



# McCoy

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

## The Manna

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"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son."  
— John 3:16

SO Love! SO Give!

Sept 26 (AM service and Sunday School) – **Jim Showers (Friends of Israel)**  
Oct 2 (Men's Breakfast) – **Darrell Peterson (Lifeline)**  
Oct 3 (AM service and Sunday School) – **Jeff Barrett (WorldVenture)**  
Oct 10 (AM service and Sunday School) – **John Anderson (SonSet Solutions)**  
Oct 17 (AM service and Sunday School) – **Paul Davis (ABWE)**  
Oct 17 (Closing Dinner following SS) – **Loretta Salchert and Cheryl DeJohn**  
(Ribbon of Hope)

**Faith Promise Missions Conference 2021**

September 26 – October 17



Missionary  
of the Month



## Missionary of the Month Dan & Anna Julian EMC

- For schooling reasons, we've just moved down to Málaga, Spain, where we will continue with the same teaching ministries that we have served with over the last several years. Our move went well, and we're slowly settling in to the new place. Thank God with us for all the details working out perfectly!
- The MOCLAM teaching ministry is continuing steadily, and Dan is scheduled to teach a group in the Canaries through the first three subjects over the coming fall and spring. The first weekend intensive starts Sept 17th, so we would appreciate prayer that this builds up the church in Las Palmas de Gran Canaria.
- Please also pray that Calvin & Lucy would love and trust in Jesus. They're both dealing with the transition in their own ways, and Calvin has the added transition of starting school on Sept 10th. Pray that he has a kind teacher. And Lucy is praying for friends here.
- Finally, pray for large windows of focused writing time as Dan works on the "Where Did Your Bible Come From?" project.



### Will You Pray for our Missionaries?

*Our Missionaries need your prayers and the best way to keep up to date on what their needs are is to join our Missionary Prayer Letter e-mail list.*

If you prefer to receive paper copies in your church mailbox, please let me know but do be aware that some of the prayer letters are photo heavy which are sometimes too much to print so you may receive a text only version. Also, often the prayer requests are time sensitive so by the time you are able to get the prayer letters from your mailbox it is old news. If you would prefer to receive these letters electronically, please e-mail Kristi at [secretary@mccoybaptist.org](mailto:secretary@mccoybaptist.org) and ask to be added to the Missionary Prayer e-mail list.

## September Birthdays

|                    |      |                     |      |
|--------------------|------|---------------------|------|
| Melany Weaver      | 9/1  | Cody Hall           | 9/16 |
| Myra Miller        | 9/2  | Colton Feller       | 9/18 |
| Titus Batdorff     | 9/2  | Brooklyn Bedford    | 9/18 |
| Sue Pederson       | 9/4  | Matt Bayes          | 9/19 |
| Bettie Rushlow     | 9/5  | Wayne Huhta         | 9/20 |
| Chuck Miller       | 9/6  | Evelyn Willis       | 9/22 |
| Bob Springer       | 9/8  | Julia Nelson        | 9/23 |
| Veronica Hallam    | 9/8  | Nathanael Lindquist | 9/23 |
| Sherrie Anspach    | 9/10 | Mary Lou Stewart    | 9/24 |
| Colton Feller      | 9/10 | David Bontrager     | 9/25 |
| Allen Barnhart     | 9/11 | Shelby Miller       | 9/26 |
| Isabella Kratzer   | 9/13 | Betsy Kinney        | 9/28 |
| Christopher Kocher | 9/14 | Jerry Nixon         | 9/28 |
| Hikari Tabata      | 9/14 | Connie Weaver       | 9/30 |

### Missionary Birthdays

Paul Halsey 9/14

## September Anniversaries

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Walt & Sarah Ryder       | 9/3/1977  |
| Jim & Connie Weaver      | 9/3/1965  |
| Dennis & Judy Carlson    | 9/4/1965  |
| Tim & Judy Guest         | 9/8/1962  |
| Chuck & Mary Jane Miller | 9/9/1961  |
| Ken & Linda Fritzler     | 9/9/1972  |
| Mervin & Clara Hammon    | 9/13/1952 |
| Justin & Twila Witmer    | 9/14/2002 |
| Alan & Sarah Good        | 9/20/2003 |
| Derek & Angie Miller     | 9/24/1988 |

### Missionaries

Brian & Becky Eastling 9/2/1995



Are you in need of a phone number or address of a McCoy friend?

**Download the Realm Connect App!**  
*Connect - Our Church Community by ACS Technologies Group, Inc.*

(You can also log in through a website on a computer.)

The Realm Connect app has many great features but one of the most handy is having an up to date church directory at your fingertips! It also features communication with your McCoy groups, registering for McCoy events, private access to your giving history and more.

For more info and log in access, please contact Kristi Martin, MMBC secretary, by e-mail ([secretary@mccoybaptist.org](mailto:secretary@mccoybaptist.org)).








