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CHURCH OF GOD NEWSLETTER

God's Holy Days 2022

Passover *
April 15th

Feast of Unleavened Bread *
April 16th-22nd

Pentecost *
June 5th

Feast of Trumpets *
September 26th

Atonement *
October 5th

Feast of Tabernacles *
October 10th-16th
Last Great Day *
October 17th

* 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, vis-
iting 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 maid-
servant, or your cattle, or your stranger that is with-
in your gates:

For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth,
the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the sev-
enth day: wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath
day, and hallowed 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 neigh-
bor. You will not covet your neighbor's house, you
will not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manser-
vant, or his maidservant, or his ox, or his ass, or any
thing that is your neighbor's.

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.

John 13:34-35

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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

Praises to God

Norman Curran. We got notified that he had entered into rest in January of this year.

Bettie Yeary entered into rest after battling heart problems. Please pray for Wendell and family.

David Kleindienst is home recovering at home and doing well.

Juanita Scharig is doing very well. Thanks for the prayers.

Kate Forester is doing better.

Anna Pickett needs prayer for comfort and strength after losing her husband Ken to Covid-19.

Prayer Requests

Deborah Morten fell and broke her arm bones just above her left wrist. She had surgery on August 11th and is doing better as it heals.

Adele Camplin has a tooth that is giving her pain. Prayers for overall health and protection from infection.

Bonnie Chrisman is presently doing rehab after falling and breaking both of her legs. She is healing well. She has pain from PT, but is getting stronger.

Gene Chrisman had a Cardioverter Defibrillator implanted on August 18th. His kidneys failed and he was taken to the ICU. He is back home recovering.

Marlene Brown is having pain in her back and hips. She is passing some blood and believes she may have a UTI.

John Monahan had brain tumors removed and is now having radiation and chemo treatments. He is having severe pain in his neck and will see a neurosurgeon on October 3rd.

Court Greenfield has prostate cancer. Had a toe removed due to infection in it.

Pray for all of our overseas brethren.

Tim Imboden has prostate cancer.

Dave Lind is having knee pain.

Minnie Lindsey suffering with Alzheimer's.

Gary & Nancy Gieson, New Zealand, need prayers for Gary's overall health and that God will lead them in making right decisions with his health and in their relocation.

Rachel Bollig is still having breathing problems. She is living with her family at this time. They have asked hospice to come in to help her.

Ann Gieselman is still having pain.

Joni Mendez is having pain in her shoulder and elbow.

Joni's sister Margie has terminal cancer.

Rosa Mendez has cancer that has moved into her liver.

Pat Francy is recovering at home after having a stroke.

Shirley Nicholas is still having a lot of back pain.

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

Kristen Hocker Update: She is able to walk using a walker. Her dad is helping her and needs prayers. They are both very positive about her recovering process.

Bill Morten has prostate cancer.

Susan Morten has breast cancer.

Nancy Miles Nancy would love to hear from brethren. If you'd like to write or call her, please contact Wendell Yeary or Stephen Hicks for her info.

Stephen Hicks: I had a surgery procedure on August 3rd on my lower back. I am still having pain, but they said it may take up to 6 weeks to know if it worked.

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.



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REPAIRING THE BROKEN

By Stephen Hicks

Sometimes life hits us so hard that we feel broken. It could be caused by a divorce, the loss of a job, the death of a child or other loved one, cancer, bankruptcy, abuse, neglect, or rejection, just to name a few.

These and countless others can take a man or woman, no matter how strong they are, and shatter them on the floor like a vase. Brokenness can happen to anyone. The right circumstances, at the wrong time can break the best of us.

What I have encountered over the years in ministering and counseling is that many people tend to live in one of two extremes. There are people who will continue to wallow in their brokenness, and never find healing for their pain. Then there are those who completely ignore or hide their brokenness, until it eventually destroys them from the inside out.

