

# Publishing Peace

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"Behold on the mountains the feet of him who brings good tidings, who proclaims peace!..." (Nahum 1:15)

## **Evening/Online Class Acts 1-14**

Monday evenings, 6:30-8:30 p.m., April 6-June 8, 2020.

The Subject: Acts 1-14.
The Teacher: Andy Robison

Availability: The class is open to all. It is not just for preachers, although the primary aim will be some

depth from which "tent-making" preachers may benefit.

Two Avenues: The class may be taken...

On-site: Classes will be held at the West Virginia School of Preaching facility in Moundsville,

WV.

On-line: Those who take it online will have a streaming link sent to them early in the day of the

class. They can then click on it to open access the class as it occurs. Those who might be busy at that time can later access the recorded class on the WVSOP YouTube chan-

nel with the same link.

A class syllabus and requirements will be sent after one signs up for the class.

To sign up for class, e-mail your name, address, phone number, and e-mail address to our Andy Robison at <a href="mailto:andyrobisonster@gmail.com">andyrobisonster@gmail.com</a>. (watch the spelling, please. R-O-B-I-S-O-N)

There is no charge for class. The West Virginia School of Preaching operates solely on donations from individuals and congregations of the church. Donations are welcome at any time.

A certificate of completion for the class will be issued upon completing the class with a satisfactory grade. As we build the evening/online program, a separate certificate will be provided for each class. These classes are different in nature, scope, and time, and therefore will not transfer to the full-time program.

Should a student ever enter our full-time program, this class will serve as a half-credit. If one also takes the online class (time TBA) on Acts 15-28, the two together will suffice for the Acts class credit. Call or e-mail Andy Robison any time with questions. 304-845-8001.

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The first online course for WVSOP was held October 2019-January 2020 on the book of Hebrews. We had fifty-four sign up for the class, many of which intended at the outset simply to audit it. We ended up with twenty completing it for credit.

### Graduation Ceremony June 12, 2020 6:00 p.m.

We invite you to join us Friday, June 12, 2020, for our annual graduation exercises. We have two candidates for June's graduation, **Collin Matheny** of Brooksville, PA, and **Joe Wilson**, of St. Marys, WV. Carlos Molina is also in the second year class, but started in the second quarter last year, and will have some time remaining in school.

We appreciate these men and their desire to preach the Gospel. It has been a joy to watch them grow. One can witness their progress in their speaking abilities as well as their knowledge base. We invite you to join us as we formally honor them for their work and send them out into the world to preach the saving Gospel.

# Honoring Lloyd and Janet Morgan

Prior to the graduation ceremonies, we will also honor **Lloyd and Janet Morgan** for their faithfulness in the Hillview Terrace church of Christ.

Lloyd and Janet, while their health was good, were very faithful in both attendance at services and work in the congregation. They are the parents of three children: Kathy Payne, Penny Crow, and Randy Morgan. They also happily fill the roles of grandparents and great-grandparents!

The dinner will begin at 6 p.m. This is a catered event, and we need a count so we can provide enough food.

Please RSVP by calling the school at 304-845-8001, or e-mailing secwysop@aol.com. We hope you can join us!

# West Virginia School of Preaching Future Preacher Training Camp

June 19-21, 2020



The **Future Preacher Training Camp** is an annual summer event held at the West Virginia School of Preaching designed to encourage younger men (ages 14-18) to become preachers of the Gospel.

Our faculty, alumni, and directors make a collective effort to offer instruction that will facilitate the growth of the campers and, subsequently, encourage them to take a leadership role.

Along with receiving sound exhortation from the Bible, attendees will be encouraged to memorize Scripture and aided in the development and delivery of a lesson of their own.

Campers may stay in the school dormitory while space is available, so apply now!

Information regarding application is available on our website at wvsop.com.

Donations help us survive and thrive:

They may be made by check or online at wvsop.com (SUPPORT button)

Thank you!

#### **WVSOP** News

West Virginia School of Preaching hosted its first online class during the second quarter of this year, completing a study in Hebrews. Twenty students completed the class for credit, with approximately thirty others auditing it. Information about the next class is on the front page of this newsletter.

Our five full-time students are working hard and growing. There are struggles, but those are always predecessors of growth. We appreciate them deeply. Please keep them in your prayers.

Steve Harr and I continue to travel and advertise the school. We had a booth at the Freed-Hardeman University Lectureships in the beginning of February. In March, we will be advertising at the Faulkner University Lectures, Challenge Youth Conference, and youth meetings at the North End and Lubeck congregations in the Parkersburg, WV, area, and also at a Creation vs. Evolution Seminar at Camden Avenue in that city.

Also, in the next three months, we have speaking appointments in various places in Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Illinois on behalf of the school.

If a representative of the school might come and speak to your congregation, we would love to do so! Just give us a call at 304-845-8001 or send me an e-mail at dirwvsop@aol.com. Also, Steve can be reached at recwvsop@aol.com.

West Virginia School of Preaching is the only school of its kind in the North, as far as we know. It is set in a beautiful region of the Ohio Valley rich with Restoration Movement History. Alexander Campbell's Bethany home is nearby.

Come visit us! We would love to see you.

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