

# CLAYS MILL ROAD CHURCH OF GOD

**"BECAUSE OF THE BLOOD"**

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## NOTES FROM PASTOR –

### How can we absolutely know that we are saved?

We can have absolute assurance because God has told us we are saved. If we have taken the steps necessary to receive God's gift of salvation- *i.e.*...if we have confessed that Jesus is Lord and Savior, and asked Him to take over our life, and did so with a sincere heart, WE ARE SAVED.

1 John 2:5 says: "But if anyone obeys his word, God's love is truly made complete in him. This is how we know we are in him." And Romans 8:16 says: "The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. 1 John 3:14 says: "We know that we have passed from death to life, because we love our brothers....."

These are but a few of the many Scriptures pointing us to the assurance of salvation. It is God's desire that we be confident that we are saved. Therefore, anyone who is a Christian in the true sense should have absolute confidence of his or her salvation, for it is God's desire.

### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY SCHOOL	10:00 AM
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	11:00 AM
SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE	6:00 PM
THURSDAY NIGHT SERVICE	7:00 PM

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## THINGS TO COME-

-IN THE MONTH OF MAY WE WILL FEATURE SOME OF OUR LAYPERSONS AS SPEAKERS ON THURSDAY NIGHTS-

-JERRY PREECE -MAY 5<sup>TH</sup>.

-SIS.THERESA BALLINGER- MAY 12<sup>TH</sup>.

-SIS. SHEILA DIXON - MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>.

-THE STATE OVERSEER AND STATE MIP DIRECTOR HAVE SCHEDULED A "CHURCH PLANTER'S SEMINAR" FOR SAT. MAY 7<sup>TH</sup> FROM 9 TO 3 HERE AT CLAYS MILL ROAD.

-THE SINGING DOUBT FAMILY WILL BE WITH US IN A MINI-REVIVAL SATURDAY NIGHT MAY 14<sup>TH</sup> AND IN BOTH SERVICES SUNDAY MAY 15<sup>TH</sup>. SHOULD BE GOOD! PRAY, OK?

-THURSDAY MAY 19<sup>TH</sup> REV. LARRY WOOD, FROM ASBURY, WILL BE WITH US TO SPEAK ABOUT THE MUSLIM/ ISLAMIC RELIGION AND HOW IT AFFECTS CHRISTIANS TODAY.

-YARD SALE MAY 21<sup>ST</sup>. BRING YOUR "STUFF" IN NOW!

## TV SCHEDULE-

ACCESS CHANNEL 14 IN LEX. AT TIMES LISTED BELOW & ON ADELPHIA CH.5 IN RICHMOND AT 6 & 10 PM ON FRIDAYS  
5-6 11am, 5-11 7 am, 5-13 11 am, 5-15 1 pm.

## SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK-

-And this is the testimony: God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. He who has the Son has life: he who does not have the Son of God does not have life. (1 John 5:11-12)

## POINTS TO PONDER-

-THE FISH BOWL IN THE VESTIBULE IS RECEIVING DONATIONS FOR KIDZ KLUBZ ACTIVITIES. PLEASE HELP!!

-FUNNY HOW A DOLLAR CAN LOOK SO BIG WHEN YOU TAKE IT TO CHURCH, AND SO SMALL WHEN YOU TAKE IT TO THE STORE

-USE WHAT TALENT YOU POSSESS; THE WOODS WOULD BE SILENT IF NO BIRDS SANG EXCEPT THOSE THAT SANG BEST.

## CONDOLENCES-

-TO REV. ARLIS LUTTRELL ON THE LOSS OF A BROTHER AND A SISTER IN THE LAST 10 DAYS.