



Calvary Christian Fellowship Mennonite Church

Welcome to our Worship Service!

July 17, 2016

Devotional:----- Steve Nissley
Message:----- Ervin Yoder
Offering:----- General
SS Lesson:----- 3 John

Adult and Youth Verse: I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth. 3 John 4

Intermediate Verse: Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses. 1 Timothy 6:12

Junior Verse: "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen" Hebrews 11:1

Primary Verse: When I see the blood, I will pass over you. Exodus 12:13

Preschool Verse: "Blessed are they that do his commandments" Revelation 22:14

SS Lesson for next week: Jude

Adult and Youth Verse for next week: But ye, beloved, building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost, Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life. Jude 20-21

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Noah's Ark Question and Answer

Q. How Did Noah Take Care of the Animals?

The same way you take care of your dog or cat—just on a much bigger scale. Noah had lived a long time before the waters came, and God gave him the plans for the ship. So, we can be sure God equipped this Flood survivor to care for the animals. Creation scientists have explained many ways eight people could do the job.

<https://answersingenesis.org/kids/noahs-ark/noahs-arkquestions-and-answers/>

Announcements:

- This Evening: Supper at the schoolhouse at 6:00.
- Wednesday Evening: Prison Service (Annex) 4:15 PM. To go: Ralph, Nathan & Robert - Devotions
- Church Social Thursday evening at 6:30.

~BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES~

July 18, Happy Birthday! Wayne Nissley, 2004

July 19, Happy Birthday! Robert Martin, 1962

Troubled Times –

If my people, who are called by my name, will 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. 2 Chronicles 7:14

There is no doubt we are living in troubled times. We could go to war at any time. Terrorists could attack anywhere at any time. There is turmoil and dissention everywhere you look. I am sickened by most of what I hear and see on the news – both nationally and internationally.

I try not to worry about what is happening or what might happen, because I know who holds tomorrow. I know who is and will remain in control of all things. God. Nevertheless, I also know that if there is any chance of

turning the evil situations in this world around, it will only happen when God's people follow the instructions provided in the Bible verse above.

Edmund Burke was an Irish statesman who was born in 1729. He was also an author, orator, political theorist and philosopher. Burke once said, "The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing." I believe he was right, which causes me to wonder if you and I are doing our part to right the wrongs in this world? Are we? I suspect the answer is "No" for most of us.

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