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NEW SIGN

Marking the Entrance to the Church

The front to the church was recently spruced up with the addition of a new marquee sign.

The sign is an 8-foot commercial pylon monument which was installed by the company Atlanta Signs. It is made from durable plastic and able to withstand violent and extreme weather. It also has a photo cell that allows it to automatically light up at dusk and turn off at dawn.



The monument cost over \$4000 and took 3 days to install. There were some leftover bricks from the courtyard renovation that were used in the base of the sign.

This newest installment is just one of the latest in a string of renovations to the church. In addition to the courtyard and the sign, the deteriorating fence on the left side of the property has recently been replaced and a new landscaping project is in the works. Also, the groundbreaking for the new kitchen is expected to start in August which will also lead to more parking spaces in the rear.



The members of the congregation can help by supporting fundraisers, continuing to make offerings, or by donating time or resources to the renovation efforts.

WORLD NEWS

Oil Spill in the Gulf of Mexico

The BP oil spill is a massive ongoing oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico that is now considered the largest offshore spill in U.S. history with tens of millions of gallons spilled to date.

The spill stems from a sea floor oil gusher that resulted from the April 20th Deepwater Horizon drilling rig explosion. The explosion killed 11 platform workers and injured 17 others. The gusher, originates from a deepwater wellhead 5,000 feet below the ocean surface. Ex-

perts fear that the spill will result in an environmental disaster, with extensive impact already on marine and wildlife habitats. The spill has also damaged the Gulf of Mexico fishing and tourism industries. There have been a



variety of ongoing efforts to stem the flow of oil at the wellhead.

Crews have been working to protect hundreds of miles of beaches, wetlands along the northern Gulf coast, using skimmer ships, floating containment booms, anchored barriers, and sand-filled barricades along shorelines. The U.S. Government has named BP as the responsible party in the incident, and officials have said the company will be held accountable for all cleanup costs resulting from the oil spill.

WHY THE KING JAMES VERSION?

With all the different Bible translations in today's society, it is becoming more difficult to choose the most accurate one. There have even been several accusations that "...there are no accurate interpretations aside from the original Hebrew Scrolls."

Much of this confusion has arisen because many modern day religious translators have attempted to either interpret the bible according their understanding, or will translate and interpret God's Word to fit the doctrine that they currently preach. Therefore, when the "new" translation is given, there are additions, deletions, and/or changes to certain words.



God knew that these attempts would occur, and appropriately, mentions it within His Word:

"...For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book: And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book." - Revelation 22:19

When King James had the Bible translated, he appointed fifty-four (54) scholars to do the work instead of religious individuals. "...Although fifty-four men were nominated, only forty-seven were known to have taken part in the work of translation. The translators were organized into six groups, and met respectively at Westminster, Cambridge, and Oxford. Ten at Westminster were

assigned Genesis through 2 Kings; seven had Romans through Jude. At Cambridge, eight worked on 1 Chronicles through Ecclesiastes, while seven others handled the Apocrypha. Oxford employed seven to translate Isaiah through Malachi; eight occupied themselves with the Gospels, Acts, and Revelation."

"...The King James Bible was printed in black letter with small italicized Roman type to represent those words not in the original languages. A dedicatory epistle to King James, which also enhanced the completed work, recalled the King's desire that "there should be one more exact Translation of the Holy Scriptures into the English tongue." The translators expressed that they were "poor instruments to make GOD'S holy Truth to be yet more and more known" while at the same time recognizing that "Popish persons" sought to keep the people "in ignorance and darkness."

This, in turn, made it possible for him to successfully translate from the Hebrew and Greek to English without changing the meaning. In other words, he made the Bible say the exact same thing, only in another language (except for those words that could not be exactly translated; they were transliterated – another word given to keep the same context of meaning). This also was a prophecy fulfilled by God:

"...For precept must be upon precept, precept upon precept; line upon line, line upon line; here a little, and there a little: For with stammering lips and another tongue will he speak to this people." – Isaiah 28: 10-11

For disobedience, the Lord removed the nation of Israel far from their homeland and took from their minds their native language (Ancient Hebrew). In turn, he instructed the prophet Isaiah to write it down for us to understand. God would speak to His people in different languages...but the Gospel would remain the same! God always worked through men, especially kings, in order to fulfill His Word.

