

### AND THE PEOPLE CAME...

- Week of October 24, 2021 -

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| Sunday Morning Service -----         | 30 |
| Sunday Evening Service -----         | 20 |
| Wed. Evening Service, 10/27/21 ----- | 16 |

### AND THE PEOPLE "TUNED IN"...

- Week of October 24, 2021 -

- Number of people who connected with our services on Facebook -

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|-----------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| <b>Sunday Morning Service:</b>    |                |                   |
| 81 Impressions                    | 25 Engagements | 80 People Reached |
| <b>Sunday Evening Service:</b>    |                |                   |
| 68 Impressions                    | 21 Engagements | 63 People Reached |
| <b>Wednesday Evening Service:</b> |                |                   |
| 35 Impressions                    | 8 Engagements  | 31 People Reached |

### AND THE PEOPLE GAVE...

- Week of October 24, 2021 -

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| <u>Undesignated</u> Tithes & Offerings ----- | \$ 820.04        |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIVED FOR WEEK OF 10/24/21:</b>  | <b>\$ 820.04</b> |

- Week of October 17, 2021 -

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| <u>Undesignated</u> Tithes & Offerings ----- | \$ 480.54        |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIVED FOR WEEK OF 10/17/21:</b>  | <b>\$ 480.54</b> |

- Week of October 10, 2021 -

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| <u>Undesignated</u> Tithes & Offerings ----- | \$ 976.00        |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIVED FOR WEEK OF 10/10/21:</b>  | <b>\$ 976.00</b> |

- Week of October 3, 2021 -

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| <u>Undesignated</u> Tithes & Offerings ----- | \$ 2,061.53        |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIVED FOR WEEK OF 10/03/21:</b>  | <b>\$ 2,061.53</b> |

- Week of September 26, 2021 -

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| <u>Undesignated</u> Tithes & Offerings ----- | \$ 1,380.00        |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIVED FOR WEEK OF 09/26/21:</b>  | <b>\$ 1,380.00</b> |

- Week of September 19, 2021 -

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| <u>Undesignated</u> Tithes & Offerings ----- | \$ 647.27        |
| <b>TOTAL RECEIVED FOR WEEK OF 09/19/21:</b>  | <b>\$ 647.27</b> |

Average amount of Undesignated Offerings needed to operate the church EACH WEEK, as a minimum = \$ 1,400.00



### CHURCH INSURANCE FUND

|                                    |           |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Monthly Premium, Due 11/05/21----- | \$ 537.92 |
| Amount Received For Nov. -----     | \$ 0.00   |

**AMOUNT STILL NEEDED FOR NOV., 2021: -- \$ 537.92**

*Thank You For Your Faithful Help With This Need!*

### WHAT IT MEANS TO BE SAVED

1. *Admit that you are a sinner.*
2. *Admit that God says all sins must be paid for.*
3. *Accept the fact that Christ took upon Himself the suffering necessary to pay for all your sins.*
4. *You must change your mind about sin and sinning (God calls this repentance).*
5. *By an act of your will, accept by faith the Lord Jesus Christ, Who can save you from the penalty of sin. Then, tell God about this in a simple prayer. Believe that God keeps His promise to save you, and thank Him for His salvation.*



### THANK YOU For Your Continued Faithfulness In Giving!

During the early part this pandemic, we were unable to meet in the church-house. But - that did not mean that the expenses of having a church-house were suspended. We still had bills to pay - electricity, gas, water, trash pickup, phone, internet, facility insurance, copier lease, office supplies, etc., and, praise the Lord, His people kept praying, watching online, & supporting their church with their giving.

Sadly, some people only give when they are in attendance at church - sort of like paying for "services rendered" - but the truth is that they are robbing **THEMSELVES** of God's blessings when they withhold their tithes and offerings and only give when they are here (see Malachi 3:10). Thankfully, most of our people have remained faithful, in so many ways, during this crisis, including financially.