**LADIES RETREAT 2021**  
 Sept. 24-26, 2021  
**Speaker: Meredith [REDACTED]**  
**"Of Whom Shall I Be Afraid?"**


Location: Quaker Haven Camp, Syracuse, IN  
 Worship Leader: Julie Flora  
 Testimony: Alysia Kinney


**Register Online & More Info:** <https://bit.ly/2TKtKXG>

**Come Out on Wednesdays! 6:15-8:00 PM**

  
**Word of Life**  
 Local Church Ministries  
 First Club Night  
 Sept. 15, 2021  
 Online Registration  
<https://bit.ly/3fzn7PF>  


  
**Gopher Buddies**  
 Welcome to Gopher Buddies

  
**Olympians**  
 A Word of Life Ministry



**FIFTY1**

**Adult Class in Genesis 6:50-8:00 PM**

Register Online [bit.ly/3fzn7PF](https://bit.ly/3fzn7PF)

All children attending Word of Life must be registered online before attending club!

For more info about the WOL Clubs, please visit our website.


<https://www.mccoybaptist.org/>

Gopher Buddies: Age 4 – 6 {completely potty trained}

Olympians: Grades 1 – 6

Fifty1 (Jr. High): Grades 7 & 8

**Wednesday Night Class**  
 6:50 - 8:00 PM  
 Begins September 15



## Genesis: From Paradise to Prison

taught by Pastor Ray



### Would You Like an Up-To-Date Church Directory? Download the Realm Connect App!



If you have a smart phone or tablet and would like to have easy access to the church directory plus photos and more please download the following app for Apple or Android. You can also log in through a website on a computer.  
**Connect - Our Church Community by ACS Technologies Group, Inc.** <https://onrealm.org/mccoybaptist/>  
 The Realm Connect app has many great features such as online giving, private communication with your McCoy groups, registering for McCoy events, and best of all, easy access to our private directory. The Realm stays connected to our church database so any changes will be reflected in real time in the database.

**There is also a feature where photos can be added so this is also a photo directory. If you have \*High Quality\* photos you can add them yourself into the app or they can be e-mailed to the e-mail below.**

You will need a Realm account log in to proceed with the app or to access the info on the website. In order to get the log in you **MUST** contact Kristi Martin, MMBC secretary, by e-mail ([secretary@mccoybaptist.org](mailto:secretary@mccoybaptist.org)) & ask for a log in. I will then generate a personal Realm invite which will be sent to the e-mail address which we have on file for you. You will then receive an e-mail which will prompt you to set up your own private password. *This is a secure app and site only accessible for those who have given log-in information by the church office.*





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*Perfecting the saints for the work of ministry ...*

*McCoy Memorial Baptist Church is a community of believers existing to honor God by becoming fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ.*

*Therefore, as a church we purpose to:*

- ♦ Exalt the Living God (Psalm 95:1-3)
- ♦ Explore the Word of God (2 Timothy 2:15)
- ♦ Encourage the Family of God (Hebrews 10:25) and
- ♦ Extend the Love of God (Mark 16:15)

## Follow us on Social Media



On our website: <https://www.mccoybaptist.org/>



On Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/McCoyMemorialBaptistChurch/>

Follow us on



On YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzAvEYMLjyGBbOhfc7MitIA>

Sunday Morning Service: Find our livestream Sunday Morning at 9:30 AM on Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/McCoyMemorialBaptistChurch/>

Find Sunday school classes and other videos on our YouTube channel

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzAvEYMLjyGBbOhfc7MitIA>

You can also find videos along with teaching notes and much more on our website <https://www.mccoybaptist.org/>

Click on the link at the top for Sermon & Classes and click on the appropriate class link from the drop down.

## Book Review

.... from the church library



JOHN C. WHITCOMB  
Author of *The Early Earth*

the  
**WORLD** that  
**PERISHED**

3rd Edition Revised

An Introduction  
to Biblical  
Catastrophism

## "The World That Perished"

by John Whitcom

This book is a condensed, popular version of material in *The Genesis Flood* by Dr. John Whitcom and Dr. Henry Morris and is about 150 pages long. *The Genesis Flood* is a longer book of over 500 pages and records Dr. Morris explaining how the geologic record is best explained by a global flood. Dr. Whitcom then shows that the flood account in Genesis describes a fairly recent global flood. *The World That Perished* is a much shorter book that mostly deals with the biblical account of the flood as found in

Genesis. He mentions Dr. Morris's findings but is not technical.

His main point is the Genesis account is best understood as literal history, not allegory, poetry, etc. A related point is that the English translation is accurate, and it is a mistake to insert a gap or interpret the words for "day" as an age.

Dr. Whitcom has a doctorate from Princeton in ancient Semetic languages and taught Hebrew at Grace Seminary. He is well qualified to evaluate the English translation of Genesis. Dr. Henry Morris has a doctorate in Hydrology, worked for the US Geologic Survey, and taught the subject at Virginia Tech. He is also qualified to evaluate the geologic record.

This material is a major influence in starting the current Young Earth movement and influenced me by showing that C.I. Scofield's Gap theory is incorrect. *The World That Perished* is a good introduction to the subject.

(reviewed by Bruce Flora)