

WELCOME  
to the  
Mallory Church of God  
PO Box 63  
1990 Huff Creek Highway  
Mallory, WV 25634

June 25, 2017

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

\* VBS, July 17th–21st; 6:00-8:00 nightly.

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**“Don’t you know me...?”**  
~ John 14:9 NIV ~

### HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW JESUS?

A fascinating encounter took place between Jesus and Philip. When “Philip said, ‘Lord show us the Father’... Jesus answered: ‘Don’t you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time?’” (vv.8-9 NIV). There’s a lesson here for all of us. You can go to church regularly, serve on the board and sing in the choir, yet not really “know” the Lord. To truly know someone, you must spend time with them, sharing and opening your heart. In other words, the relationship must become top priority.

The book you’re holding is called a “devotional” because its aim is to bring you to the place where you’re more devoted to Christ than anything else. Does that mean neglecting other things? No, it will actually enhance every other area of your life.

The Bible says, “He made known His ways to Moses, his acts to the children of Israel” (Psalm 103:7 NKJV). Israel

knew God’s acts because they were *observers*, whereas Moses knew His way because he was *intimate* with Him. Israel saw what God did; Moses was close enough to understand His thinking and why He did what He did. Three times Jesus asked Peter, “Do you love Me?” (John 21:15 NKJV). The first two times Peter answered, “Yes.” The third time, frustrated by the question, he answered, “Lord, You know all things; You know that I love You” (v.17 NKJV). Note the words, “Lord, You know.” You can fool others, and even yourself, but the Lord knows the quality of your love for Him. Today His desire is to draw you closer to Himself. Are you available?

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If you are joining us for the first time, **we appreciate you choosing to worship with us.** We pray that you experience the presence of God in a special way.

### Opportunities to Worship

Sunday School

10:00 AM

Sunday Morning Worship

10:45 AM

Connect Kids Worship

10:45 AM

Wednesday Night

7:00 PM

Adult Bible Study

Connect Kids Ministries

Fearless Youth Service

