

# Historic White Marsh Church

October 16, 2022

Prelude Marjorie Lampkin - Pianist

**Hymn ~ 779 I'll Fly Away**

Welcome and Announcements

**Hymn ~ 208 Let the Redeemed**

Scripture Reading: Acts 6:8-15

Prayer

**Hymn ~ 730 Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus**

Sermon

**Hymn ~ 343 Amazing Grace**

Benediction & Postlude

**Cleaning Ministry:** Sign up on the back table to clean for a month or more. You may create a cleaning team to work together.

**Tithes & Offerings** Please use the wooden offering box or mail your offering to: PO Box 24, Lancaster, VA 22503. Thank you!

*Historic White Marsh Church is an independent, Bible believing, teaching, and Christ-loving Bible Church. We are made up of Christians from diverse backgrounds, who are going to the same place (heaven) because of Jesus Christ our Savior.*

**Membership:** If you are interested in becoming a member of Historic White Marsh Church, please talk to Rev. Wes Hall.

**Shoebox Ministry:** Need: crayons/markers/color pencils, toothbrushes/ soap  
Packing time at 2:00 on this Thursday.

**Shoe Box Packing and Pizza Party: November 6 - after worship**

**Shoe Box Sunday: November 13** God's shoe box missionaries leave White Marsh!

**Big News:** Tim & family will be leaving the USA on October 25! Praise God!

## EXPERIENCE THE POWER AND GRACE OF GOD

Stephen was an example of "a man full of God's grace and power"

Acts 6:8-15

**GOD CAN GIVE YOU THE POWER AND GRACE YOU NEED FOR MINISTRY. V. 8**

Stephen was living for Christ and his ministry was being powerfully blessed by God.

**GOD CAN GIVE YOU WORDS OF WISDOM. V. 9-10**

When you defend the faith, God will help you.

The Holy Spirit helped Stephen share the truth with wisdom and spiritual power, and his adversaries could not cope with it.

**GOD CAN GIVE YOU CONFIDENCE THAT HE IS FOR YOU even when people are against you. V. 11-14**

In spite of Stephen's righteous testimony, men spoke against him and lied about him. They even arrested him and put him on trial as if he were a criminal. "If God be for us, who can be against us?" Rom. 8:31

**GOD CAN GIVE YOU EXTRAORDINARY PEACE IN EXTREME CIRCUMSTANCES. V. 12-15**

God gave Stephen an extraordinary, angelic appearance.

**Do you have the power and grace of God on your life?**

Wes Hall

**Study Questions on Acts 6:8-15**

1. What was Stephen chosen to do in 7:1-7?
2. What great things did God do through Stephen? v. 8
3. What kind of opposition did Stephen experience? v. 9
4. Why was Stephen able to prevail over those who disputed with him? How can you do well when others argue against your faith?
5. How did those who opposed Stephen try to get rid of him? v. 11-14
6. How did the appearance of Stephen give evidence of his innocence and godliness? Why did Stephen have such an appearance?
7. What do you learn about God from this Scripture?
8. What do you learn about man?
9. What should your response be to this Scripture?

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Sunday Worship: 11:00 AM Thursday Bible Study: 6:00 PM