

GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear the Gospel (Rm 10:17) - Jesus, the Son of God was born of a virgin birth, lived a sinless life, died on a cross to bear our sins, was resurrected and is now Lord over all, and through His death and life man can be eternally saved through obedience of faith in Him.

Believe the Gospel (Jn 3:16; Heb. 11:6; Mk 16:16)
Trust in God's promise to save you through Jesus.

Repent (Acts 2:38,3:19,17:30;Titus 2:11-12)
Turn from a life of sin to living a life for God's glory.

Confess Jesus as Lord (Rm10:9-10; Acts 8:37)
An outward expression of your faith & submission.

Be Baptized [immersion] (1 Peter 3:21) - In baptism you are buried with Christ, and raised up with Him (Romans 6:3-4; Colossians 2:12). Your sins are washed away (Acts 22:16). At this moment you're **added to the church** (Acts 2:41), which is the BODY OF CHRIST (Ephesians 1:22-23) - the SAVED (Acts 2:47).

Remain Faithful (Rev. 2:10; Hebrews 10:23)
Continue to be faithful at any cost and the promise of heaven is sure.

THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

	Today (AM)	Jan 29th (AM)
Greeter	Lori McGowan	Jason Thompson
Song Leader	Jason Thompson	Troy Wallis
Prayer	Ben Bass	Kim Sleege
Table	Kim Sleege	Ryan Roseke
	Curtis Hudson	Terry Tull
	Terry Tull	Steve Haugsted
	Joe Castro	Ty Wallis
Scripture Reading	Ryan Roseke	Joe Castro
Speaker	TJ Klith	TJ Klith
Closing Prayer	Terry Tull	Ben Bass
Lord's Supper Prep	Valene Roseke	Valene Roseke
	Tonight (PM)	Jan 29th (PM)
Speaker	TJ Klith	TJ Klith
Wed. Song Leader	(1/25) - Ben B.	(2/1) - Ty W.

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Center Point Road Church of Christ

WE ARE A FAMILY WHOSE PURPOSE IS TO GLORIFY GOD, LEAD OTHERS TO CHRIST, MINISTER TO PEOPLE'S NEEDS. ENCOURAGE EACH OTHER TO GROW IN FAITH AND IN HIS WORD SO WE MAY ENJOY ETERNAL LIFE WITH HIM.

ASSEMBLY TIMES

SUNDAY

9:30 A.M. BIBLE CLASSES (ALL AGES)
10:30 A.M. CONGREGATIONAL WORSHIP
6:00 P.M. CONGREGATIONAL WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY

7:00 P.M. BIBLE CLASSES (ALL AGES)

WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS AND
HOPE YOU WILL STAY AFTER
SERVICES SO WE CAN MEET YOU!!!

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CLAIMING ROYALTY

by David Sargent

David Howe is a 38-year-old American living in Maryland. The Isle of Man is an island located in the Irish Sea off the coast of England at the geographical center of the British Isles. David Howe has proclaimed himself as the King of the Isle of Man.

Research of David's ancestry has identified him as a descendant of Thomas II Stanley of the Isle of Man who was the last King of Mann who ruled the Island over 500 years ago. The title of King of Mann was abandoned in 1504 in favor of the title Lord of Mann, currently held by Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom. However, due to his ancestral connection to the last King of Mann, Howe claims that title.

On March 30, 2007, Howe had himself crowned "the undisputed King of the Isle of Man" in a private ceremony at a secret location in southern Maryland. Howe claims that the royal title and regalities of the Isle of Man had lain in abeyance from King Thomas II onwards, whose successors instead used the title Lord of Mann. Howe declares that his descent from the Stanley kings, and his status as the first and only claimant to the abeyant title, establish his right to inherit the throne of the Isle of Man.

Howe claims no governing authority as King of Mann. In an interview conducted by Shepard Smith on Fox News, Howe stated that he does have the ability to bestow titles of nobility. He is using this royal power to raise money for orphans in Malawi, Africa.

The validity of Howe's claims is not the subject of this article, but... Howe's claims illustrate a very REAL opportunity for YOU and ME to claim – and enjoy – royalty because of the...

PRAYER LIST

- Bobby Samuelson (health)
older son of Dave Samuelson
- Marnetta Tillman (health)
close friend of Haugsteds
- Gerry Moser (health)
- Roger Dunlap (health - needs surgery but waiting on lung doctor's approval)

...gracious offer of kinship to the King of Kings!

Due to our sins, we are essentially orphans - hopelessly lost and in dire need. But God loved us so much that He gave His Son to die on the cross so that we might have forgiveness of our sins and the opportunity to become His children. The apostle Paul described this process with the language of "adoption." He reminded Christians of their royalty: "For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the "Spirit of adoption" by whom we cry out, 'Abba, Father.' The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs; heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ" (Romans 8:15-17).

The Lord will add to His royal family those who: believe in Christ (Acts 16:30-31), turn from their sins in repentance (Acts 17:30-31), confess Jesus before men (Romans 10:9-10), and are baptized (immersed) into Christ for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38; Galatians 3:27). Those who continue to obediently follow the edicts of the King can retain the claim of royalty and enjoy the eternal benefits that accompany that relationship.

Through Christ, YOU and I can become children of God and royal heirs to an ETERNAL inheritance! Won't YOU accept the offer of "royalty" through your humble submission to the King of Kings?

ANNOUNCEMENTS & DATES

- Potluck: Next Sunday following morning worship service. Please make plans to stay for this time of fellowship.
- Ladies' Bible class: Beginning Monday, February 6th @ 7 PM. Classes will be every two weeks. The study will focus on drawing closer to God and closer to our husbands and how both relationships correlate and mirror each other.
- Save the Date: May 19th-21st - Seminar with Eric Lyons from Apologetics Press. Topic: "Scripture, Science, & Common Sense - 3 Votes for God". A seminar that examines the amazing evidence for the existence of God.

Check the bulletin board in the entry way for more events and info

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

Sunday Morning 9:30

The Letter of James

Wednesday Evening 7:00

The Letter of 1 John

FOR THE RECORD

JANUARY 15, 2017

A.M. Worship (<i>last year</i>)	52 (25)
Contribution	\$2,452.65
Weekly Budget	\$2,160.00

BIBLE TRIVIA

1. Where did Abraham send his servant to find a wife for Isaac?
2. Who warned Jesus about Herod's desire to kill Him?
3. Where is it written, "Since you have in obedience to the truth purified your souls for a sincere love of the brethren, fervently love one another from the heart."?
4. Who called the prophet Elijah the "troubler of Israel"?

Last Week's Answers: 1. Job & Elijah [Jm 5:11,17] 2. Benjamin [1 Sam 9:1ff] 3. Hebrews 12:3 4. Capernaum [Mk 2:1ff] 5. ashamed, power, believes [Rm 1:16]