G.L. O. CALENDER FOR FEB. 2012

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | | | | 1 Odessa Cook Bd. | 2 |
| 3 Communion Sunday | 4 | 5 Alyce Holmes Bd. | 6 Alyshia Nettles Bd. | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 Scott & Samantha Nettles Anniv. | 11 | 12 Jim Kessler Bd. | 13 | 14 Valentine's Day | 15 | 16 |
| 17 3 rd Sunday Singing | 18 President's Day, Pray for our government leaders, military, and the U.S.A. | 19 | 20 | 21 | Scott Nettles Bd. | 23 |
| 24 business Meeting to be announced if needed | 25 | 26 Aliana Dendy Bd | 27 | 28 | | |

GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE OUTREACH CHURCH

"THE CHURCH ON THE HILL"



Pastors: Bennie D. & Jeanette Dendy

From the pastor's desk Sunday, Feb. 17, 2013

We have gathered into this house to praise and worship Him, Christ the Lord! Let's all settle down for a good Sunday School lesson. If you've been missing it, you've missed some good teaching!

Welcome to everyone this morning. We hope you turned the oven with the roast down low so we can get our hearts and mind on the Lord to do what He wants of us and off the roast!

Congratulations to Tony Miller and Trixie Young on the announcement of their forth coming marriage on March 1, 2013. And to Justin Miller for his new family. We wish you three the best of luck.

Remember to keep in prayer: our troops, government leaders, our Evangelists, Sister Mary Adams, Sister Bess Graham, Lay Witness For Christ Ministry, Dr. Sam and Sharon Mings, Israel, all churches, our prayer box, all the sick people, and the web site <code>gospellighthouseoutreach.com</code>. We put prayer request from our members and from the web site into our prayer box then have the children come forth and help us pray over the names in the box each time we have service.

Our scripture for this week: 2 Co. 12:9; And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

Quote by Dr. Karl Menninger;

"Love cures people, both the ones who give it and the ones who receive it."

Inspirational Quote by Billy Graham;

"The family should be a closely knit group. The home should be a self-contained shelter of security; a kind of school where life's basic lessons are taught; and a kind of church where God is honored; a place where whole-some recreation and simple pleasures are enjoyed."

Why Do We Praise and Pray To God?

We don't all praise or pray to God alike. You may listen to someone and in ten minutes they are through, while another may take half an hour or more. We are all different because of the way we were raised, or the church we were brought up in with our parents or no parents or church or God in our youth.

The Bible talks about different ways that people praise and worship the Lord. People sing, play an instrument, run the isles, clap or wave raised hands as ways to worship and praise God. While some may not say a word or move a muscle through the whole sermon.

Why do we have to do the praise and worship bit? Praise is from the heart and God is worthy of it all the time not just at church. It is a way of lifting Him up above all others and glorifying His name. Praise brings us closer to God by awakening us spiritually and serving as a connection between the Lord and us, as pastor Dendy says," To feel the little do lollies run up and down our backs.

Is. 43:21 says, "This people have I formed for myself: they shall shew forth my praise." Heb.13:15 says," By him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to his Holy name."

He is our Savior that died on the cross for our sins. Don't you think we as Christians owe Him a little something? Christians are supposed to actually take time to praise God for who He is and what He has done because He is God and worthy!

Psalms 100 says," Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands. ² Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing. ³ Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. ⁴ Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name. ⁵ For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations.

So, let's all come together in one mind and one accord and praise the Lord! Or give the pastor an Amen ever so often!