Our Lord's Warning

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In Matthew 7:13-14 He says, "Enter by the narrow gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that **leads to destruction**, and there are many who go in by it.

Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it". According to the Bible the majority of people will be lost. We must

take this warning seriously. The Lord says that only a few people will be saved.

Christ, who is all knowing, tells us that many people are going to be lost in eternity.

How few can few be? In 1 Peter 3:20 (KJV) we read, "When once the longsuffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was preparing, wherein few, that is eight souls were saved by water." The conservative estimate of the number of people on the face of the earth in the days of Noah is two hundred million (200,000,000) people. But only eight (8) out of the estimated two hundred million (200,000,000) were saved. This is not very good odds. Even though the Bible says in 1 Peter 3:9 that the Lord is "not willing that any should perish", Jesus says in Matthew 7:13-14 concerning eternal life in Heaven that "there are few who find it". The vast majority of people will spend forever and ever in the eternal fires of Hell that will never be extinguished. Mankind cannot comprehend how horrible that Hell is going to be.

There are only two roads to eternity and everyone is on one or the other. If we miss Heaven, we will be thrown into the eternal fires of Hell forever. One of the saddest things about being thrown into Hell is the fact that it could have been avoided. The majority of people will be lost in spite of what the Lord has done. Hell is not what God does to us, but Hell is what one does to himself. A person who ends up in Hell is his own worst enemy and only has himself to blame. Let us make going to Heaven our number one priority in this life.

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Schedule of Services

Sunday AM Bible Study 9:45 AM

Sunday AM Worship 11:00 AM

No Sunday PM Service

Wednesday PM Bible Study 7:00 PM

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We welcome all who are here today.

If you are a visitor we are honored to have you with us. Please fill out a *Visitor Card* (on the back of the pew in front of you) so we may have a record of your visit. Later in the service we will pass around a collection plate. As a visitor you are obviously not expected to give but we would like for you to place the *Visitor Card* in the collection plate. Thanks.

There is a nursery at the rear of the auditorium up the stairs for infant care.

Please keep cell phones and other noise making devices silent during worship.





We offer a **free** Bible Correspondence Course



Condolences

Marvis Garrett's cousin, Patricia Roll, age 55, in Tucson Arizona, passed away April 5th. The funeral was yesterday.

Prayer List In our prayers let's praise God, recognize His greatness, and thank Him for His blessings.

Let's pray as we continue our preacher search process.

Updates:

Let's keep in our prayers **Diane Mellott** and her daughter **Renee Kinney**.

Let's keep Marissa and Jace Stine in our prayers.

Mary Lou, Anna Brink's sister in PA, did not have a heart attack as previously thought. Let's keep her in our prayers.

Noreen Andrews is home and is accepting short calls/visits as long as you're not sick. She is doing dialysis three times a week.

Emily Sestack, Sherry Carter's cousin in Delaware, has to begin chemo again for a few new lesions found by a PET scan.

Upcoming Events (Lord willing)

Apr. 15 Today. Men's Business Meeting

Apr. 21 Last day to RSVP for Brockport Spring Sing. Please see posting.

Apr. 28 Ladies Day @ Amherst church of Christ. Please see posting.

Apr. 29 Area Wide 5th Sunday Singing hosted by Linwood church of Christ

May 05 16th Annual Spring Sing Brockport church of Christ Please see posting.

May 06 Potluck Groups 4, 5, & 6 to setup and cleanup.

May 13 Mother's day

Preacher Search process.....

Ray McArthur announced last week the preacher search committee met recently to go over resumes that have been submitted. As of now no viable candidates have been found. We will continue the search.

Please note ...

I praise and thank God for this on-going ministry for the Veterans Administration. Thank you for all your donations and collection of personal care items. We look forward to another drop off in the next month or so. Blessings,

Carol Jones

Sun. AM Adult Bible Study 2nd Corinthians

Sermon Topic Today:

Scripture Reading:

No Sun. PM Bible Study

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study 10 AM at the building.

Wed. PM Bible Study 2nd Samuel



Maria Swindlehurst





It's time for another issue of House to House/Heart to Heart to be prepared for mailing to our neighbors. We will be getting together on <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 20th</u>, <u>10 AM</u> here at the church building. We hope to see you there!



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT is on Conner Orton

Conner Orton is a 6th grader at Mill Middle School. He is eleven years old and lives in Williamsville with younger brother Casey and mom and dad, Erin and Joel. You can also find Conner's grandparents, Gary and Becky Rose, visiting frequently from Vancouver Washington.

One of Conner's favorite hobbies is building things with Lego's (and he has lots of Lego's)! He also likes to bake, cookies and cupcakes are his favorite. When the weather warms up, Conner loves to get to the pool to swim. He has 2 cats and a big aquarium with lots of fish. His favorite food is broccoli.

Conner says the best thing about coming to worship at LaSalle is learning more about the Bible and studying about Jesus and His disciples. His favorite verse is, "Love your neighbor as yourself," Mark 12:31.

Conner is thankful for all his family, his possessions and his home.