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# The Devil Is Here

One question frequently asked preachers is: "Where did the devil come from?" Is he a fallen angel? Did he once live in heaven? Perhaps someday we will have all the answers but for now it is enough that we remember: He's here!

While the Bible does not answer all our questions about the devil, it does tell us what his mission is on earth. He is out to get us! The apostle Peter put it this way: "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour." (1 Peter 5:8)

Furthermore, the Bible informs us that the devil is here to deceive. Paul wrote to the Corinthians: "But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtilty, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ." (2 Corinthians 11:3)

Not only that, but at times the devil can steal the word out of the heart. Jesus said of some who heard the word, "When anyone hearth the word of the kingdom, and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and catcheth away that which was sown in his heart." (Matthew 13:19)

We may not know all we would like to know about the devil but the Bible is clear – He is here in our world and he is out to get us. So watch out!

Claude

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

October 18 Today Elders Meeting is cancelled

October 18 Today CPR/Infant Choking Class from 3:30 to 5:30pm. The latest compression technique will be taught in addition to the Heimlich maneuver and stroke test. If you have questions, see Jimmy Snow.

October 19 Monday JCM Bible Study at 7pm. Part Three of "Tools for Evangelism".

October 24 Saturday Fall Fellowship will be held at the Maurers at 5pm. Remember to sign the food signup sheet. If you are in need of a ride let Claude know. Transportation is available.

October 31 Saturday The Fricks plan to give out candy at church building. Volunteers welcome. See Brooke or Wesley. Candy or cash donations welcome.

November 14 Saturday Ladies Brunch at 10:00am will be held here at North Main. See Brooke if you can assist with planning.

#### WITH SYMPATHY

**Grady L. Morris**, Kelly La Chapelle's father, passed away Tuesday October 13 during a family vacation in Orlando Florida. May the love of God sustain and comfort his family.

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Matthew Brown Friday October 23

## PRAYER LIST

Tim Condra, Paul's brother, is recovering from stint implants following a heart attack. Deborah Dull's great nephew **Bentley** and his mother Gillian Fure **Janet Rhodes Holland** Taylor Maurer, Matt and Terri's daughter-in-law. had emergency surgery for a tubal pregnancy this past week. Bill Potts, husband of Aileen Potts, has an abdominal aneurism Wanda Scott Jenni Smith Josh Smith underwent eye surgery to repair a detached retina and is in a great deal of pain. J. R. Stroud Doris Tesh, Scott Tesh's mother, experiencing light strokes. Penny Austin, Belinda Nuck-Joe Koontz (Glenn's brother) ols's sister. has leukemia. Bob Scales, husband of Tom David Jones Davenport's cousin, has pancreatic cancer. Tracy Harmon (friend of Deb-

#### Larry Warner

#### SHUT-INS

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### REMINDER

It is time to begin collecting and returning the Change for Children cans.