

### *We Will Judge Angels*

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“Do you not know that we [Christians] are to judge angels?” (1 Cor. 6:3). One time when I read that question posed by Paul, I answered out loud: “No, I didn’t know that.” What about you?

The reason the Holy Spirit inspired Paul to ask the question was that Corinthian Christians were going to court against each other. It was a bad situation all the way around. Read 1 Corinthians 6:1-8. It was a needless situation. Christians should be willing and able to help each other settle disputes. “Do you not know that we are to judge angels? How much more, then, matters pertaining to this life” (1 Cor. 6:3). God has a judiciary plan for us now and in the future.

But what does it mean that we are to judge angels?

2 Peter 2:4 tells us that “God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into Tartarus and committed them to chains of gloomy darkness to be kept until the judgment.” Jude 6 echoes: “And the angels who did not stay within their own position of authority, but left their proper dwelling, he has kept in eternal chains under gloomy darkness until the judgment of the great day.”

Angels have long been good ministers of God—but not all of them. Some of them sinned. Some of them were envious of God, unwilling to serve him faithfully. It’s already bad for them; God cast them out of heaven to an awful place. On the Day of Judgment, it will only get worse. An eternal fire is pre-

pared for the devil and his angels (Matt. 25:41).

However, that great day will see people who have been obedient and faithful to God ushered into eternal reward (Matt. 25:34). The eternal kingdom will be prodigiously populated by people who have never seen it, people who demonstrated how they longed to see it by their faithful obedience. But heaven will be lost forever for angels who once lived there unsatisfied with the unveiled presence of God.

The Christians whom God will bring home to heaven know what is right and good and what matters most. They discern what is worth their time, devotion, and submission and what is not. Some angels saw ultimate reality right in front of their eyes, but they let their hearts deceive them. They should have known better.

On Judgment Day, the reverent fear of God’s faithful people will condemn the unbridled arrogance of those angels who sinned. It will be like when “by faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith” (Heb. 11:7).

We can see what matters. We can see what is right and wrong. We can help others when they are having a hard time seeing it.

*Danny Boggs*



Pam Babb, Carol Bessman, Fred and Carolyn Bukowich, Joyce Clarkson, Vera Cornell, Lee Crabtree, Eli Dodson, Jaren Dodson, Vern Foster, Joe and Teresa Freund, Wilma Hill, Karen Honeycutt, Justin Houston, Nadine Keith, Larry McMahan, Cheryl Neilans, Lyn Pendergraft, Dale Privett, Edith Toney, Miles Wolgamott.

Andy Rasbury has been experiencing a lot of physical pain. Please pray that they are able to find a way to alleviate his discomfort.



**Every "One" Counts:** When you give an extra dollar each Sunday, it goes to help someone in need. If you know someone who needs help, please contact Jennifer Daniels or Natalie McInturff.

The elders continue to monitor the Covid 19 situation in our area. They prayerfully contemplate the best way to serve and support our members and the community. They have made the decision to not have **services** at the building until August 30. Visit our Facebook page, website or YouTube channel to see or hear our services online. Services will be at 10:00 am and 6:00 pm on Sundays.

On **Wednesdays** take advantage of some of these:

- PTP365. These are lessons from Polishing the Pulpit. Go to [365.polishingthepulpit.com](http://365.polishingthepulpit.com), user name: Hillcrest Church of Christ, password: Hillcrest.
- Christian Courier has articles on many different topics. Just go to their website and search for a topic.
- Our website has many of our past sermons, including gospel meetings and the ladies day. You can also listen to singing anytime our services are not being broadcast.



**This Sunday's Sermons:**

AM: Caleb Boggs  
 PM: *Don't Be a Fool*  
 (Danny Boggs)

**Glen Honeycutt** announced that he will be stepping aside as an elder. We are grateful for the time he has served in this capacity. We appreciate the service, kindness, care, and support that he and Karen have provided.

**HYG Trips 2020**

September 18-20: MOVE Conference in OKC  
 October 9-11: GVBC Week 2 Weekend

If you would like to give your **contribution** during the next three weeks, you may mail it or drop it off at the building. You may also give online by going to the website, clicking the give button, and following the instructions.

There will be someone at the **building** from 10:00 to 1:00 each week day. You may bring by checks or pick up communion items during that time. Just ring the bell in front or call the office, 451-2724.

Help welcome Ethan Murray to his new home. There is a **housewarming** basket in the foyer. When we return to worship services in the building you may put your gifts there or drop them by the building during building hours. His house colors are gray and light blue. He would appreciate anything for his new home. Cash gifts may be given to Molly Cobb.



The annual **Green Valley Bible Camp** golf tournament fundraiser will be August 8. Visit the camp Facebook page or [www.flagstone.church/gvbcgolf](http://www.flagstone.church/gvbcgolf) for more information.

Over the past year, the first and second grade class and the third and fourth grade class have brought money each week to **share** with the children in Honduras. On Sunday, they gave the \$641.87 to Tim Murray. They were told it would be used for a young boy to get a wheelchair and a girl to get a bike to ride to school. They were very happy they could share with the children in Honduras and enjoyed seeing the pictures of the children there.



**PRAYER LEADERS**

RECORDS	8-2-20	8-04-19
Bible Study	99	167
AM Worship	121	214
PM Worship		113
Wednesday	103	153
Contribution	\$5,147.34	\$9,501.06
Budget	\$7,864.15	\$7,717.37