

## Revelation Review

### Most Frequently Missed Questions

These are the questions our scholars have had the biggest problem with in our first two practices:

- 1:3 - Blessed is he who reads what?
- 1:10 - John says he was in the Spirit on what day?
- 2:13- What things were known about the church of Pergamos?
- 3:1 - The message in Rev. 3:1 was from...
- 3:4 - Where were there a few names who had not defiled their garments?
- 3:8 - What is the Philadelphia church known for?
- 5:5 - Who told John, "Do not weep"?
- 5: 8,9 - Who sang the new song?
- 5:10 - Fill in the blank: "Have made us kings and priests to our God, and we shall reign \_\_\_\_\_."
- 6:2 - What was given to the rider of the white horse?
- 6:4 - What was given to the rider of the red horse?
- 6:5 - Which hand was the rider using to hold the scales?
- 7:4 - What was the number of those who were sealed?
- 7:13-Who asked, "Who are these arrayed in white robes, and where did they come from?"
- 10:3-How was the mighty angel's loud voice described?
- 10:5-What did the angel who was standing on the sea and the land raise up to heaven?
- 11:6-Who will have the power to shut heaven so no rain falls?
- 11:7-What will ascend out of the bottomless pit?
- 11:14-What woe came after the earthquake?
- 12:1-What appeared in heaven as a great sign in Rev. 12:1?
- 13:14-The beast tells those who dwell on the earth to make an image to?

### Bible Bowl Practice

Practice today at 4:30, over chapters 15-22. Study presentations and questions are now online at the Southern Hills website. **Practice for the next three weeks will be at 4:00 pm. Bible Bowl is Saturday, September 10!**

### Bible Bowl Deadline

Last Sunday was the deadline for signing up for Bible Bowl. See Ken H. if you need a registration form and study schedule. Even if you are not able to pay yet, please complete the registration form for your scholar today!

### Bible Bowl Thoughts

Parents, I know that with school starting our scholars will have less time to study for Bible Bowl. Please try to encourage them to continue their reading of Revelation - the benefits continue well after Bible Bowl is over!

### Thank You!

A big thank you to the Rodgers family for hosting the Waterslide Devotional and to Dewayne Johnston for organizing the Father/Son Camp Out!

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Sunday, August 7, 2011

#### ELDERS:

Dan Cottrell  
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Jerald Hill  
Joe Russell  
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David Broome-*Technology*  
John Bufford-*Building & Grounds*  
Ken Cooley-*Senior Activities*  
David Cost-*Benevolence*  
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Chris Graham-*Office Admin.*  
Herb Jones-*Building & Grounds*  
Len McKnatt-*Family Assistance*  
Michael Meade-*Education*  
Jerry Pritchett-*Edification Groups*  
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## \*\* FREEDOM IN CHRIST \*\*

In Galatians 5: 1-15 Paul discusses three very important concepts: freedom, faith and fulfillment. First, there is the concept of freedom in Christ (verses 1-4). In fact, the key word to this entire passage (verses 1-15) is freedom or liberty. It is imperative that we "stand fast in the liberty by which Christ has made us free" (v. 1). How did He do that? By His death on the cross. (We have already seen how important the cross is in Galatians). We are not to "be entangled again with a yoke of bondage." The context indicates that Paul is referring to the Law of Moses. But we are not to be entangled again in the bondage of sin (1 Jn. 2: 15-17).

Christians are to live lives of "faith working through love" (v. 6). Why? Because we are "in Christ Jesus." How did we come to be "in Christ Jesus"? By being "baptized into Christ" (Gal. 3: 27; see Rom. 6: 3). Our faith is shown through (or by means of) our love. Love for whom? God (Mt. 22: 37). Christ (Jn. 14: 15). Others (Mt. 22: 39). By loving God, Christ and others we fulfill the law. These commandments "summed up" (N) the whole Law of Moses (with its 613 commandments).

What is the opposite of loving our neighbor, and especially fellow Christians? We "bite and devour one another" (v. 15). Notice the progression: from bite to devour to consume. We can and will destroy each other if we do these things to each other. We must "through love serve one another."

~ Dan Cottrell

#### SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"Freedom in Christ"  
(Galatians 5: 1-4)

#### SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

SINGING

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**SICK/PRAYER LIST**

**Mason McKnatt** is home after several days of tests in Vanderbilt Children's Hospital.

**Joyce Liggett** had an out-patient procedure on Tuesday. She is scheduled for out-patient surgery on Thursday and would like our continued prayers on her behalf.

**Chris Smith** had foot surgery on Tuesday and is doing well.

Chris Smith's mother, **Ramelle Patterson**, is in the hospital while doctors are adjusting her medication.

Sonia Rhodes' uncle, **Milton Winebrenner** has cancer and is not well at this time. He's in the hospital but cards of encouragement can be sent to him at his home:

**8839 Stroud Drive, Houston, TX 77036.**

**Amber Lovell**, 11-year old daughter of Keith and Melissa Lovell, will have surgery on August 15th. She has severe scoliosis, a curving of the spine. They ask for our prayers.

