

WELCOME

to the

Mallory Church of God

PO Box 63

1990 Huff Creek Highway

Mallory, WV 25634

April 15, 2018

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

Youth Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

\* Senior’s meeting, Thursday night, at 6:00.

\* If you would like to be baptized next Sunday morning, please sign the list in the foyer.

\* Bro. Luke Luzier will be speaking for us next Sunday night, at 6:00. Corporate prayer will be at 5:00. We will have service in the sanctuary. Plan to be with us.

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**“Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us?”**

**~ Luke 24:32 NKJV ~**

KEEP THE FIRE BURNING

After the resurrection Jesus met two of His disciples who’d seen Him crucified and didn’t know He’d been raised from the dead. Then later as he ate supper with them at their house, an interesting thing happened: “Their eyes were opened...they knew Him...and they said to one another, ‘Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us on the road, and while he opened the Scriptures to us?’” (vv. 31-32 NKJV).

This story has much to teach us about keeping the fire of love and devotion to Christ burning in our hearts. As you walk with Jesus and spend time in His presence, he talks to you and reveals Himself through Scriptures.

We all know that to keep a fire burning you must tend it, stoke it, and keep fueling it. Why do some of us go on to higher heights and deeper depths in our walk with God, while others seem to go around in circles without getting anywhere? Because one group commits itself to pursuing God until His presence becomes a daily reality in their lives, while the other group doesn’t. It’s that simple. The question is, which group are *you* in? If you’re lukewarm and half-hearted in your walk with God, today He is saying to you, “Return to Me...and I will return to you” (Zechariah 1:3 NKJV). Or in layman’s terms: “Turn around and come back. You’ll find Me where you left Me.”

So, the word for you today is: Keep the fire burning.

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Scripture gives four names to Christians:

SAINTS for their holiness,

BELIEVERS for their faith,

BRETHREN for their love,

DISCIPLES for their knowledge.