

2022
STANDING FIRM IN THE LORD

GOD IS BIGGER THAN

YOUR PAST.

YOUR DEPRESSION.

YOUR PAIN.

YOUR HATE.

YOUR ANGER.

YOUR DOUBT.

YOUR FEAR.

YOUR SHAME.

YOUR ANXIETY.

YOUR SCARS.

THIS WORLD.

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SCHEDULE

Sunday

Bible Classes for all ages 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Classes for all ages 6:30 p.m.

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OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Bible Hour
Kim Bower

ELDER for July Eric Bliss
LADIES COMMITTEE for July Shannon Cottam



JULY 31TH 2022

Order Of Worship

Song Leader: Russell Capshaw

Welcome.....Eric Bliss

282 I Know That My Redeemer Lives
908 Awesome God

Prayer.....Ryan Bliss

916 Come Share The Lord

Lord's Supper.....Dave Gastellum

724 We Give Thee But Thine Own

Offering.....Bob Murray

450 Nearer My God To Thee

Scripture Reading.....Jimmy Williams

Morning Service.....with Bob Bliss

174 God Is Calling The Prodigal
595 Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus

Closing Prayer.....Kevin Thompson

Evening Services.....5 PM

PRAYER IS IMPORTANT

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK	
July 31st	Morning Class @ 9:30 AM Worship @ 10:30 AM Evening Services @ 5 PM
Aug. 3rd	Evening Service @ 6:30 PM
6th	Men's Breakfast @ Tom's @ 8:30

GUEST SPEAKER

Today we have a guest speaker with us. Bob Bliss will be bringing our lesson. Please stop by and say hello to him and his family.

Grace is when God gives us good things that we don't deserve.

Mercy is when He spares us from bad things we deserve.

Blessings are when He is generous with both.

Truly, we can never run out of reasons to thank Him.

GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME!

AUGUST CALENDARS & THOSE WHO SERVE ARE AVAILABLE ON THE BACK TABLE

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Talent is God-given. Be humble. Fame is man-given. Be grateful. Conceit is self-given. Be careful!~ *John Wooden*

SCRIPTURE FOR TODAY

The Lord's curse is on the house of the wicked, but he blesses the home of the righteous. He mocks proud mockers but shows favor to the humble and oppressed. ~Proverbs 3:33-34



ENCOURAGING WORDS

Our Perfect Nation!

The moral condition of the United States of America is disappointing, disgraceful, and downright depressing! It seems at every turn there is a "new low" to which the leaders and citizens of this nation stoop. The "lows" keep getting "lower," and the pace of the deterioration keeps moving quicker. But I have good news for you! The reality is that our nation is perfect in every way, without a single flaw!

What? How can that be? It is simply a matter of perspective: which nation is "our nation"? As New Testament Christians, the Lord instructs us that "our citizenship is in heaven" (Phil. 3:20), for as God's people, we are part of "a holy nation" (1 Pet. 2:9). It is that nation which is perfect, without a single flaw.

Our heavenly nation is perfect because God is there! It is God's city and God's paradise, where "God Himself will be with His people and be their God" (Rev. 21:3).

Our heavenly nation is perfect because Jesus is there! Those in heaven are in a "far better" place for they are "present with the Lord," the Lamb of God who is worthy of our eternal praise (Rev. 5:8-13).

Our heavenly nation is perfect because only God's faithful are there! Besides the glorious Godhead and His heavenly beings, "only those who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life," having done the will of the Father, will be in heaven (Rev. 21:27).

Our heavenly nation is perfect because God's Word comes from there and is leading us there! His Word is the "perfect law of liberty" (Jas. 1:25), which purifies us in the sight of God so that we can live as citizens of heaven here and enter into our home after this life (2 Cor. 5:1-8).

The earthly nation in which we reside now is far from perfect, but our heavenly nation, of which we are citizens right now, is perfect in every way, without a single flaw. With that being true, where should we set our minds (Col. 3:1-2)? Where should we lay up our treasures (Matt. 6:19-21)?

I think that the answer is an obvious one!

R. Senior