#### WE HAVE 3 WAYS YOU CAN GIVE:

1. **By mail** - 23 East Wells Blvd., Sapulpa, OK 74066
2. **Drop it off** - call the Church Office to arrange it. 224-1924
3. **Online** - Go to the link below and give electronically:

<https://tithe.ly/give?c=433047>

**WE ARE GLAD WE CAN NOW GATHER TOGETHER TO PRAISE GOD & STUDY HIS WORD TOGETHER IN THE CHURCH-HOUSE!  
YOUR FAITHFUL AND GENEROUS GIFTS WILL HELP US KEEP UP WITH THE BILLS AND CONTINUE OUR RENEWED OUTREACH EFFORTS!**

### Church Directory

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|--|-------------------|
| Todd W. White -----  | Pastor            |
| Lois Mae Floyd -----   | Pianist/ Organist |
| Mickie Shatwell -----  | Evening Pianist   |
| Derek Quinnelly -----  | Greeter           |
| Larry Byars -----  | S.S. Teacher      |
| Larry & Mary Byars, Chris Vance, Derek Quinnelly, and Harrison White ----- | Outreach          |
| Bertha Segebarr -----  | Custodian         |
| Shirley & Brenda White -----   | Flowers           |
| Seth White -----   | Sound/Video       |

# REMINDER



## Massive Life-Like Statues Being Created Across the World

*"And deceiveth them that dwell on the earth by the means of those miracles which he had power to do in the sight of the beast; saying to them that dwell on the earth, that they should make an image to the beast, which had the wound by a sword, and did live. And he had power to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed." (Rev. 13:14-15).*

For decades people have wondered what this passage in Revelation 13 could be referring to; an image that the False Prophet is able to bring to life in some way? An image that can move and speak? An image of the Antichrist that people will bow down and worship? What on earth is John describing? Well, it is possible that we are now seeing technology that is being developed that can mimic many of the elements of this passage.

Developers in Ireland have created a plan in which they will build 21 10-story-tall statues around the world. Called "The Giant", it's a programmable, moving statue covered with millions of LED pixels that allow it to take the form of any person. The Giant's arms and head can move to a diversity of positions and its patented skin, a matrix of millions of programmable LED pixels gives it the ability to instantly take the form of any man or woman, boy or girl from historical figures such as Albert Einstein or Amelia Earhart to stars of today from Lionel Messi to Beyoncé. **The Giant can take on any image and can also sing and speak.**

The idea was developed by entrepreneur Paddy Dunning, Berlin-based architecture studio Dan Pearlman and backed by the commercial real estate company Enterprise Ireland. Each "Giant" will cost \$18 - \$24 million to develop depending on the location and chosen size, according to a press release. The company estimates the sculpture to bring in about \$14 million in revenue for the host cities and that each of the statues could be built within 18 months of the start of construction.

While the 21 cities have yet to be formally announced, Phoenix has been identified as a strong possibility for one location.

Speaking about the launch of The Giant, Dunning said; *"With patents in place, we are excited to unveil our plans! We have already had interest from investors from Europe, Australia, Abu Dhabi and cities across the US. The beauty of this attraction is that its exhibition can be tailored to individual cities and cultures and the sculpture can be posed in a number of positions to suit the location."*

While this is all highly speculative, it shows that the type of technology needed to create something similar to what John describes in the Book of Revelation is already present. People have long scoffed at John's claim that people during the Tribulation would bow down to a little idol like they did in the ancient world.

However, it is much easier to see the Antichrist and the False Prophet creating something as large as Nebuchadnezzar's statue from Daniel 3, using technology to make it look like the Antichrist and demand that people bow down and worship it. This technology even would allow the statue to speak through a computer program or a recording of the Antichrist's voice.

Technology continues to develop at an amazing rate. While much of it has worked to better lives, some of these technological innovations or others like them will no doubt play a major role during the Tribulation.

## NEWS OF INTEREST TO CHRISTIANS

☐ **FLORIDA GRADE SCHOOLERS TAKEN ON FIELD TRIP TO GAY BAR** - There's nothing more exciting for grade schoolers than a field trip. Normally, schools take children to a museum or a zoo. But teachers at Wilton Manor Elementary School in Fort Lauderdale took their students to a gay bar and grill. Photographs show the boys and girls inside Rosie's Bar and Grill – decked out in rainbow colors. The bar advertises itself as a place for LGBT diners and their allies. Among the items on the menu – naked sweaty lovin' hot wings and the Ivana Hooker hamburger.

☐ **CARNAL SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH PUTS ON PERFORMANCE OF BANGLES' "WALK LIKE AN EGYPTIAN"** - Church by the Glades in Coral Springs, FL, made headlines in early 2020 after its pastor, David Hughes, was selected by another Florida pastor, David Uth, to speak at the 2020 Southern Baptist Convention's annual meeting. Church by the Glades has been well known for its carnality, worldly appeal, and extravagant performances of secular dance and music including the Stormtrooper Dance, Disney Medleys, and covers of Beyonce's Freedom.