I have witnessed the damage and destruction of the brokenhearted, the shattered, who couldn't find a way to repair and restore themselves. I watched my own dad waste away and finally die after my mother died. He had lost a part of himself and didn't know how to fill the void that it had left in his life. I tried to help him find peace, but he had already surrendered to his broken heart. (Continued on Page 4.)

In Loving Memory



Bettie Yeary

*“She fought
the good
fight, and
ran the
race to the
end.”*

*“Precious in the sight of
the LORD is the death of
his saints.” Psalm 116:15*

(Repairing the Broken, Continued from Page 3.)

He chose to carry the broken pieces by himself and didn't ask anyone for help.

When we leave the wound open without treating it, then it will never heal. Many will keep the wound festering by saying, "Oh, woe is me! Look how terrible my life is! Life has broken me." We tend to promote our damaged and baggage filled lives like it's a badge of honor.

We try to function with a gaping wound, and fractured pieces of who we are called to be.

We have all been broken at one time or another due to loss, pain, abuse, addiction, rejection, father or mother wounds, death, or other types of afflictions. We have all been dropped and shattered in some way in life. For some the shards of the broken vessel are bigger than others, but the brokenness is all the same. It leaves us hurting.

We can't carry around the broken pieces of our lives, and then still expect to have a relationship with family, friends, or with God. We're more likely to push them away. This is exactly what Satan wants us to do. He desires to cull us out, keeping us alone and in his darkness.

But thanks to our loving God, Jesus, the Christ is the golden glue that can and will bind us back together. He makes us whole. He restores us. Not only will he seal the wound, but He will heal the wound completely. Because of his life, death, and resurrection, He gives us the ability to heal, if we just allow Him to fill the void and heal the pain.

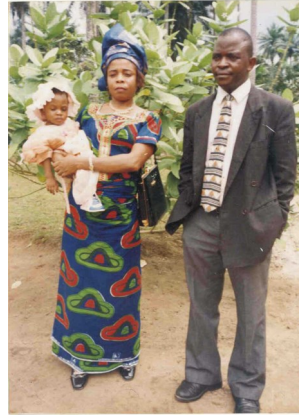
Consider what Jesus said in Luke 4:17-19 *"And there was delivered unto him the book of the prophet Isaiah. And when he had opened the book, he found the place where it was written, The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, To preach the acceptable year of the Lord."*

Jesus came to preach the gospel, to heal the brokenhearted, to free those captive to sin, to open the eyes of the blind, to free those bruised by life, and share the Father with all who would listen to Him.

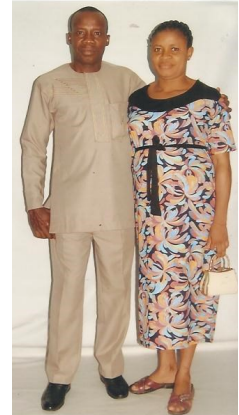
Often, we shut off our hearts to the idea of loving any longer, because of the fear of losing those we love or due to the lack of trust, because of things that happened to us in our past. We stop trying to form relationships, because of the pain we don't want to experience.

This kind of fear or these ideas do not come from God. They come from the devil playing upon our minds, convincing us that if we don't love, if we don't forgive and forget, then (Continued on Page 9.)

Nigeria Churches of God



Pastor Solomon & wife Joy



Pastor Ezekiel & wife

We recently sent funds to Pastor Solomon to help with their needs. The government is still threatening to tear down their building if it is not finished soon. The cost for supplies has gotten very expensive, and at this time we don't have any more we can send to them.

In his last letter, Pastor Solomon was thankful for the funds, but made it clear that it was not near enough to finish the work. We continue to support them with biblical teachings and prayers.

If you read the news about Nigeria, you will see that there is a constant threat from the Muslims. They have destroyed many churches and have killed many Christians. Please continue prayers for all of them.

BRANSON FEAST SITE

October 10th-17th

This feast site will be held at the Honey-suckle Inn & Suites in Branson, Mo. If you'd like to attend there you can reserve a room by calling 1-417-335-2030 and tell them you are registering with the Church of God Ministries, International, so that you can receive the room discount.

