Welcome to

Mountain Ridge Bible Chapel

A Fellowship of Believers United as One Body in Christ

-Proclaiming Jesus Christ to All-

Family Bible Hour February 12, 2017

Prelude

Hymn #12 • Praise Him! Praise Him!

Hymn #506 • I'd Rather Have Jesus

Missionary Moment

Announcements and Prayer

Hymn #21 • O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Special Music • Janet Cisero – "Draw Me Close"

Speaker • Tom Esehak – Philippians 3:1-14

Next week's Speaker & Passage: John Schetelich - Philippians 3:15-21

Thank you for coming to Mountain Ridge Bible Chapel. We hope you enjoy the service today and that you will return in the near future. Please join us downstairs next week at 10:35 for coffee. We very much enjoy your company.

Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God.
Romans 10:17

O come, Thou stricken Lamb of God!
Who shed'st for us Thine own life blood,
And teach us all Thy love: — then pain
In life were sweet, and death were gain.

Take Thou our hearts, and let them be
For ever closed to all but Thee;
Thy willing servants, let us wear
The seal of love for ever there.

How blest are they who still abide,
Close sheltered by Thy watchful side;
Who life and strength from Thee receive,
And with Thee move, and in Thee live.

Ah, Lord! Enlarge our scanty thought,
To know the wonders Thou hast wrought;
Unloose our stammering tongues to tell
Thy love, immense, unsearchable.

Firstborn of many brethren, Thou!
To whom both heaven and earth must bow;
Heirs of Thy shame and of Thy throne,
We bear Thy cross and seek Thy crown.

Philippians 3:12-14

Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected; but I press on, that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me. **13** Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, **14** I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

Looking Ahead

February 12th
50th Anniversary
Planning Meeting

February 17th
Jr/Sr High Talent Show

February 28th
Missionary Dinner
Jay Brown

Every adversity that comes across our path, whether large or small, is intended to help us grow in some way. If it were not beneficial, God would not allow it or send it, "For he does not willingly bring affliction or grief to the children of men." (Lamentations 3:33). God does not delight in our sufferings. He brings only that which is necessary, but He does not shrink from that which will help us grow.
Jerry Bridges

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You must submit to supreme suffering in order to discover the completion of joy.