Therefore, it should not be hard to believe that God would use another king, King James (another Gentile ruler) to continue the fulfillment of prophecy. According to the scriptures, God rules in the kingdom of men (Daniel 4:17).

Nevertheless, under the "disguise" of making the Bible easier to read and understand, many religious groups have created their own error-filled versions of God's Word (New International Version, American Standard Version, Women and Couples versions, etc.). With the King James Version, however, due primarily to the fact that he chose scholars whose main concern was changing the tongue (language), not the meaning, it is widely used, and respected, as the closest to the original writings we have in English today!

Again, with any language translation, some words do not completely transfer. However, in order to keep the same meaning of the context, different words had to be used. Thus, you will see certain words italicized in the text. Any individual does not have to learn to speak Hebrew to learn the Word of God. When the Lord returns, we will be given a pure language. This has been confirmed by the law and the testimony:

"...Therefore wait ye upon me, saith the LORD, until the day that I rise up to the prey: for my determination is to gather the nations, that I may assemble the kingdoms, to pour upon them mine indignation, even all my fierce anger: for all the earth shall be devoured with the fire of my jealousy. For then will I turn to the people a pure language, that they may all call upon the name of the LORD, to serve him with one consent." – Zephaniah 3: 8-9

In addition, the time is coming when the KJV 1611 will be made obsolete and will bring about a real famine for His truth... even recent movies have portrayed this future famine (The Book of Eli).

"...Behold, the days come, saith the Lord

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The next IOG Scroll is coming out on October 2, 2010. The deadline for submissions is September 25. Be sure to get your articles, editorials, and special announcements in on time!!

GOD, that I will send a famine in the land, not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the LORD: And they shall wander from sea to sea, and from the north even to the east, they shall run to and fro to seek the word of the LORD, and shall not find it. In that day shall the fair virgins and young men faint for thirst.” – Amos 8: 11-13

In conclusion, should we use the King James Version of the Bible? Yes, we should! The King James Version is the closest translation to the original Hebrew Old Testament and the Greek New Testament. It is imperative, as Bible Christians, to understand that these “new” versions used today are just adaptations of the King James and should not be used. Recently, there have been bibles printed that are not only gender-neutral, but include passages promoting

specific doctrines. Entire chapters have also been removed that don't coincide with a particular theology.

“...But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them; And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.” – 2 Timothy 3: 14-17

Peace in Jesus Name.

⁹And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.

Galatians 6:9

²¹Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good.

Romans 12:21

ON ONE ACCORD



Shalom Brothers and Sisters,
“...If there be therefore any consolation in

Christ, if any comfort of love, if any fellowship of the Spirit, if any bowels and mercies, Fulfil ye my joy, that ye be like-minded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind. Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others.” – Philippians 2; 1-4

One mind....

That being said, how many of us really believe God's Word? Have our minds really been renewed through His Spirit? Is our faith being proved through our works for Him? Nowadays, our role models come from music videos, movies, and the Internet. Our true role model can only be found in the pages of the bible ... JESUS!

“...For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps...” – 1 Peter 2: 21

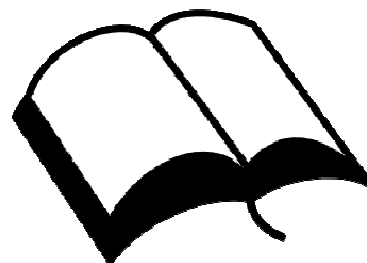
Jesus gave us many examples of how to please the Father and to obtain the promise of eternal inheritance. Our faith has to propel us to new levels in God and it is critical to continue to pray, study God's Word, and be good ambassadors for Christ. One can never tell whom we may

encounter and that the person that looks upon us may only have that one opportunity to see Jesus....through us! I encourage you all to continue to let your light shine through word and deed!
(James 1:22, Rom. 2: 13)

Also, as we move forward, let us all remember to show love for the brethren. **IT'S NOT ABOUT US, BUT IT'S ABOUT JESUS!**

Peace in Jesus name,

Bro. Deuel, Pastor



The Church Office is open 1 hour before and 2 hours after every Sabbath Class.
Please see our Church Office Manager for all of your office needs!!

