

DEDICATION OF THE NEW BUILDING

2:30 P.M.

Organ Prelude Marion Hatton
Call to Worship Psalms 84:8-12. Roland Mulloy
Hymn of Praise "To God Be the Glory" 33
Invocation Prayer Berry Reynolds
Scripture Reading I Corinthians 3:9-23. Gary Asbury
Welcoming & Gratitude to Workers Pastor
Special Music
Message Bro. Bob Hopkins

ACT OF DEDICATION:

PASTOR: Fellow Christians and laborers, we are assembled here in the name of our Lord who has blessed the work of our hands in the raising of this building as a house of worship. Since it has pleased the Lord to bless His people in the building of this house for use in His service, let us now dedicate it to the honor of His Holy Name.

PASTOR: How amiable are thy tabernacles, Oh Lord of Host! Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain who build it.

CHURCH: Bless the Lord, Oh my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name. To the glory of God the Father, who has called us by His grace; God the Son, who loved us and gave Himself for us; God the Holy Spirit, who illumines and strengthens us.

To the, Oh Lord, we dedicate this house;

PASTOR: Having been prospered by the good hand of the Lord our God, and being ever mindful of our duty as stewards of the talents that He has entrusted to us.

CHURCH: With joyous and grateful hearts we consecrate this house of our God, who has loved us, and has blessed us, and led us thus far in the completion of our cherished task.

PASTOR: In the unity of the faith, in the bond of Christian brotherhood, in love and good will to all.

CHURCH: We dedicate this house;

PASTOR: In gratitude for the labors of all who love and serve this church, in loving remembrance of all those who have finished their labors, in hope of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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PASTOR: Believing in God our Father, in whom we live and move and have our being, from whom cometh every good and perfect gift.

CHURCH: We dedicate this house to His worship, and to the preaching of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

PASTOR: Knowing that there is none other named under heaven, given among men, whereby we must be saved.

CHURCH: We dedicate this church to evangelism, to the bringing of the saving knowledge of our Lord and Master to the unconverted.

PASTOR: In obedience to the command that has been given to us to go into all the world and make disciples of all nations.

CHURCH: We dedicate this house to the worldwide program of the church, until all kingdoms of the world become the kingdom of our Lord and His Christ.

PASTOR: Realizing the obligation to bring up our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.

CHURCH: We dedicate this church to the purpose of Christian education, that the boys and girls of this and coming generations may here study God's Word, make confession of Christ, and be led into paths of purity and usefulness.

PASTOR: In accordance with the commandment of Christ that we love our neighbors as ourselves.

CHURCH: We dedicate this building to the service of Christian fellowship.

PASTOR: And unto thee, our God, we, the people of this church and congregation and all those who are here met with us, do

PASTOR & CHURCH: Dedicate ourselves anew, beseeching thee that thou will not leave us nor forsake us; that thou wilt incline our hearts unto thee, to walk in thy truth, and to keep thy commandments all the days of our lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication Clarence Mayes