Registration, October 9th from 7-9 p.m.

Services 10 a.m. to noon each day.

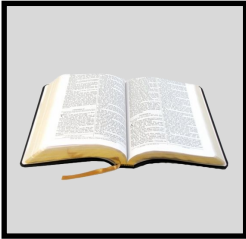
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Find a copy of the Tentative Feast Schedule at:

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SABBATH SERVICES

September - October 2022

The Sabbath Day
is a day of
Rest and
Worship

KC Church of God Ministries & Harrisburg, IL

*****September 3rd, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

Yeary Residence 618-252-3176

Hicks Residence 816-380-7821

Meal after bible study

*****September 10th, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

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Meal after bible study

*****September 17th, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

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Meal after bible study

*****September 24th, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

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Meal after bible study

*****September 26th, Feast of Trumpets 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

Yeary Residence 618-252-3176

Hicks Residence 816-380-7821

Meal after bible study

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

*****October 1st, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

Yeary Residence 618-252-3176

Hicks Residence 816-380-7821

Meal after bible study

*****October 5th, Day of Atonement 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

Yeary Residence 618-252-3176

Hicks Residence 816-380-7821

Meal after bible study

*****October 8th, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

Yeary Residence 618-252-3176

Hicks Residence 816-380-7821

Meal after bible study

*****October 10th—17th, Feast of Tabernacles & Last Great Day**

No Local Services

*****October 22nd, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

Yeary Residence 618-252-3176

Hicks Residence 816-380-7821

Meal after bible study

*****October 29th, Sabbath Service 11:30 AM**

This is a joint service, See Page 3 for info.

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Meal after bible study

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JUST FOR FUN

Answers to Last Months Puzzle

1. Judah. Matt 1:2
 2. Levi. Leviticus
 3. Levi. Exodus 2:1
 4. Levi, called Matthew. Mark 2:14
 5. Judah & Benjamin. 1 Kings 12:21
 6. Ephraim & Manasseh. Joshua 6:1-4
 7. Levi. Luke 1:5
 8. Gates. Rev 21:12
 9. Shibboleth. Judges 12:4-6
 10. Rehoboam. 1 Kings 12
 11. Levi. Joshua 3:6
 12. Dan. Judges 18:1
 13. East. Numbers 2:3-9
 14. The physical maintenance of the tabernacle and later the temple. Numbers 3:7
 15. The lost sheep of the house of Israel. Matt 10:6
 16. James. James 1:1
 17. Benjamin. Judges 20:20
 18. Many were left-handed and were accurate with a sling. Judges 20:16
 19. Manasseh. Deut 3:13
 20. Ephraim. Isaiah 7:2
1. In Genesis 1:2, what was the Spirit of the Lord doing?
 2. Who tried to buy the gifts of the Holy Spirit?
 3. What name did Jesus use for the Holy Spirit?
 4. After the day of Pentecost, how did the apostles impart the Holy Spirit on baptized believers?
 5. Who laid hands on Timothy to receive the Holy Spirit?
 6. What did Jesus tell the disciples that the Holy Spirit would specifically do?
 7. How did the Holy Spirit empower the seventy elders in Moses' day?
 8. What does the bible say that the Holy Spirit is not the spirit of?
 9. The Holy Spirit bears witness with us that we are what to God?
 10. Before the flood, what did God say His Holy Spirit will not always do?
 11. How many fruits of the Spirit are listed in Galatians?
 12. According to the prophet Joel, what would the Holy Spirit enable young men and young women to do?
 13. Using Paul's belt (or girdle), what message from the Holy Spirit did Agabus give Paul?
 14. According to Paul, what will we not fulfill if we walk in the Spirit?
 15. What does the book of Romans say that the Holy Spirit does for us?
 16. According to the book of Acts, what did the Holy Spirit do with Philip?
 17. What three things did Paul tell Timothy that God has given us, as opposed to a spirit of fear?
 18. How do those who do not have God's Spirit consider the things of God?
 19. According to Paul, in whom have we been marked with a seal?
 20. According to Paul, for what four things are the Holy Spirit inspired scriptures profitable?