EVENT RECAPS

FEAST OF PENTACOST

MAY 23, 2010

Once again we had a wonderful Feast of Weeks. The whole congregation looks forward to keeping the Lord's word each and every year by celebrating the Feast days.



BIBLE SPELLING BEE

JUNE 5, 2010

Some of the youth were able to showcase their spelling skills in the Bible Spelling Bee. There were two winners from each age group. Congratulations go out to all the kids that participated.



SOLOMON AND KRYSTLE CRUMMEY'S WEDDING

JUNE 12, 2010

The congregation recently celebrated the marriage of Solomon and Krystle Crumme. We all pray for much success and longevity in their marriage.



YOUTH CARNIVAL

JUNE 13, 2010

The 1st Annual Youth Carnival was a lot of fun for the kids. There was a moonwalk, arts and crafts, games, and face painting. There was also a dunking booth where attendees were able to dunk the elders!



HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR

JULY 27, 2010

The Health & Wellness Fair was a big success. There were very informative speakers and record attendance.



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Birthday

- To Bro. Jonah on July 3.
- To Seth Goode on July 9.
- To Sydney Goode on July 28.
- To Sis. Melissa on August 1.
- To Sis Kizzy on August 5.
- To Xavier Hunte on August 10.
- To Bro. Columbus on August 12.
- To Sis. Maria on September 1.
- To Christopher & Allen on September 4.
- To Sis. Necole on September 9.

⁷The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul: the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple.

Psalms 19:7

RECIPE:

POTATO AND MUSHROOM GRATIN

INGREDIENTS

- 3 average-sized/1 ½ lbs baking potatoes, thinly sliced
- 1 ½ cups rice milk
- 3 tablespoons white wine
- salt and pepper to taste
- 2 tablespoons ghee
- 2 teaspoons garlic-infused oil
- 8 oz cremini mushrooms, finely sliced to make 4 cups



Preparation:

Heat the oven to 425°F and butter a shallow baking dish or gratin.

Bring the sliced potatoes, milk, wine, salt, and pepper to a boil in a saucepan, stirring occasionally, and leave at a simmer while you get on with the mushrooms.

Melt the butter and garlic oil in a skillet over medium-high heat. Add the mushrooms and cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, about 3 minutes.

Pour the mushrooms and their garlicky, buttery juices into the pan of potatoes, stir to mix, and pour straight into the gratin dish. Bake for 45 minutes or until piping hot, and crisp on top.

Submitted by: The Health and Wellness Committee

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UPCOMING EVENTS

July

- **11 – Old School vs. New School Basketball Game**

11:00-2:00 p.m. at the Snapfinger YMCA.

See *Sis. Raniah* for more information.

- **18 – Caribbean Fish Fry**

12:00-6:00 p.m. at the Israel of God.

See *Bro. Josiah* for more information.

August

- **29 - IOG Talent Show**

1:00-4:00 p.m. at The Israel of God.

See *Sis. Tamika* for more information.

September

- **8 - The Memorial of the Blowing of the Trumpets**

Services held at sundown at The Israel of God.

- **17 - The Day of Atonement**

Services held at sundown at The Israel of God.

- **22 - The Feast of Tabernacles**

Services held at sundown at The Israel of God.

- **29 - The 8th Day of the Feast**

Services held at sundown at The Israel of God.

CONGRATS TO THE 2010 GRADUATES

<i>NAME</i>	<i>GRADE/DEGREE</i>
Dumali Ault	Pre-K
Reniyah Grant	Pre-K
Asher Joseph	Pre-K
Taylor Harvin	Kindergarten
Nyanza Polk	Kindergarten
Shawna Davis	5th grade
Uno Fields	5th grade
Correntheus Hicks	5th grade
Kalim Hill	5th grade
Christian Turner	5th grade
Abagail Howell	5th grade
Tracy Billingsly	8th grade
Kadien Hill	8th grade
Dominique Johnson	8th grade
Naomi Howell	12th grade
Winice Simmons	12th grade
Aaron Tayliam	12th grade
Allison Wadell	12th grade
Denise Sims (Noah)	Certification in Ultrasound Stenography
Asha Christopher (Kelitah)	Associates in Early Childhood Education
Derrick Hill (Deuel)	Masters in Network and Com- munications Management
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