

**CLAYS MILL ROAD
CHURCH OF GOD
"BECAUSE OF THE BLOOD"**

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NOTES FROM PASTOR –

“Who fed thee in the wilderness with manna, which thy fathers knew not, that He might humble thee, and that He might prove thee, to do thee good at thy latter end.” (Deuteronomy 8:16)

There are three categories of people reading this: those who are in trouble; those who are just getting out of trouble; and those who are going into trouble.

Sooner or later, we will all know sorrow, heartache, and trouble. What we need to know is that troubles are not a sign that things have gone wrong or things have gotten out of hand. We must believe in the providence, plan, and purpose of Almighty God. When the Israelites were delivered from Pharaoh’s army through the Red Sea, they went into the wilderness. Had God lost control? No. God led them there by a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night.

In the unfailing providence of God, we are often led into a place of trouble. The wilderness is God’s proving ground for your faith. How are you doing?

Are you in the middle of a trial? Where is your focus – on God, on the situation, or on yourself? When you get your focus right, you will find wisdom, strength, hope, and peace. (LWF MIN.)

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-

-REV. WILLIE GORDON, FROM THE JAMBOREE CHURCH OF GOD, WILL BE OUR SPECIAL SPEAKER THURSDAY JULY 14TH.

-KIDS KRUSADE- JULY 18-20 (MON.-WED) FROM 7-8:30 PM FOR AGES 5 AND UP. GET THE WORD OUT!!!

-REV. HARRISON MUCHIRI, FROM KENYA, WILL BE OUR SPECIAL SPEAKER THURSDAY NIGHT JULY 21ST.

-JULY 23RD CHURCH AUCTION- WE’RE PLANNING AN AUCTION OF ITEMS DONATED BY AREA BUSINESSES & INDIVIDUALS. SEE SIS. ANNA BROWN FOR DETAILS.

- WATER BAPTISMAL SERVICE. SUNDAY MORNING JULY 24TH. SEE BRO. B. IF YOU ARE A CANDIDATE.

-REVIVAL RIDGE, A BLUEGRASS GOSPEL GROUP, WILL BE WITH US SUNDAY MORNING JULY 24TH.

TV SCHEDULE- ACCESS CHANNEL 14 IN LEX. AT TIMES LISTED BELOW & ON ADELPHIA CH.5 IN RICHMOND AT 6 & 10 PM ON FRIDAYS
7-11 10 AM, 7-12 8 AM, 7-17 4 PM, 7-18 3 PM
7-19 9 AM, 7-21 3 PM, 7-24 4 PM

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK-

“For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.” 2 Timothy 1:7

POINTS TO PONDER-

-Why can't life's problems hit us when we're eighteen and know everything?

-Good Housekeeping tip...Always keep several get well cards on the mantle; if unexpected guests arrive, they will think you've been sick and unable to clean.

-In 1884 A Filipino Contortionist was hired by the Circus. He was known as the first Manila Folder.

-The most impressive Christians are the ones who don't try to impress.

BANK NOTE PLEDGE- WILL YOU CONSIDER MAKING OR RENEWING A BANK NOTE PLEDGE FOR THIS COMING YEAR TO HELP PAY ON OUR CHURCH INDEBTEDNESS?

THANKS- TO BOB & GEORGIA MADDIX FOR HOSTING OUR JULY 4TH CELEBRATION. WHAT A GREAT DAY WE HAD!