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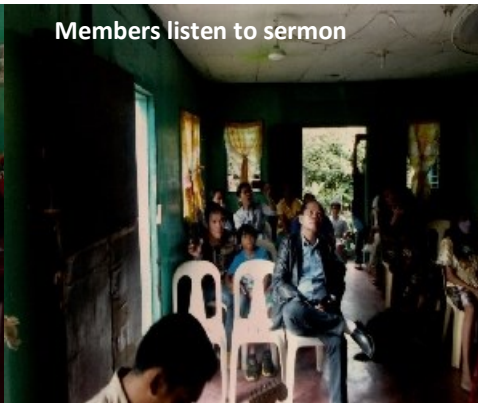
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In his letter dated May 30th, Pastor Nestor wrote: "Praise the Lord. Our love and joyful greetings in the name of Jesus, the Christ. Hope you are all fine and in good health and blessed richly by our Heavenly Father, and keep you safe always. We have received your letter of March 7th with the check for \$400, also the newsletters and DVD's. Thank you so much. We are now recovering from the tragedy caused by Typhoon last December 16th, 2021. We have repaired our church building and life is getting back to normal. After summer, it is now the rainy season here in the Philippines and the planting season. The work here continues despite so many successive calamities we are experiencing. The Lord continues to work with us and heals the sick and saves souls. We really feel the joy of serving the Lord especially when we see souls being saved. The Lord blesses the work here in a very special and wonderful way. The churches continue growing adding souls to the church and the members are so active and stand strong in the Lord. We are now in the last days. For now, we are looking forward to and preparing for our K.C. Church of God 8th Thanksgiving Anniversary in Hilltop church on September 3rd, 2022 and our convention on November this year. We need your prayers. Beloved Stephen and Teresa and all our brethren, we keep you always in our thoughts and prayers. Thank you so much for your continued prayers and support. We love you all. God bless you all and God bless America. Sincerely yours in Christ, your brother and sister and fellow servants, Nestor and Edith."



Thanksgiving Anniversary service



Members listen to sermon



Pastor Pente preaching



Pastor Resin Alaud of Kalingagan Villanueava Misamis Oriental with his daughter Milky and Maricris.



Pastor Resin Alaud and Maricris singing

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Pastor Martin was recently hospitalized after falling from a public transportation vehicle. He is back home now and is healing well. He thanks everyone for their thoughts and prayers. The work continues there in the Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda churches. All of the ministers continue spreading the gospel while dealing with threats happening all around them. They have faced another Presidential election which has stirred up rioting throughout Kenya. These elections usually result in people being beaten and/or killed. Please pray for the protection of God's people. Many people are coming into God's family through the continued efforts of God's ministers.

They are now preparing for the coming Fall feasts of God. Due to very high costs for food and supplies, and the fact that they will have thousands of people attending, they are in need of funds to help them out. We will still need to send them their monthly funds, and we are struggling to gather enough for it. So, we are asking that if anyone has any extra funds they can send, it would be greatly appreciated. We will put it aside for them as a special feast fund, and send it to them right before each Holy Day. They will be hosting four feast sites again this year. Please pray about this. Thank you and God bless you.



Some of the Church Cattle.



People in line to vote.



Pastor Martin & his wife Melda.



Presidential voting site

MORE PHOTOS ON BACK PAGE.

(Repairing the Broken, Continued from Page 4.)

we won't get hurt. Our Lord says that there is no fear in love. 1 John 4:18 *"There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear: because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in love."*

If there is a void in your life, then let God fill it with His wonderful love. Start praying if you have stopped. God wants to hear from us. Philippians 4:6-7 *"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."*

Read the word and start learning about His love and start practicing love in your life again, showing love to everyone you meet. The old saying that "practice makes perfect" still holds true today. We must practice love, practice forgiveness, and trust in the Lord to help us. Practice creates habits.

