

**“...AND IN THE BREASTPLATE [OF THE HIGH
PRIEST] MOSES PUT THE URMIM AND THUMMIM
-- LEVITICUS 8:8**



Maverick Kover, of Bozeman, MT
along with Aiden Bolton and Joseph Baril, both of Billings, MT
having some good pal time
the men's Peaks, 2022
Delmoe Reservoir near Butte, MT

**“But let your statement be ‘Yes, yes,’ or
‘No, no’; and anything beyond these is
of evil.”**

Matthew 5:37

“Follow through in 2022!!”

August 7, 2022

Christ’s Church

Meeting at

30 Red Fox Lane — Bozeman

2902 17th St. S. — Great Falls

Holiday Inn Express — Butte

BOZEMAN - 8:45 - Joe Shanahan

9:00 am - classes

10:00 am - Assembly

St’dship - Tommy Widner

L.S. - Matthew Wilson

Preaching - Luke Wilson

L.D. EVENING 7:00 PM -

***DANIEL**

L.S. - Josiah Sutton

GREAT FALLS - 2:45 - Stan Zech

3:00 pm - classes

4:00 pm - Assembly

St’dship - Jared DuPaul

L.S. - Cody Kruck

Preaching - Jay Wilson

BUTTE - 7:30 pm - Classes

8:15 pm - Assembly

L.S. - George Stone

Preaching - Jay Wilson

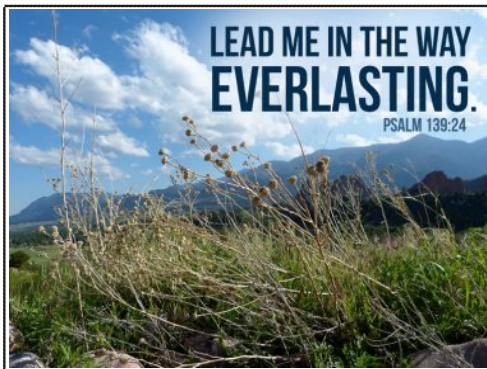
Bozeman

Aug. 13 – Young Adult Fellowship,

6:00 pm at Nick Jacobs’ residence
(More info, call Andrew)

Butte

Aug. 21 - Fellowship dinner 6:30 pm



BOZEMAN -

Wed. night, 7:00 pm:

Epistle of Titus

Phil Sutton

GREAT FALLS -

Wed. night, 7:00 pm:

Jay Wilson – “Sons of your Father”

Great Falls

Fellowship dinner following assembly
August 7

Backyard movie - Sat. Aug. 27 at Macklin residence 3117 1st Ave N, “Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobs”

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Family Camp - Sept. 2-5-Theme: “The Way”

Ladies’ Advance - April 13-15, 2023, Hampton Inn, Great Falls



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I Timothy 1:14

Question of the week:

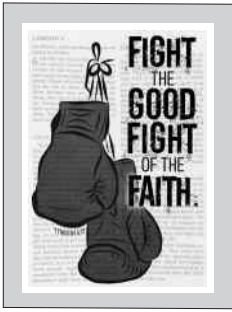
According to Paul, as he wrote to the Romans, what two things were to result from the that which “was written in earlier times”?

Last week’s question: What king in Jerusalem received a letter from Elijah the prophet saying that, because he had caused Judah to go deeper into idolatry and had killed his own brothers, he would be suffer a sickness that would cause his bowels to come out? *Answer: Jehoram, son of Jehoshaphat (2 Chronicles 21:8-20).*

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Bible School – 76
Morning Assembly – 105
Evening Assembly – 78

Wednesday Night (8/3) – 91
Butte Lord’s Day – 10
GF Lord’s Day – 764,81 Wed. - 50



The Epistles to the Evangelists

More on Demonic Forces

There are those who claim that Satan and his demons are not currently at work in the world! Such views are generally based on a constricted look at some things in Revelation chapter twenty, and fly in the face of statements such as Jesus made to Saul of Tarsus on the Damascus Road, saying that He was sending Paul to the Jews but especially to the Gentiles. Saul's mission would be "to open their eyes so that they may turn from darkness to light and from *the dominion of Satan* to God, in order that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who have been sanctified by faith in Me" (Acts 26:18). Satan hath no more dominion? No, the prince of darkness has continued to operate "with great wrath" throughout

the entire church age, holding everyone who commits sin in his grip, and only those who turn to the Lord (mostly Gentiles) are no longer "the nations deceived." These, of course, were the same forces at work when the apostle Paul described the development of the Apostasy, speaking of those who were "paying attention to deceitful spirits and doctrines of demons" (1 Timothy 4:2). What is the origin of Satan and his demons?

- **Origin of the devil**—All the heavenly host are created beings. In Psalm 148, for example, angels are listed among the first of those who were to praise the Almighty. This listing is followed by these words: "Let them praise the name of the Lord, for He commanded and they were *created*" (Psalm 148:5). But the angelic beings got to watch the Maker of all things bring into existence the material realm, as described in the book of Job (wherein angelic beings are called "sons of God"). "Where were you," God asked of Job, "when I laid the foundation of the earth?" "Where were you, He continued, "when the morning stars sang together and the sons of God shouted for joy?" (Job 38:4,7). The one who acquired the appellation "the devil" was one of those angelic beings before the physical creation. Examination of Isaiah 14:12-14 and Ezekiel 28:12-19 indicates that there was someone bigger than simply the king of Babylon and the king of Tyre, respectively, in view. Herein is painted a picture of a shining one (Lucifer, in the KJV), a "covering cherub" thus pictured as near the Throne, who was blameless "until unrighteousness was found" in him. His problem was that he "wanted to be like the Most High" and his "heart was lifted up" because of his beauty. The New Testament writings let us know that this creature who was cast down was the devil—the tempter—who desired to receive the worship reserved only for God (Matthew 4:8-11; Luke 4:5-8). [It is the writer's opinion, based on Luke and Matthew's order, that the devil offered the same temptation twice!] Hence he and the angels who followed him in the Rebellion were eventually cast out of heaven in connection with Jesus' resurrection from the dead: "God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into [Tartarus] and committed them to pits of darkness, reserved for judgment" (2 Peter 2:4). From those headquarters, Satanic forces operate in trying to move mankind away from God.
- **Angels and spirits** – Speaking of what might be called "good angels," the writer of Hebrews rhetorically queries, "Are they not all ministering *spirits*, sent out to render service for the sake of those who will inherit salvation" (Hebrews 1:14). It follows that "bad angels" are the *evil spirits* oft mentioned in the new covenant writings. *Demons* are another name for these *evil spirits*: The *unclean spirit* is the *demon* in the case of the man who was demon possessed (Luke 8:29), and the demons were cast into the hogs, who rushed into the Sea of Galilee.

The advice of Peter still stands. "Be on the alert," stated the apostle. "Your adversary, the devil, prowls about like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour" (1 Peter 5:8). Those following the first century church did not stay on the alert, the roaring lion got them, and the result was the apostasy!

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