

Assembling Together

SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASS AT 9:00AM
SUNDAY AM WORSHIP AT 10:00AM
SUNDAY PM WORSHIP AT 1:00PM
WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE STUDY AT 7:00PM

Last Week's Records

Sunday AM Attendance	45
Sunday PM Attendance	33
Wednesday Night Attendance	-
Giving	\$1753

February Birthdays

JIM CUNNINGHAM - 4
JERRY JOHNSON - 13
MAC MILAM - 28

February Anniversaries

15TH
RICHARD AND KATHLEEN (50 YRS!)
18TH
RANDY AND SHERRA (19 YRS)

Serving Today

Greeters this week
Evan and Christina Romo
(**Next week:** Brandon & Kat)

**Announcements
and Opening Prayer**
Rod Jackson

Song Leader
Jim Cunningham

Communion
Lead: Jerry Johnson
Assist: Brice Thompson
Assist: Gary Carter
Assist: Allen Hedge

Scripture Reading
(Mark 3:7-10)
Garrett Jackson

Speaker
Aaron Baker

Closing Prayer
Mike Thompson

Sunday PM Closing Prayer
Tony Carter

Serving Wednesday

Announcements and Prayer
Rod Jackson

Song Leader
Jim Cunningham

Devotional Thought
Richard Carroz

Welcome
to the
Lord's
church
which meets
in Foristell,
Missouri -
Continuing
the pattern
of the
1st century
church
(2 Timothy
1:13).

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A Debatable Debate

On February 4th, 2014 a monumental debate took place. Monumental because of the topic involved and because of the men involved.

The Topic

The thesis for the debate was: Is creation a viable model of origins in today's modern scientific society? To put it more clearly, it argues, "Is it possible that creation is a way to explain where man came from (IE-his origins)." To affirm this statement suggests that creation IS a viable explanation of where man came from. To deny this statement suggests that creation IS NOT a viable explanation of how man came to exist and points to evolution as the only viable option.

The Men

Remember Bill Nye, the Science Guy from many TV shows? He is very much an evolutionist. In his opinion the only viable (possible) explanation for the question, "How did we get here?" consists of an explanation from man evolving from nothing. Bill Nye was in support of the negative (denial) of the thesis statement for this debate.

Ken Ham, originally from Australia, is the Director of the Answers in Genesis institute. He was affirming the thesis statement, and took up the

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DON'T FORGET TO SILENCE YOUR PHONE DURING WORSHIP



Tracy Ehlmann

is back home now and able to get around much better! We are most thankful to God for her healing and pray she continues to feel better each day. Cards can be sent to:

Kim Vogelsang

is doing much better now and reports that the numbness and tingling in her limbs has subsided since the surgery. She still has some soreness, though, and is still unable to get out and about. She would appreciate our continued prayers. Cards can be sent to Kim at:

Wendell Glass (Marilyn's father)

was in the hospital this past week with breathing problems. He is back home now and doing better, but still needs to take it easy for a little while.

Janet Colvett (Sherra's step-mom)

remains in the hospital at least until Tuesday due to low white blood cell count. Please continue to pray for her as she fights cancer. Janet and Jimmy can receive cards

*"Sing to the Lord, all the earth; Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all people. For the Lord is great and greatly to be praised...Honor and majesty are before Him; Strength and gladness are in His place."
- 1 Chronicles 16:23-25a, 27*

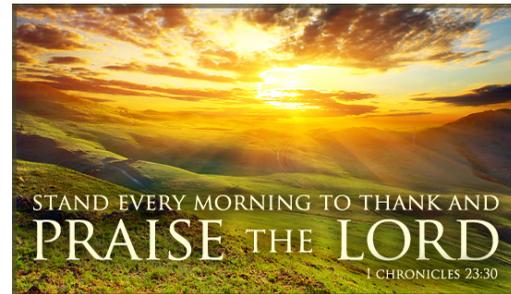
at

Jason Spencer (Janet Colvett's Son-in-Law) has been having some serious health problems. He is now on a feeding tube because he is unable to swallow. He is not doing well. The doctors believe he has an inflammation of the muscles, but don't know what is causing it as of yet.

Charlie Holland (relative of Aaron Baker) was in the hospital in Washington this past week due to a heart attack. The doctor has now installed a pacemaker, but continue to pray for him as he recovers. Cards can be sent to him at:

IN OUR CONTINUED PRAYERS

Kay Shepard (health), Kim Vogelsang (health), Harold Fitzjerrell (Alzheimers), Carl Wright (health), Caleb Sams (cancer), Marsha Clark (cancer), Virginia Johnson (lung cancer)



torch of affirming that creation IS a viable way to explain how man got here. While not a member of the church, Ken Ham has produced excellent materials on this topic. Ken's famous phrase may well be, "Were you there?" This suggests the only reliable way we can know how all of creation came to exist is to have Divine Revelation from God, which we do have in the form of the Bible.

The Conclusion

This was a debate of two different worldviews. Either you accept creation, and therefore, God and His Word, which by extension affects how you live your life...or you don't. To quote Bill Nye, "It is very hard to accept that when you die, it's over..." The point: if you don't believe creation, then you don't believe the Bible. If you don't believe the Bible, then you have no purpose in life and you have no answer to the question, "Why are we here?"

- Aaron Baker

WHAT'S HAPPENING?!

Men's Prayer Breakfast

is held every Friday morning at 6:30am at Bob Evan's in Wentzville.

Women's Bible Study

is held every Monday night here at the building from 7:00-8:00pm.

Fellowship - Chill Hockey Night

is today at 4:00pm. If you are signed up to go, see Aaron for last-minute details.

Sign-Up to Bake Bread

to give to our our visitors. The sheet is on the bulletin board in the back.

Ladies Retreat - February 21-22

This year it will be held at the Holiday Inn Express in O'Fallon and our rooms are already paid for. This year's theme is "Thou Art the Potter". Sign-up sheets and information are on the back table. See Kim Johnson if you have questions.

Work Day

The NEW DATE is set for Saturday, March 8th. All members put it on your calendar and

plan to come help out!

Pillow Day

Our next pillow day is set for Sunday, March 31st after the 1:00pm worship service.

Vanuatu Mission Trip

will be June 22-July 8. Consider joining Aaron and Cindy on this amazing journey of sharing God's Word in the South Pacific Islands!

Plan, Pray, Work, Win - Souls for Christ!
Foristell Campaign and Gospel Meeting
March 17-23, 2014

