out their life according to divine law.

No wonder God is angry. (Continued on Page 9.)

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No wonder He has turned His back on this nation and if they don't repent soon, things will get worse.

The spirit of antichrist is growing stronger and stronger as more and more surrender to its bidding, through ignorance, serving their own desires instead of serving God. 1 John 2:18 *"Little children, it is the last time: and as ye have heard that antichrist shall come, even now are there many antichrists; whereby we know that it is the last time."*

Suicides, murders, assaults and other crimes are increasing and will get worse as time goes on.

Where God is not, Satan is there.

So many speak about loving one another while their hearts are filled with bitterness and hatred and their actions show it. James 3:14-16 *"But if ye have bitter envying and strife in your hearts, glory not, and lie not against the truth. This wisdom descendeth not from above, but is earthly, sensual, devilish. For where envying and strife is, there is confusion and every evil work."*

This spirit of evil is growing rapidly in the world and it already has and still is creeping into God's family too. Many people only care about their own needs. This is the opposite of what the bible teaches, which is to put others needs before our own.

A spirit of slumber is falling upon many of the shepherds and brethren of the family of God. Some pastors do not desire to teach the whole truth, because they fear the loss of brethren of their flock and/or their support. So, they preach to them what they want to hear instead of what they need to grow in their walk with the Lord. Many are not doing the job that they were called by God to do and it is hurting the church. God is not pleased with this.

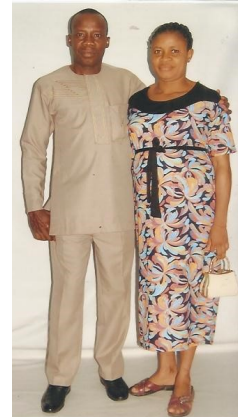
2 Timothy 4:2-5 *"Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables. But watch thou in all things, endure afflictions, do the work of an evangelist, make full proof of thy ministry."*

Ezekiel 34:1-6 *"And the word of the LORD came unto me, saying, Son of man, prophesy against the shepherds of Israel, prophesy, and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord GOD unto the shepherds; Woe be to the shepherds of Israel that do feed themselves! should not the shepherds feed"* (Continued on Page 9.)

Nigeria Churches of God



Pastor Solomon & wife Joy



Pastor Ezekiel & wife

Dear Pastor Hicks,

We greet you in the name of our lord Jesus. We thank God for his love ,we have a service last week and we were wonderful bless.

We really pray for the building which we spent millions of Naira on it. We are really afraid to hear that this week all uncompleted buildings in that street will be demolished. Please pray for us.

I am your brother.

Pastor Solomon

Dear pastor Stephen,

I wish to know, if any body have responded to our needs for building funds.

For the time is too short and many people are rushing to build theirs. If there is any response, whatever you have, you can send to us, because it is hard but we are still in prayer and we know that God can never disappoint us.

Thanks,

I am pastor Ezekiel

The following email was received on February 25th.

Dear pastor Stephen,

The destruction is still carrying on, and we are still praying that it should not reach us before the funds arrives. We believe that God will preserve us, how is our brethren over there? I hope that there are all well.

Thanks,

I am your brother in Christ

Pastor Ezekiel frank

They need \$3000 to finish the work needed to spare the building. The government is pushing down any uncompleted buildings at this time. All of us together have invested lots of money for the work on it, just to see it get torn down now. If you can help, please send it to our church PO Box.

Sabbath

SABBATH SERVICES

Remember the
Sabbath day and
keep it holy.

Exodus 20:8

March 2021

KC Church of God Ministries

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Meal after bible study

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Times & Locations are subject to change. We will do our best to contact you of these changes, but please call us before travelling.

Harrisburg, IL Church of God

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JUST FOR FUN

The puzzle of the month will be a mix of easy, fairly easy, hard, which may or may not be challenging. Please don't be discouraged if you don't know some of the answers, just challenge yourself to learn. All answers will be published in the next month's newsletter. Hope you enjoy!