At the time, Hughes was criticized for his church recently putting on a Satanic performance of Billy Eilish's Bad Guy. Hughes also hosted a sermon series and several "worship" productions based on the sexually-explicit television show, Game of Thrones.

It's safe to say that David Hughes does not pastor a church, but a goat farm as he himself admitted that he is "packaging" the gospel to make it "sound better" to the world. Thankfully, at the time, the 2020 Southern Baptist Convention was canceled by providential hindrance due to the COVID scandal and Hughes was unable to perform.

Well, now that the "pandemic" is over and Hughes' church is back in full session, they have picked back up where they left off. Their latest performance is apparently a Halloween performance of The Bangles' Walk Like and Egyptian.

☐ **SOUTHWESTERN BAPTIST SEMINARY HIRES PROGRESSIVE PROMOTOR OF ANIMAL RIGHTS ACTIVIST CHARLES CAMOSY** - Daniel Darling, the former Vice President of Communications at the Southern Baptist Convention's Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission has now been hired by Adam Greenway at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary as the director of cultural engagement—whatever that is—after being fired by NRB for promoting vaccines on MSNBC against the company's policy.

Darling—who refers to himself as a "Reformed Baptist"—is a radical progressive operative who, like his former boss, Russell Moore, has been strategically placed within the Southern Baptist Convention to steer the denomination to the left. The causes Darling takes up are always leftist, theologically hollow, and devoid of any actual biblical fidelity.

In 2019, Darling partnered with a far-left radical Roman Catholic animal rights activist to promote a hijacked version of

the pro-life movement by Pope Francis. This version of the pro-life movement is a perverted left-wing version that teaches that in order to truly be pro-life, one has to embrace social justice, wealth redistribution, and the woke church movement. They absurdly call it "pro-life from the womb to tomb"—but it's basically Marxism.

This far-left radical animal rights activist that Dan Darling promotes is Charles Camosy. Who is Charles Camosy? Well, let's take a look. In one interview with him at the St. Francis Alliance, Camosy says it's time to consider some animals as "persons."

"When gorilla[sic] have a vocabulary of over 150 words via American Sign Language, elephants pass mirror tests proving their self-awareness, or dogs show evidence of understanding the concept of justice, we need to at least consider the idea, for instance, that some animals are non-human persons."

One of the modern Evangelical social justice warrior's tactics in advancing their cause is to hijack the pro-life movement by guilt-shaming pro-lifers into supporting social justice saying that being pro-life is also about wealth redistribution. In Darling's article, he recalls a time that he saw a homeless man and did not immediately feel the need to drop everything to give him money. Then he goes on to promote Charles Camosy's book and Catholic social teaching which, in his view, rightly critiques this "attitude."

"It's attitudes like this," Darling writes, "that Catholic theologian and ethicist Charles Camosy most wants to expose and critique with his book, *Resisting Throwaway Culture: How a Consistent Life Ethic Can Unite a Fractured People*, Camosy champions the idea of a 'consistent life ethic... By this, he means that an authentically pro-life witness involves more than opposing abortion. The same values that commit us to protecting the unborn, he argues, should govern our thinking on a range of issues that weigh upon the lives of the most vulnerable—issues like capital punishment, assisted suicide, war and peace, and economic and social inequality."

"Proponents of this approach sometimes describe it as a 'seamless garment,' a term coined by Catholic peace activist Eileen Egan and popularized in the 1980s by Cardinal Joseph Bernardin of Chicago," Darling added.

☐ **STEVEN FURTICK SAYS GOD DOESN'T MAKE CHRISTIANS NEW BUT REVEALS WHO WE WERE ALL ALONG** - Notorious heretic Steven Furtick continues to deny the Scriptures to appease the ears of men while preaching stuff he makes up rather than derive it from the Scriptures.

In his latest tirade against biblical teachings, in contradiction to II Corinthians 5:17 – which says that anyone who is in Christ is a new creation and that the old has passed away – Furtick asserts that that instead, God doesn't make us new, but simply reveals who we were all along.

Of course, the Scriptures have already revealed who we were all along. Romans 1 calls us insolent, haughty, haters of God. First Corinthians 6 says a lot about who we "once were" before being saved by Christ. And Romans 5 clearly teaches that we're

born sinners in rebellion against God - which is why we must be born again (John 3:3-5).

