

BBCUPDATE



Dr. Thomas M. Strouse

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH IN NASHUA, NH

the members of Bible Baptist Church in Nashua, NH for the reception and

induction of their new overseer, Pastor Jonathan Stockton along with his wife Amanda and three children. Certainly the Holy Ghost sets pastors in the Lord's assemblies, as Paul declared, saying, "Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood" (Acts 20:28).

Pastor Stockton had received his Master of Biblical Studies from Bible Baptist Theological Seminary and is currently in the MDiv program. We thank the Lord for this faithful family ministering in New England and look forward to great fellowship with Bible **Baptist** Church in Nashua, NH. The Lord Jesus Christ is in the midst of His churches (Rev. 1:11-13) working amongst the pastor/angel of each to correct the wayward and faithful brethren encourage the (Rev. 2:1-7). Pray for Pastor Stockton and the members of Bible Baptist Church of Nashua, NH.

ISRAEL TOUR



r. and Mrs. Thomas Strouse along with Dr. and Mrs. Scott Blair will travel with several others to Israel for a twelve-day tour of the Promised Land including Jerusalem. This will be their second trip in which they see the sites and discoveries of many biblical accounts, concluding with several days in Jerusalem, the greatest city in the Lord's estimation and the only city which will remain standing at the end of the coming seven-year Tribulation.

When Euroelydon Comes: Faith or Madness?

The Bible Baptist Theological Seminary 2022 Fall Lecture Series will be held on November 11, 2022 at Galilean Baptist Church in Stafford Springs, CT. The subject will be "When Euroclydon Comes: Faith or Madness?"

Session #1: "Paul's Prosperous Journey by Faith." Dr. Thomas M. Strouse will exegete Acts 27 and demonstrate how Paul, Luke, and Aristarchus faced great terror, fear, anxiety, and the disapproval of man with biblical fear of and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Sessions #2 and #3: "Madness: Biblical Primer on Mental Illness." Dr. M. Ryan Strouse.

- How should believers navigate the realities of mental illness and madness?
- How do you pull someone out of the pit of despair or walk them away from the paralysis of fear?
- Is mental illness just the result of a broken brain or chemical imbalance?

These are some of the questions that will be considered from a Biblical perspective at the Bible Baptist Theological Seminary Fall Lecture Series.

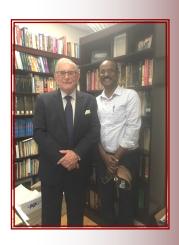
All mankind faces the consequence of living in a fallen world with a desperately wicked heart under the curse of Adam. Subsequently, the diverse spectrum of challenges in a fallen world can induce anxiety, depression, mania, and self-deception, which should be expected and considered normal unless deterred by Christ and His Word. Join us at the Bible Baptist Theological Seminary Fall Lecture Series featuring a Biblical Primer on Madness.

A delicious luncheon will be provided, so please RSVP to drtms bbts@juno.com with number attending by November 1, 2022



Left: Mr. Andrew Williams covered the Wednesday night service pulpit on October 5th while Pastor Strouse was ministering at Willow Grove Baptist Church.

Right: Simon Pullagura, a good friend of BBC stopped by the PM Service to greet the assembly. His sister Suj and brother-in -law Daniel and son Simon, Jr. had attended before their visa expired and went back to India.





Recently, our assembly was blessed to receive a charitable donation from a local donut shop of all their unsold donuts. After enjoying a time of fellowship and sugar, the almost 100 donuts were brought to a local shelter.





BBC/BBTS 2022 SCHEDULE

October 18-29

Strouse Israel Tour

November 5

Nelson Wedding

November 11

BBTS Fall Lecture Series Stafford Springs, CT "When Euroclydon Comes: Faith or Madness?"

Pastor Cas Reeves

THE LAMB OF GOD

"The next day John seeth Jesus coming unto him, and saith, Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world." John 1:29

ow excited John must have been when he saw Jesus and declared to all those present, "Behold the Lamb of God." It was the fulfillment of a long line of sacrifices, which pointed to the final sacrifice of the Son of God. This provision for deliverance through sacrifice was first hinted to after the

sin of Adam and Eve, when God slew animals to give them a covering for their nakedness with the "coats of skins" (Genesis 3:21). It was a picture of the divine provision that one day would make each man acceptable for God's presence. Also, it points each man to look forward to see how God would clothe each believer in the righteousness of Jesus Christ. "For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him" (2 Corinthians 5:21).

We sing an old hymn, "When I see the blood, I will pass over you." The hymn reminds us of the blood of Christ that is needed for the wrath of God to pass over us. It also points to the Israelite Passover. When they were in Egypt and the death angel passed over the first born of every house that had the blood applied to their doorposts. It is significant, as a picture of Christ's atonement for our sin; we note the qualities of the "lamb" from which the blood was to come. "Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male of the first year" (Exodus 12:5).

We look back and tremble that it was our sin which cause the death of the Lamb. Yet, we also rejoice that He willingly, of "his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed" (1 Peter 2:24).

he future of the Lamb is triumphal. The book of the Revelation is filled with accounts that describe His future. We learn that the Lamb, having been slain, is still alive (Rev.5:6). He is adored and proclaimed by multitudes of angels: "Saying with a loud voice, Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing" (Revelation 5:12). Great multitudes of men will worship the Lamb (Rev.7:9-10). The Lamb shall provide for and satisfy those who are saved (Rev.7:17). Believers will applaud their victory over Satan, which is "by the blood of the Lamb" (Rev.12:11). The marriage supper of the Lamb will take place (Rev.19:7-9). The Lamb will be the light of the new Jerusalem (Rev.21:23). Finally, the last reference to "the Lamb" in Scripture, places him in paradise, "And there shall be no more curse: but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him" (Revelation 22:3). Blessed be the Lamb of God! -CAR

QUOTES FROM THE PAST

"No person was ever honored for what he received. Honor has been the reward for what he gave."

CALVIN COOLIDGE (1872-1933) 30th President of the United States



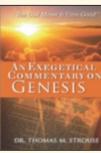
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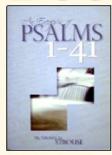
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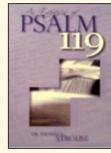
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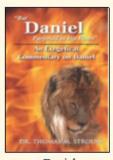
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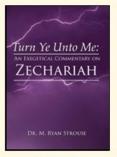
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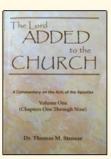
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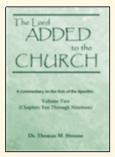
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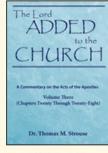
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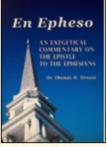
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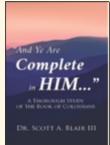
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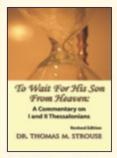
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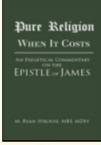
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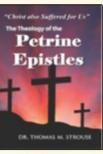
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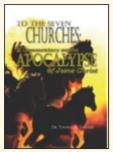
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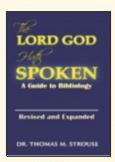
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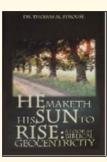
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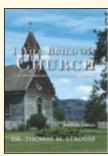
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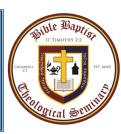


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