Answers to Last Months Puzzle

1. 1 Kings 11:42

2. Matthew 5:5

3. Luke 19:46

4. John 18:13

5. Exodus 7:21

6. Psalm 23:2

7. Acts 9:40

8. James 1:27

9. Revelation 1:11

10. Revelation 21:12

11. Matthew 25:1

12. Daniel 2

13. Matthew 19:13

14. Exodus 2:16-21

15. David

16. Luke 17:16

17. Acts 16:26

18. Judges 6:37

19. Revelation 12:1

20. Acts 16:25

1. Which of Job's friends — Zophar, Eliphaz, Elihu, or Bildad — arrive last?

2. How long did Job sit and mourn silently?

3. Why were the children of Israel condemned to wander the wilderness for forty years?

4. Who touched the Ark of the Covenant and died?

5. When God asked Adam, "Have you eaten from the tree which I commanded you not to eat from?" whom did Adam blame?

6. When Naaman was cured of his leprosy, to what liar was the leprosy given?

7. Who led the victory song after the Egyptians were drowned in the Red Sea?

8. Who, besides Moses, had rods that turned into serpents?

9. Who's name means "Day Star"?

10. Who killed two people at once with one spear?

11. Who had time altered for them?

12. What three things did God command Moses to do at the burning bush?

13. What happened to the Philistines who stole the Ark of the Covenant?

14. What was the name of the servant Abraham was asking God would be owner and his heir of his house, before Isaac was born?

15. When told that his son had been killed and the Ark of the Covenant had been taken, who fell over backwards and died of a broken neck?

16. Whom did Rahab marry, and whose mother was she?

17. Who set up the Ebenezer?

18. What bad man got his head nailed to the ground?

19. Who is described in the Bible as having weak and dull looking eyes?

20. What king's description says he came "cheerfully"?

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In his letter dated December 7th, Pastor Nestor wrote: Praise the Lord. Love and greetings from all of us here in the Philippines in the precious and wonderful name of Jesus, the Christ. Hope you are all fine and in the best of health and the Lord keep you safe always. Amen. Hallelujah! Beloved Stephen and Teresa, we are now in the last days and the Lord's return is very, very soon. Let us fight the good fight of faith. For us here we are all fine and the Lord keep us safe from all harm. He protects us from this deadly corona virus. Amen. To God be the Glory!! About the gospel and mission work here, it is fine and real good. The work continues even while the world is under a pandemic. The Lord blesses the works here and continues to work with us. Our evangelistic teams in Cebu and Mindanao continue reaching more people through open air evangelistic crusades. The weekly schedule continues with our home bible studies and prayer meetings and house to house visitations and we invite people to church. Although the time is so hard, the Lord helps us in a wonderful way. We are ready and excited anytime the Lord will come. Hallelujah!!! Amen.

Beloved Stephen and Teresa, thank you and all of the brethren so much for your prayers and support. Keeping you always in our thoughts and prayers. We love you. God bless you all and God bless America. Love and prayers, your brother and sister and fellow servants, Nestor and Edith.

In his letter dated December 20th, Pastor Nestor wrote: Praise the Lord. Love and greetings from all of us here in the Philippines in the wonderful and matchless name of Jesus, the Christ. Hope you are all fine and in good health and may the Lord bless you more abundantly and keep you safe always. Amen. Hallelujah!!! We have received your letters of Sept 9th and Sept. 27th and October 1st, with the check in each letter. Beloved Stephen and Teresa and all, thank you so much for all your prayers and support. Really God is good all the time. We are so thankful to Him for He answers our prayers. Hallelujah!!! To God Be The Glory. We rejoice with you and are so thankful for your healing, which is a miracle, just as God did it to my son, Nestor Jr.. My son had a malignant brain tumor, but the Lord healed him by a miracle through yours and our prayers and also the anointed cloth as a point of contact. Praise God. Hallelujah.

About the gospel and mission works here, it is fine and real good. The Lord blesses the works here with souls and spiritual strength and understanding. Please send our love to all of our church family there. Beloved Stephen and Teresa again thank you so much for all your prayers and support. God bless you all and God bless America. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers. We love you. Sincerely yours in Christ. Your brother and sister and fellow servants, Nestor and Edith.

Note from Editor: It appears that the mail is finally being delivered to Pastor Nestor and we are glad that he is finally receiving the support for the work there. You can see the most recent pictures he sent to us on the last Page of this newsletter.

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Pastor Martin has been staying busy with anointings for healings, preaching the gospel and welcoming visitors to teach them about the Lord. He has been troubled by malaria at times which makes him very sick. He is doing well, but needs to have prayers of healing and protecting lifted up for him. The churches in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda continue to grow and the needs keep getting greater. Food costs are still the main problem there as the prices continue to rise. Thank you for your prayers and support of the overseas work.