☐ **TWITTER CONTINUES DRACONIAN CENSORSHIP POLICY** - The official Twitter account of Rep. Jim Banks (R-Ind.) was suspended after he called Department of Health and Human Services Assistant Secretary for Health Rachel Levine, who is a transgender woman, a man. Banks' original tweet said, "The title of first female four-star officer gets taken by a man," referring to Levine becoming the first openly transgender four-star officer in the U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps.

Banks announced the suspension on his personal Twitter account Saturday: "My tweet was a statement of fact. Big Tech doesn't have to agree with me, but they shouldn't be able to cancel me. If they silence me, they will silence you. We can't allow Big Tech to prevent us from telling the truth. When Republicans take back the House next year, we must restore honesty to our public forums and hold Big Tech accountable."

A Twitter spokesperson gave a statement to The Hill regarding Banks' account suspension, saying: "The account referenced has been temporarily locked for violating our Hateful Conduct Policy. The account owner is required to delete the violative Tweet before regaining access to their account."

**CONCLUSION:** In reality, Twitter is the hateful party in this situation. They want to destroy the precious liberty of freedom of speech.



Dr. Vance Havner  
1901-1986

*Are We  
Playing by  
the Book?*

by Dr. Vance Havner

When a group of small boys, out to play ball, arrived at the play ground,

they discovered that no one had brought a ball. "Forget the ball," said one impatiently. "Let's get on with the game." We are trying to play without the ball when the Church tries to evangelize before she has repented. The Church can do many things after she has repented but nothing until first she repents...

The Pharisees had many good points. Our Lord said, in effect, "Do as they say." They read the Scriptures, prayed, went to God's house, tithed, and lived separated lives. They were anxious to preserve religion in Israel. Winning converts to the religion of Moses had been a good and right thing to do. But their religion had become institutionalized, and now they were propagating a dead faith, and every, new convert was a twofold child of hell, a lost heathen, and a lost proselyte. Generally, we are propagating

today a degenerate brand of Christianity. Unless the church repents, and has a complete overhauling instead of a tune-up job, our evangelistic and missionary drives may add for the most part only a multitude of proselytes who are both unsaved pagans and unregenerated church members. Like produces like. Worldly churches produce more worldly church members. Churches weak or unsound in doctrine produce more of the same variety. Churches that operate in the energy of the flesh instead of by the Holy Spirit produce more of the same kind. We must improve the present quality of our churches, for converts tend to take on the qualities of the people who convert them...

If God ever visits us again in real revival, there will be many red faces as churchmen and religious leaders blush and hang their heads in shame for the silly and stupid ways in which we have tried to promote the work of God in the energy of the flesh by the help of the world. Drama will be unnecessary. We may not even need great preachers! Gospel jazz will slink away, and we shall be chagrined that we ever sank so low as to tolerate it. All this will vanish in the blinding light of the holiness of God, and no flesh will glory in His presence...

There is no greater hindrance to revival than a comfortable pastor settled and satisfied, coasting along until he reaches retirement, who does not want his flock disturbed or the status quo upset. He has long since lost his burden and concern for a mighty upheaval of God among the resters at ease in Zion.

He resents any intrusion into the complacency of a sleeping church, and interprets the prophet's call to repentance as an indictment of his own preaching. He is determined not to get excited, assumes a philosophical tolerance of things as they are, and he may speak facetiously of the prophet's seriousness. Sometimes his own people may get under conviction, and put him to shame by a concern he does not seem to feel. This makes it exceedingly difficult for any revivalist calling Christians to repentance, but what a delight when pastor and prophet stand together! Most pastors understand that the traveling prophet can say things the pastor cannot say—that he fills a different role and follows an utterly different pattern. They complement each other. One plants, another waters, but God gives the increase. The teacher plants the seed, the pastor cultivates the crop, the evangelist gathers it, but the prophet must first break up the fallow ground. Breaking up the ground is never a pleasant, comfortable business, and churches sometimes resent the plow of plain preaching. Blessed is the pastor who knows this, and stands behind the lonely prophet who calls the church to repentance... ■

What Is Your Spiritual Temperature?

I know thy works,  
that thou art neither cold nor hot:  
I would thou wert cold or hot.  
So then because thou art lukewarm,  
and neither cold nor hot,  
I will spue thee out of my mouth.

~Revelation 3:15-16~