

Calvary Christian Fellowship Mennonite Church

February 16, 2014

✝ ✝ ✝ Welcome to our Worship Service! ✝ ✝ ✝

Devotional:----- Nathan Yoder
Message:----- Henry Nissley
Offering:----- General
SS Lesson:----- Proverbs 15: 1-17

Adult and Youth Verse: The eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good. Prov. 15:3

Intermediate Verse: And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers; For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ: Eph. 4: 11,12

Junior Verse: And as ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise. Luk. 6:31

Primary Verse: "What time I am afraid, I will trust in thee" Ps. 56:3

Preschool Verse: "I will trust, and not be afraid" Is. 12:2

SS Lesson for next week: Proverbs 15: 18-33

Adult and Youth Verse for next week: The Lord is far from the wicked: but he heareth the prayer of the righteous. Prov. 15:29

Today's Host: Norman & Dorothy Yoder

Next Sunday Host: Dean & April Yoder

▣ ○ ▣ CHILDREN'S CORNER ○ ▣ ○ ▣

-What About Your Design?

Animals are created to show God's wisdom, but you are recreated to love God and show His love and forgiveness to others who need a new heart.

Animals have some pretty amazing features, with all those colors and spots and patterns. Each line and swirl points to God, the One who made the world and everything that lives in it. You could say that the glory of His wisdom is built right into them.

But we are different. The Bible says that God made humans in His image (Genesis 1:26). This is a great honor. Why? Unlike the animals that can show God's power by their bodies alone, we are privileged to love, worship, and obey Him with our mind, body, and soul.

But we have a problem. You see, we live in a world that's darkened by sin, and that darkness includes our hearts (Romans 1:21). We say and do the wrong things. We don't give thanks or praise God like we were created to do—we need new hearts.

Only Jesus can change our evil hearts to work the way He created them to work. Only He can get them singing and praising like they should. That's because Jesus Christ, the Son of God, makes us right with God from the inside out (2 Corinthians 5:17).

So you may not have amazing color patterns. But you receive something more wonderful. If you admit the darkness of your heart and believe Jesus died to take the punishment for your sins, your sins will be completely forgiven, and you will receive a brand-new heart. And when that happens, your new life in Christ can shine light into a dark world.

-Kids Answers <http://www.answersingenesis.org/articles/ka/v9/n1/your-design>

Announcements:

- ✓ This Evening: Singing. We will be using the overhead projector.
- ✓ Wednesday Evening: Prison Service (Annex) 4:15 PM. To go: Loren, Elmer & Dean-devotions
- ✓ School devotions this week by: Jonathan Miller
- ✓ Church Social has been canceled for this month.
- ✓ A reminder to the couples to let Kathleen know if they are going to be able to go to the Valentine's supper Friday evening, and to send your pictures to April by tomorrow evening.
- ✓ I will be contacting folks about lodging the Heritage Bible School Program for next Sat night. Ev

~BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES ~

Feb. 16, Happy Anniversary, Norman ♥ Dorothy, 1978

Ray Comfort February 14

A skeptic writes: "God said He would blot out all remembrance of Amalek. The Bible itself disproves this by mentioning Amalek to this day."

God told Moses to "write this for a memorial in the book," and God preserved the Book for 5,000 years so skeptics would know that God keeps every promise He makes. The phrase "I will utterly blot out the remembrance of Amalek from under heaven" means that He will blot them out as a nation from the earth. There are no descendants of the Amalekites on the earth. They don't exist.

Ray Comfort February 13

"If the Ten Commandments were truly a reflection of our morality, then why do I only feel guilty about breaking some of them (the obvious ones that were considered wrong long before Christianity came about)? Why do I not feel guilty for not keeping the Sabbath holy? Why is the Bible not a perfect reflection of my moral guilt?" Alan Byers

There are many things we do, about which we feel no guilt at all. The "feeling" of guilt is dependent on the sensitivity of the human conscience—the voice of which is easily silenced. Most of us will see that we are guilty of breaking all of the Ten Commandments (if we look closely at them and study their spiritual nature). However, just because we don't feel guilty doesn't mean that we are not guilty. A criminal may stand condemned in a court of law and not feel his guilt. However, his feelings are irrelevant.