

## LPC FEBRUARY 2017 NEWSLETTER

We are a family of believers, glorifying God, welcoming new members from near and far, learning to love God and neighbor.

### THE EPISTLE OF PAUL THE APOSTLE TO THE HEBREWS

#### Hebrews 2

1 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.

2 For if the word spoken by angels was stedfast, and every transgression and disobedience received a just recompence of reward;

3 How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation, which at the first began to be spoken by the Lord, and was confirmed unto us by them that heard Him;

4 God also bearing them witness, both with signs and wonders, and divers miracles, and gifts of the Holy Ghost, according to His own will?

5 For unto the angels hath He not put in subjection the world to come, whereof we speak.

6 But one in a certain place testified, saying, "What is man, that Thou art mindful of him? or the Son of Man, that Thou visitest Him?"

7 Thou madest Him a little lower than the angels; Thou crownedst Him with glory and honour, and didst set Him over the works of Thy hands:

8 Thou hast put all things in subjection under His feet." For in that He put all in subjection under Him, He left nothing that is not put under Him.

But now we see not yet all things put under Him.

9 But we see Jesus, Who was made a little lower than the angels, for the suffering of death, crowned with glory and honour, that He by the grace of God should taste death for every man.

10 For it became Him, for Whom are all things, and by Whom are all things, in bringing many sons unto glory, to make the Captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.

11 For both He That sanctifieth and they who are sanctified are all of One: for which cause He is not ashamed to call them brethren,

12 Saying, "I will declare Thy Name unto My brethren, in the midst of the church will I sing praise unto Thee."

13 And again, "I will put my trust in Him." And again, "Behold I and the children which God hath given Me."

14 Forasmuch then as the children are partakers of flesh and blood, He also Himself likewise took part of the same; that through death He might destroy him that had the power of death, that is, the devil;

15 And deliver them who through fear of death were all their lifetime subject to bondage.

16 For verily He took not on Him the nature of angels; but He took on Him the seed of Abraham.

17 Wherefore in all things it behoved Him to be made like unto His brethren, that He might be a merciful and faithful High Priest in things pertaining to God, to make reconciliation for the sins of the people.

18 For in that He Himself hath suffered being tempted, He is able to succour them that are tempted.

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Some comments about Hebrews 2 from Lynn:

Paul tells us to seriously stick to the Biblical instruction so we won't get slack or slide away from it. Our salvation is lost on account of our every sin and disobedience. Jesus told us and His disciples, too, about salvation. God's will, through the Holy Ghost, was witnessed to us through signs and wonders from the New Testament. God had put this perfect world He created under man's control to be in charge of all His creations on earth. But since man lost salvation and the consequence was to die, having yielded to sin by the evil angel, Lucifer, God put the part of Himself, Jesus, in human form to be tempted as a human for man to have a plan of salvation for the eternal life. Jesus remained pure and righteous throughout His earthly life. He suffered in physical and emotional ways as man can. He suffered in death in ways we don't know, as He offered up His pure body as a sacrifice to cover all mankind's sins. As He offered up the sacrifice He became our High Priest (just as the Temple priest did symbolically with animals). So everything is under Jesus, everything is His and was made by Him. Through God's grace ( His loving kindness), Jesus is in charge of our salvation and we are One with Him. He chose to die humanly rather than use heavenly powers to overcome death. So now He calls us His brothers and sisters. We don't and can't know God's whole plan right now. But we can hear and read the Bible, pray to receive spiritual growth and help for all we need , and put our hope and life on the Living Word, Jesus the Christ.

I have just finished reading the book, Cosmic Codes Hidden Messages From The Edge of Eternity by Chuck Missler. I loved reading it. There is science, physics and physicists' theories, math, Bible, philosophers and their theories, biology, the newest discoveries by top people in these kinds of things. I was amazed at so many things. There are many who are believers and prove the Creator and the Bible mentioned. Dr. Missler is a brilliant believer. I am including several sections from the book which, I hope, will make you want to order and read it too.

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Page 318-319 THE MYTH OF THE SIMPLE CELL

Consider a model of a "simple" cell. Let's imagine a model 1,000 million times larger than actual size. Each atom would be about the size of a tennis ball. We will need ten million atoms (10 to the 13th power), and our model would have to be over ten miles in diameter! If we counted the atoms at one per minute, it would take 50 million years to complete the count.

This "simple" cell turns out to be of unparalleled complexity and adaptive design. It is filled with automated factories and assembly plants with processing units connected to a central memory bank. Hundreds of thousands of specific types of robot machines (protein molecules) are everywhere, each composed of over 3,000 parts in three-dimensional configurations.

Page 319 DIGITAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING

These automated factories employ digital languages and decoding systems, using memory banks for information storage. We find elegant control systems regulating the automated assembly of components, exploiting prefabrication and modular construction. We even discover error-correcting fail-safe coding and proof-reading devices for quality control.

The technology we find there is unequalled in any factory on earth. What is even more staggering, it proves capable of replicating its own entire structure within a matter of a few hours!

This is the "simple" cell that just happened by unaided chance alone? If you really believe that, I have some property I'd like to sell you.

Anyway, that's a sample of the amazing creation of God. I'd love to type more but I know some people prefer to read other types of books. And that's fine but, in case you are interested, it's a fascinating book. I'm still enjoying Jonathan Cahn's book, The Book of Mysteries. It's so thought provoking that I don't want to read more than two pages a day so I can soak the symbolisms in.

This book is good for those who want to find more meaning in their lives. As It Was In the Days of Noah written by Jeff Kinley is an interesting book also about similarities between today and during Noah's time. Mr. Kinley writes what Jesus said in Matthew 24:37-39 about His second coming will be as in the days of Noah.

There was no Session meeting so no notes are available.

## SPECIAL PRAYERS

\*Our Church and Its Members      \*Stanley White Church and Its Members      \*Teresa Mallory

\*Charlotte Aycock      \*Her Son, Carl      \*Emily William's Cousin      \*H. R. Robinson  
\*Harrison West

\*Sharon West      \*The Crawley Family      \*John and Henrietta Williams      \*Allison Gordon

\*Billie Perkinson      \*Kitty Perkinson      \*Anne Baker      \*Ann Broaddus      \*Kristina Seward

\*Larry Williams Family      \*Trisha, Kay, and Keith Hamm      \*Agnes Atkins      \*Mike and Ann Currin

\* Eric Clary      \*Gerald Ellis      \*Believers Around the World      \*Our Service Folks Around the World  
\*Our Country and Its Leaders      \*The Peace of Jerusalem

## FEBRUARY 2017

### NO BIRTHDAYS

VOLUNTEERS: FLOWERS-Clarks      FELLOWSHIP-Billie Perkinson and Jo Anne Daniels  
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2	Thurs.		Groundhog Day	
5	Sun.	9:30am	Service by John Clark	
12	Sun.	9:30am	Service by John Clark	Fellowship
13	Mon.	6:30pm	Session Meeting	

14	Tues.	Valentine's Day
19	Sun.	9:30am Service by Michelle Moseley
20	Mon.	Presidents' Day
26	Sun.	?