

*Welcome to*  
**Mountain Ridge Bible Chapel**  
*A Fellowship of Believers United as One Body in Christ*  
*-Proclaiming Jesus Christ to All-*

**Family Bible Hour** July 9, 2017

- Prelude** • John Collette & Andy Tremper
- Hymn #731** • Onward Christian Soldiers
- Hymn #11** • Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

**Missioinary Moment**

*Announcements and Prayer*

- Hymn #480** • Only Trust Him
- Special Music** • Andy & Linda Tremper
- Speaker** • Dan Mearns

Next week's Speaker: Craig Fritchey

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

From every stormy wind that blows,  
 From every swelling tide of woes,  
 There is a calm, a sweet retreat;  
 'Tis found before the mercy-seat.

There is a place where mercy sheds  
 The oil of gladness on our heads;  
 A place than all beside more sweet —  
 It is the heavenly mercy-seat.

There is a place where souls unite,  
 And saint meets saint in heavenly light;  
 Though sundered far, by faith they meet  
 Before the common mercy-seat.

Ah! Whither could we flee for aid  
 When tempted, desolate, dismayed?  
 Or how the hosts of hell defeat,  
 Had suffering saints no mercy-seat?

Thither by faith we upward soar,  
 And time and sense seem all no more,  
 For freely God our souls can greet  
 Where glory crowns the mercy-seat.  
 Hugh Stowell

How perverted the creature who sins  
 against His Creator and then demands  
 and expects mercy from the just  
 consequences of such... How dare we  
 think that we should be allowed to  
 continue in the deceitful pleasures of  
 our sin and then expect mercy when the  
 despairing consequences result. We are  
 called to repent and obey, not expect  
 and demand that which we do not  
 deserve.  
 Bob LaForge

**Looking Ahead**  
 July 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> - VBS  
 Thursday Nights in Aug.  
 The Cove

**Exodus 25:17-22**

“You shall make a mercy seat of pure gold; two and a half cubits shall be its length and a cubit and a half its width. <sup>18</sup> And you shall make two cherubim of gold; of hammered work you shall make them at the two ends of the mercy seat. <sup>19</sup> Make one cherub at one end, and the other cherub at the other end; you shall make the cherubim at the two ends of it of one piece with the mercy seat. <sup>20</sup> And the cherubim shall stretch out their wings above, covering the mercy seat with their wings, and they shall face one another; the faces of the cherubim shall be toward the mercy seat. <sup>21</sup> You shall put the mercy seat on top of the ark, and in the ark you shall put the Testimony that I will give you. <sup>22</sup> And there I will meet with you, and I will speak with you from above the mercy seat, from between the two cherubim which are on the ark of the Testimony, about everything which I will give you in commandment to the children of Israel.

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**There is mercy for a sinner, but there is no mercy for the man  
 who will not own himself a sinner.**