

The Lord's Way Is Good

Many people have a very negative view of the church and religion in general. They are very critical of the teachings of the Bible. They see God as trying to kill all the fun in life. They see the people of the church as judgmental.

There is an area in Memphis that is rated by the FBI as one of the most dangerous in the country. If you live there, you have a one in nine chance of being a victim of a crime. It is no coincidence that this same area has one of the highest incidences of unwed mothers and single parent households in the country.

In Little Rock, where violent crimes are on the increase, a town hall meeting was held by the mayor and chief of police. The citizens of certain neighborhoods expressed their angry at the city for not providing more programs for children without fathers. They fear what will happen with these children without father when they are not occupied with school.

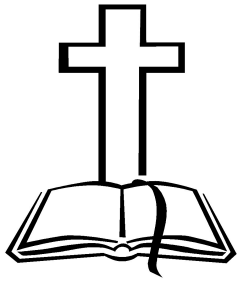
I Peter 2:3, "now that you have tasted that the Lord is good." God designed the family with a husband and a wife, a father and a mother for children. When we realize that God's ways are better than man's ways we will solve many of societies problems. When we live life God's way, life works better.

Peter uses the word "taste." When I taste a certain food, I do not eat the whole dish. One does not have to consume the entire teachings of God to realize that God is good. One does not have to agree and follow every teaching of God to realize that God only seeks the best for His creation, people. When we taste God's way, we realize that He is not killing fun, He is telling how to have contentment. When we even taste the goodness of God, it should make us want more.

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Sunday, May 21, 2017

<p>Prayer List Updates</p> <p>Carroll Towell – getting increasingly weaker</p> <p>Jimmy Towell – having blood sugar issues; possibly caused by a tumor</p> <p>Bill Key – has been in hospital with infected wound on leg; now recovering at home</p> <p>Ridge Austin – grandson of friends of Deanna Cagle; born last Monday, had surgery to correct birth defects; should recover slowly</p> 	<p>Upcoming Events</p> <p>Tuesdays 10 am Ladies' Bible study; kids welcome</p> <p>tonight 5 pm men's business meeting</p> <p>June 11 Drawn by Love at 7th and Mueller church of Christ in Paragould (ladies' event)</p> <p>June 20-22 VBS</p> <p>Memory Verse</p> <p>I have sought You with all my heart; don't let me wander from Your commandments.</p> <p>Psalm 119:10</p>	<p>Correspondence Course Ministry</p> <p>week of May 8-13: 4 lessons graded</p> <p>May Haiti Needs</p> <p>toothbrushes toothpaste materials/notions (thread, etc.)</p> <p>Attendance Last Week</p> <p>Sunday morning: 57 Sunday evening: 33 Wednesday evening: 39</p>
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Weekly Service Assignments

Sunday Morning		Sunday Evening 6:00 pm
First Prayer Announcements Scripture Reading	Bible class: 9:45 am worship: 10:45 am Ken Beach Josh Vires Raymond Lasley	First Prayer: Rudi Cagle Closing Prayer: Ken Beach Lord's Supper: Larry Towell, Jerry Bolar
Lord's Supper Second Prayer Closing Prayer	1. Ed Young 2. Joel Ingram 3. Matthew Sills 4. Justin Beach Jerry Bolar Larry Towell	Wednesday Evening 7:00 pm First Prayer: Larry Brooks Closing Prayer: Jerry Bolar