Sabbath Services April 5, 2014

Song Leader - Rod Williams
Pianist - Kashia LeMarr Anderson

Special Music - José Ortega
How Blessed by José Alfredo Ortega

Sermon - Tim Waddle

Please silence cell phones

Job 34:10-11 “Therefore listen to me, you men of understanding: Far be it from God to do wickedness, And from the Almighty to commit iniquity. For He repays man according to his work, And man to find a reward according to his way.

2 Corin 5:10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.

Mark 13:35-37 Watch therefore, for you do not know when the master of the house is coming - in the evening, at midnight, at the crowing of the rooster, or in the morning - lest, coming suddenly, he finds you sleeping. And what I say to you, I say to all: Watch!”

Sunset tonight is 7:36 pm
Sunset Friday, April 11, is 7:41 pm
Spring Holy Day Information

Passover Services - Sunday, April 13 - Claret Hall

Services will begin after sunset (sunset ~ 7:43pm).
Please be seated 15-20 min before services begin.

Night To Be Remembered - Monday, April 14

First Day of Unleavened Bread - Tuesday, April 15 - Claret Hall

Services at 2:00pm.

Last Day of Unleavened Bread - Monday, April 21

Bishop Claggett Center - Directions will be provided.
Services at 10:30am & 2:30pm. Lunch will be served.

Announcements

We will have Bible Study and potluck after services today. There will also be a choir practice.

The Bedford, York and Clarksville congregations will be combined for the Last Day of Unleavened Bread.

Lunch between services will be served for $11 per person (children 10 and under eat free). Lunch will be a full meal similar to last year. The menu is being finalized.

Please sign the list at the information table indicating the number of adult lunches and the number of children lunches (10 and under) that you desire.

Mail a check payable to Church of God, Maryland, PO Box 47665, Windsor Mills, MD 21244 for the cost of the lunch. Please let Mr. Waddle or Mr. Jackson know if not able to afford the lunch meal.

We need to be out of the hall by 8:30pm. Please start gathering your belongings at 8:15pm to exit the hall.

Passover Preparation

Congregational Goals between now and Passover:

1) Read a gospel from beginning to end.
2) Fast to draw near to God, to bare yourself before God.
3) Study the Sermon on the Mount (Matt 5,6,7) and apply to your life.
4) Know the Ten Commandments - handwrite them down.
5) Study the fruits of the Spirit (Gal 5:22). How are they evident in your life?
6) Study the gift of love (1 Corin 13:4-8). How are you living this?

Properly humble yourself before God. As long as you’re willing to repent and keep trying to overcome, God can work with you.

Church News

This week on In Accord, media operation manager Clyde Kilough talks about how the Church’s social media tools can serve you, and how you can effectively use them to serve the Church. He also reflects on the Night to Be Much Observed and how to make it more spiritually meaningful. View at http://members.cogwa.org/news

Upcoming Sabbath Services

Sabbath services start at 1:30pm. Services will be held at Claret Hall through April, with the exception of April 26 where services will be at the Sheraton Columbia Town Center Hotel.

Saying Goodbye For Now

The Bedford congregation held a private local Memorial Service on March 15 for Marge LaLiberte, and invited her immediate family. Thirty-one friends, family and brethren gathered for church services followed by a tribute service to Marge and a potluck. Although pictures of Marge were few, enough pictures were made available to organize a short slide show.

Marge at the Bedford Campout in Lake Raystown in July 2013.

Marge is survived by her immediate family members. Her daughter Lisa and son-in-law Derek Hendershot have two children - Sarah and Ashley. Her other daughter is Teresa Tasker, mother of Serena (age 11) who died in March 2011.

Marge will be missed; she was a loving mother, friend, and sister to us all. Brent Ebersole