Our expectant Mom: Alaina McCullough

**Continue to remember:** Carnell Schmittou, Bobbie Wilhoite, Dorothy Eaves, Paul Sparks, Stoney Warren, Julie Lampley, Bob Bufford, Madelyn Gregg, John & Ruth Daines, Nell Buttrey, Odessa Barnhill, Charlotte Haffner, Ramelle Patterson, Kim Compton, & Ryann Hayes.

Continue to remember our shut-ins:

- Evelyn Billings
- Marie Oakley (Wellington Place, Brentwood, #209)
- Mary Allen (Azalea Court in Smyrna)

**GREETERS for August:**

Judy Russell  
Carl & Marilyn Haedge

**Pick up Member/Visitor Cards:**

**TODAY:** Mason McKnatt & Aidan Broome  
**Aug. 14:** Curt Graham & Slade Pratt

**In The Military**

Clint Matocha (cousin of Rachel Potts)

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Tonight at is our first Sunday night of the month singing. Everyone be here at 6pm!

Our Summer Series will continue on Wednesday evening. Our speaker will be **Mark Newby**. He will speak on "Why I Am A Member of the Church of Christ."

The August issue of the Gospel Advocate is available in the foyer.

Southern Hills will be participating in the Magi Project, sponsored by Healing Hands International. Please pick up a brochure in the foyer.

**~ Share Group Activities ~**

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, August 20th. We will be going to the **Loveless Cafe** for breakfast. We will meet at the restaurant at 8am, as they do not take reservations after that time. Sign up sheets are out. See Ken Cooley if you have questions.

We have reserved a cabin for the **SHARE Retreat** for the nights of December 2nd & 3rd, 2011. The cabin has 15 bedrooms and is in Sevierville, TN. Sign up sheets are out. We would like those who are interested in going to sign up ASAP so we will have time to reserve another cabin if we need to. Anyone who has questions regarding the cost, please see Ken Cooley.

**Sympathy. . .**

We extend our sympathy to Clarence Cost on the death of his sister, Betty Johnson. She lived in California.

Sympathy also goes to Sonia Rhodes on the death of her uncle, Gene Booth. His wife, Dorothy, is Sonia's mother's sister. If you would like to send a card to Mrs. Booth her address is:  
**617 E. Myrtle, Angleton, TX 77515**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SIGN UP FOR DIRECTORY PICTURES TODAY!**

*In the FRONT FOYER - before Worship and Class*

*In the OFFICE FOYER - after Class*

Available Dates and Times:

- Thursday, September 15th - 2pm - 9:20pm
- Friday, September 16th - 2pm - 9:20 pm
- Saturday, September 17th - 9:30am - 5:10pm

**~ Yearly Fish Fry ~**

Our fish fry is coming up on Saturday, September 17th. Starting time will be 5:30pm. This is always a favorite event so please mark your calendars and plan to be here!

**FELLOWSHIP MEAL**

**THIS Wednesday  
August 10 ~ 5:45 pm**

**On The Menu:**

**Crispitos, Tacos, Chips & Salsa,  
Banana Splits, Tea, Lemonade**

**~~ Sign Up By Tonight ~~**

If you are not receiving email updates from the church office and would like to, please give your email address to John Cottrell, David Broome or email your address to:

**southernhillschu@bellsouth.net.**

**CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR**

**August:**

- 3-5 Years:** Waggoners
- K-7 Years:** Beth Lincoln

**THOSE TO SERVE**

**TODAY ~ SUNDAY, August 7, 2011**

- Ushers:** David Cost, Gary French, Jerry Pritchett
- Preside at Lord's Table:** Jim Campbell
- Serve the Lord's Supper:** Chris Doughtie, Matthew Ensor, Joe Fortner, Travis Haedge
- Reader:** Carl Haedge
- Opening Prayer:** Jimmy Davis
- Closing Prayer:** Walter Rice

**TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:**

- P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper:** James Vanderpool
- P.M. Reader:** Singing
- Opening Prayer:** Tony Tucker
- Closing Prayer:** Stoney Warren

**THIS WEDNESDAY, August 10, 2011**

- Opening Prayer:** David Broome
- Closing Prayer:** Ken Hardison
- Song Leader:** John Rhodes

**THE RECORD**

<b>Last Sunday (7/31)</b>	Morning Worship	<b>270</b>
	Sun. School	<b>215</b>
	PM Worship	<b>195</b>
<b>Wed. Night (8/3)</b>	Bible Study	<b>155</b>
<b>Contribution Last Sunday</b>	<b>\$ 7,921.00</b>	
<b>Contribution YTD</b>	<b>306,827.00</b>	
<b>Contribution Goal YTD</b>	<b>298,440.00</b>	

**NURSERY - TODAY: August 7, 2011**

**AM:** Barbara Sullivan & Alaina McCollough  
**PM:** Jeanna & Kelsey Rice



**NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, August 14, 2011**

**AM:** Lindsey Eaton & Jennifer Ensor  
**PM:** Tracey McKnight & Barbara Jones

**COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - August**

Cost Family & Elizabeth Haley

**BUILDING LOCK-UP - August**

Mark Sullivan and Herb Jones

**KITCHEN CLEAN-UP - August**

Elizabeth Haley, The Hill Family

**FOOD GROUP LEADERS - August**

Wilma Cooley - 791-4710  
Carol Comer - 791-9982

**QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (July-Sept.)**

Stoney Warren