

## The Love of God

Sometimes I sit and think about God and the love that He has for man. I think about how we sin, how we fall short of His standard, how we reject Him at times. I wonder how such a marvelous, all-powerful being could love such a flawed and wicked people. Think back to the very beginning; all that was, was God. He created this world and created man. Everything was perfect, just as He was perfect.

Man ultimately fell, rejecting the commands of God, and was forced to leave the garden. Perfection was ruined, and at that point God had every right to destroy man and leave the rest of His creation to be as it was, perfect.

However, God's love for man didn't end with his faults. God sought to bring man back to that once perfect relationship with Him. God led His people all the way up to Christ. When the time was right, Christ died and set the people of God free from their sins.

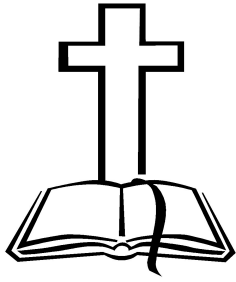
What an amazing love, that God would send His son to die for such a wicked people, even for those who did not love Him and wouldn't come to Him for some time. God's love surpasses our understanding. How could an amazing God love such a wicked people? It's beyond my understanding.

*1 John 4:10 In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.*

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## Sunday, September 1, 2019

<p><b>Prayer List Updates</b></p> <p><b>Adrienne Penix</b> – surgery October 3 for hernia repair and to place a cranial shunt</p> <p><b>Joe Cagle</b> – has moved to Van Buren; address at back</p> <p><b>Frankie Towell</b> – upcoming appointment</p> <p><b>Rodger Chaffin</b> – past preacher; prostate cancer; possible surgery Sept. 16</p> <p><b>Kenny McLeod</b> – past member Kimberly Vires’ father; kidney issues worsening; may need dialysis</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Birthday</b></p> <p>Carroll Towell                      September 1</p>	<p><b>Upcoming Events</b></p> <p>Wednesday prayer night; give requests to Raymond or Dakota</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Memory Verse</b></p> <p>Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker. For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture, the sheep under His care.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Psalm 95:6-7a</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Anniversary</b></p> <p>Matthew and Sara Sills September 2</p>	<p><b>Correspondence Course Ministry</b></p> <p>week of August 5-10: 19 lessons graded</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>September Haiti Needs</b></p> <p>sanitary napkins cough syrup</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Last Week’s Attendance</b></p> <p>Sunday morning: 46 Sunday evening: 39 Wednesday evening: 36</p>
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## Weekly Service Assignments

Sunday Morning	Bible class: 9:45 am worship: 10:45 am	Sunday Evening	6:00 pm
First Prayer	Raymond Lasley	First Prayer	Ken Beach
Announcements	Ken Beach	Closing Prayer	Larry Towell
Second Prayer	Joel Ingram	Lord’s Supper	Matthew Sills Larry Towell
Scripture Reading	Matthew Sills	<b>Wednesday Evening</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Lord’s Supper	1. Ed Young                      3. Raymond Lasley 2. Matthew Sills                      4. Rudi Cagle	First Prayer	Rudi Cagle
Closing Prayer	Ed Young	Closing Prayer	Ken Beach