G.L. O. CALENDER FOR AUG. 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5 Communion	6 Pamela Dwiggins Bd.	7	8	9 Kathy Flournoy Bd.	10	11 Bradley Burney Bd.
12	13	14	15	16 Joe Gaeto Bd.	17	18
19 3 rd Sunday Singing	20	21	22 Justin Miller's Bd.	23 Alissa Ivie Bd.	24	25
26 Business meeting to be announced if needed	27	28	29 Katalin Ivie's Bd.	30	31 Bettye Pack's Bd.	

GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE OUTREACH CHURCH

" THE CHURCH ON THE HILL "



Pastors: Bennie & Jeanette Dendy

From the pastor's desk : Sunday, 8-12-2012

Welcome friends, we are so glad you are with us today in the house of the Lord. His commandment, Keep the Sabbath Day Holy.



Keep in prayer: our troops, government leaders, our Evangelist, Sister Mary Adams, Bess Graham, Lay Witness For Christ Ministry, Dr. Sam and Sharon Mings, Israel, all churches and pastors, our prayer box, all the sick people, and the web site **gospellighthouse-outreach.com**. We put prayer request from our members and from the web site into our prayer box and pray over the names in the box each time we have service.

Thought for the day: The Bible:

When you carry "the Bible", Satan has a headache. When you open it, he collapses. When he sees you reading it, he loses his strength. AND when you stand on the Word of God,

Can You Tell You Are Slipping Away From God?

"Can you tell that you are slipping away from God, how? Come on now, everyone wonders ever so often about this question whether you do it or not is up to you and God. When asked this question almost everyone says, "I go to church every Sunday, "I'm not slipping away from God."

Why do you go to church in the first place? Come on now the truth please. Say the first thing that pops into your mind. That is likely the truthful reason, like it or not.

Do you go to church to visit with your brothers and sisters in Christ? Do you miss church once in a while just because you want to, or do you go and instead of listening to the preacher, your mind is a million miles off? This is a really sure way that a believer is slipping away from God. Heb. 2:1 says," Therefore we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things which we have heard, lest at any time we should let them slip."

Sunday and Wednesday are the days we should surely set aside to be with God and listen fervently, very deeply heated, while you are listening to God's Word. God's Word is our stability in our walk with Christ and our salvation. Prayer is our way to communicate with God. That's why you hear some people say, "I haven't heard Him!" They are not praying, listening or talking to Him or studying His word. We should talk to Him daily as we do to our very closest friend. If we don't we slip away from Him. If we're not as close as we once were it's our fault not His. He does not leave us. We are the ones who do the leaving.

After we walk away and something happens we start calling on God, Father, Daddy for help. Well, guess what? He's not going to listen because you got smart enough to slip away like a two year old and got lost all over again, into sin. He turns His face from sin. The only way He'll hear you after you've sinned is to ask for forgiveness and do your works over again.

Don't ever think just because that old man died once he can't or won't stick his head back into your world again. That old sinful man is only as dead as you will let him be.

Go to the Lord in prayer the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night and repent for sins known or unknown. Then ask the Father to give you the strength that you need to keep on that straight and narrow way we are to walk. It's an insurance policy with Him that He will hear you if you ask forgiveness everyday as Paul. He said. "I repent daily!" Are we any better than Paul was? I think not! Stay true to God! Bless us all. Amen!