

Until He Returns NewsNotes

January 29, 2018

“Many peoples and strong nations shall come to seek the LORD of hosts in Jerusalem and to entreat the favor of the LORD. Thus says the LORD of hosts: In those days ten men from the nations of every tongue shall take hold of the robe of a Jew, saying, ‘Let us go with you, for we have heard that God is with you.’” --- Zechariah 8:22-23 (ESV)

A Tribute

As most of you know by now, our dear brother in Christ and co-founder of our ministry, Malcolm Amstutz, passed away on January 3rd. Though we grieve his passing, we all know that Malcolm was so very excited about joining his dearly beloved Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in heaven. Malcolm was, without a doubt, the main “driving force” behind our ministry, making sure that each one of us on the board was doing their part to keep the ministry moving forward. He was very passionate about every aspect of our ministry, but most particularly about putting out tracts, which you all know very well. He also always had a very positive mindset about our radio ministry, which has struggled to meet the financial obligations to stay on the air. He would always remind the board members to “Have faith, God can provide!” And so, as we on the board try to carry on the legacy Malcolm left behind, we know that it will be a huge challenge for us to do so. Please be praying that our ministry can continue on as Malcolm would want us to. We will miss him so very, very much!

A Special Prayer Request

We have just recently learned that Judy Mansfield, the wife of board member, Ernie Mansfield, has been diagnosed with lung cancer. For those of you who may not know Judy, she has taken an active role in our ministry over the last several months, sitting at the registration table at our Morton classes and greeting people as they came in. The prognosis for Judy is not good, and she is now back home and under hospice care. We ask that you please pray for Judy, Ernie, and their extended family during this very difficult time. Thank you!

Offering Envelopes

Those of you who have signed up for and need more offering envelopes, or if you would like to have offering envelopes but have not yet signed up for them, please see Steve Ricketts during the break or after class. Also, to save mailing costs, a letter of receipt for every contribution made to our ministry will now only be mailed to those individuals who send checks to our P.O. box or who contribute online through our website. Of course, year-end statements will be sent out to everyone whom we have a record of contributing (includes checks received loosely in an offering plate or money received in an offering envelope).

Year-end Statements

Year-end statements for 2017 for those of you who have made contributions to our ministry, either by check, offering envelope, or through our website, will be mailed out no later than this Wednesday, January 31st.

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Upcoming Class Speakers

Jan. 29 – Morton Sharon Clemens – The Book of Zechariah, Chapters 7-11
Jan. 29 – Normal No class
Feb. 5 – Morton Phil Cooper – Current Events and Bible Prophecy
Feb. 12 – Peoria Ralph Wingate – To Be announced

Refreshment Coordinators

If you would like to assist our refreshment coordinators, or bring cookies to our classes, please contact the following. These ladies are an invaluable asset to our ministry, so if you can assist them in any way, we would appreciate it so much.

Morton: Pat Musselman (309-256-6386)

Peoria: Marilyn Wyss (309-385-4459) or Marjorie LaFont (309-243-5446)

What Matters Most

If you have not yet accepted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, please see Phil Cooper, Ralph Wingate, Jim Cox, or any of the UHR Board Members – all will gladly assist you in making this life changing commitment!

Acts 4:12 (KJV) ----- “Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is no other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.” Acts 16:36 (KJV) ----- “...and (the jailer) said “Sir, what must I do to be saved?” And they said “Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.” Romans 10:9 (KJV) ----- “That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.”

If you have not yet received God’s free gift of salvation, we encourage you to say a prayer along these lines: “Lord Jesus, I know I am a sinner – filled with pride and selfishness – and I need your forgiveness. I believe that You died in my place to pay the penalty for my sins, and that You later arose from the dead. I place my trust in You alone as my Lord and Savior, and receive your gift of eternal life. Thank you Lord Jesus for hearing my prayer. Amen.” We at UHR welcome you as a brother or sister in Christ!

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