Let the scars you have turn into a witness to others. Share your stories with others so you can help them cope with any pain they might be feeling.

Because of what we have gone through, because of what we have endured, because of brokenness, pain, and being dropped and shattered in life, we now have a story to tell. We can now share how we were restored because of Jesus, the Christ. What a great witness.

When people talk about the pain they are having, then we can tell them of how God healed and repaired our shattered vessel. We can show them the beauty of his redemptive and restorative power from those shattered parts of our lives. We can point people to the great healer. Psalm 147:3 *"He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds."*

We can be a witness to others of how God, through Jesus healed us and made us whole.

You must choose to allow Jesus to bind up the brokenness of your life, and to heal the wounds. He will not force His way into our lives. We have to ask Him in.

Psalm 34:17-19 *"The righteous cry, and the LORD heareth, and delivereth them out of all their troubles. The LORD is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit. Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the LORD delivereth him out of them all."*

Remember that no matter how broken you are, how empty you fill or how lost you may be, you have a God that loves you, and a Savior that has felt pain, faced death, and knows what it feels like to be alone.

Romans 8:38-39 *"For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be*

able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

Mark 15:34 *"And at the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eloi, Eloi, lama sabachthani? which is, being interpreted, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?"*

Hebrews 4:15-16 *"For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need."*

Jesus is called our Savior for a reason. He can save us from our pain, our broken heart, our suffering, and He promises to be with us always. We are only alone if we choose to be.

A broken vessel holds nothing, but a vessel repaired has value and beauty and can then be used. END

Get to Know God's Feasts

In getting to know God's feasts, His Holy Days, we first need to understand that they are His, not the Jews, as many believe today. Leviticus 23:1-2 *"And the LORD spake unto Moses, saying, Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, Concerning the feasts of the LORD, which ye shall proclaim to be holy convocations, even these are my feasts."*

Second, we have to decide if we believe the bible or choose to believe in man's traditions instead. These wonderful feasts show us God's plan of salvation for all of mankind. Following is a brief outline of the plan:

Jesus is the beginning and end, the Alpha and Omega of God's plan of salvation. Salvation comes through Him, and Him only.

Passover - the beginning of His plan through the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus, making salvation available to all who will repent in this time.

Feast of Unleavened Bread - shows that sin is removed from our lives through repentance and covered by His shed blood.

Feast of Weeks - shows the gathering of more people in preparation for the harvest of the first resurrection.

Feast of First fruits on Pentecost (fiftieth day) - this shows the first resurrection of the saints, those who have God's Holy Spirit.

Feast of the Blowing of Trumpets - Christ's return with His saints to take the throne as King of kings and Lord of lords.

Day of Atonement - All of the Israelites that return to Jerusalem will offered salvation. If they repent, they will be reconciled to God, the Father.

Feast of Tabernacles - the rest of the world will be offered salvation during the thousand year reign of Christ.

Last Great Day - after the Great White Throne judgment, it shows the end of the thousand years and the beginning of God's Eternal Kingdom when God will come down and will be with His people in the New Jerusalem on a new earth.

This is a very brief description of God's plan of salvation. If you'd like a more detailed copy, please write us at the address on this newsletter, by email: goodnewsminister@earthlink.net or call us at: 816-380-7821

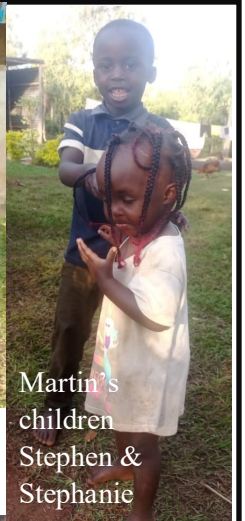
More pictures from Kenya



Photos from Presidential Election and soldiers called out due to rioting and violence in the streets.



Orphans



Martin's children
Stephen & Stephanie



Church driver



Church brethren

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