Scenes from
Migori Church
of God



(No Wonder God is Angry, Continued from Page 4.)

the flocks? Ye eat the fat, and ye clothe you with the wool, ye kill them that are fed: but ye feed not the flock. The diseased have ye not strengthened, neither have ye healed that which was sick, neither have ye bound up that which was broken, neither have ye brought again that which was driven away, neither have ye sought that which was lost; but with force and with cruelty have ye ruled them. And they were scattered, because there is no shepherd: and they became meat to all the beasts of the field, when they were scattered. My sheep wandered through all the mountains, and upon every high hill: yea, my flock was scattered upon all the face of the earth, and none did search or seek after them."

As Pastors, we see that some have been drawn away through false teachings and others leave the flock because they are not receiving teachings that will help them in their walk of faith. Some of God's people would rather be taught weak and worthless things because they really do not want to make any changes in their lives. They do not want to hear corrective sermons because they cut to the heart and burn in the conscience of those walking contrary to the Lord God.

1 Timothy 1:5-6 *"Now the end of the commandment is charity out of a pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith unfeigned: From which some having swerved have turned aside unto vain jangling:"*

There are many who will not let go of their fleshly or worldly desires to heed the calling of the Lord. Their possessions mean more to them than God does.

Luke 14:16-24 *"Then said he unto him, A certain man made a great supper, and bade many: And sent his servant at supper time to say to them that were bidden, Come; for all things are now ready. And they all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said unto him, I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: I pray thee have me excused. And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them: I pray thee have me excused. And another said, I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come. So that servant came, and shewed his lord these things. Then the master of the house being angry said to his servant, Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor, and the maimed, and the halt, and the blind. And the servant said, Lord, it is done as thou hast commanded, and yet there is room. And the lord said unto the servant, Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled. For I say unto you, That none of those*

men which were bidden shall taste of my supper.

God is calling us to be a part of the first resurrection and to take part in the marriage supper with His Son.

If we had children that refused to listen or ignored us when we called them, we would get angry. God is much more patient than we are, but He still has limits to how long He will hold off His wrath.

Ezekiel 11:21 *"But as for them whose heart walketh after the heart of their detestable things and their abominations, I will recompense their way upon their own heads, saith the Lord GOD."*

As God's people, we do not have time to remain quiet. We need to be speaking out against the breaking of God's laws. We need to warn people when we see them sin. It is not being judgmental as some like to believe. It is about trying to save them from the wrath to come and to possibly save them from suffering as more and more disasters begin to happen throughout the world. We need to be sharing Christ with everyone we can and then let them make the choice of listening or continuing in their sins.

Deuteronomy 30:15-18 *"See, I have set before thee this day life and good, and death and evil; In that I command thee this day to love the LORD thy God, to walk in his ways, and to keep his commandments and his statutes and his judgments, that thou mayest live and multiply: and the LORD thy God shall bless thee in the land whither thou goest to possess it. But if thine heart turn away, so that thou wilt not hear, but shalt be drawn away, and worship other gods, and serve them; I denounce unto you this day, that ye shall surely perish, and that ye shall not prolong your days upon the land, whither thou passest over Jordan to go to possess it."*

This was given to Israel, but it goes for all of us today. God does not change.

All who have God's Holy Spirit are called to watch and warn. We can see the troubles and dangers coming upon this country, so we need to let people know why they are happening. Sin is bringing this upon the world. God is angry and has turned His face from this country and the rest of the world. Deuteronomy 32:19-21 *"And when the LORD saw it, he abhorred them, because of the provoking of his sons, and of his daughters. And he said, I will hide my face from them, I will see what their end shall be: for they are a very froward generation, children in whom is no faith. They have moved me to jealousy with that which is not God; they have provoked me to anger with their vanities: and I will move them to jealousy with those which are not a people; I will* (Continued on Last Page.)

(No Wonder God is Angry, Continued from Page 9.) *provoke them to anger with a foolish nation.*”

God’s children need to be setting a greater example around others so that they can see the Lord in us. We need to be drawing close to God and learning more about Him and what He wants from us. Humble yourself and seek Him with your whole heart. 2 Chronicles 7:14 *“If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.”*

Will the world repent and turn to God? Probably not. But we just can’t throw our hands up and surrender.

God will keep His eyes upon His children if we obey Him and keep His commandments. While the world makes Him angry, let us please Him and give Him the honor and glory that He deserves. END

Brethren of K.C. Church of God-Philippines 20th Anniversary

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