



Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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"The churches of Christ salute you" Rom. 16:16

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS

JULY 14, 2013

"Preach The Word"

Saturday was the graduation ceremony for John and Ann Dupree. They have been at Warners Chapel for two years. Both of them have attended classes and studied. John has preached in Galax, Greensboro, Clemmons and other places. He has taught classes and studied the gospel with others. Ann has been his support and help in many situations.

They are embarking on a new phase of their life and it will be laboring in the vineyard for the Lord. It takes dedication, determination and desire to be a faithful gospel preacher and the good and faithful wife who supports her husband in the work

As a congregation you have helped John and Ann to make that transition. Your support, encouragement and prayers have contributed to them finishing this phase of their work. You have had a hand in helping someone who greatly desires to do so to preach the word.

The staff, faculty and eldership are grateful for your love of supporting this work. It is one way in which we, as God's people can preach the word.

Frank W. Shepard
Dean of Students, NCSBS

ELDERS CORNER:

Nicaragua Mission – Part 3

One of the greatest blessings for me is being a part of the evangelism team. I get to go out each day, see the community we are working in, meet so many different people, and share the gospel of Jesus Christ with them. I'm so impressed with the caliber of the Nicaraguan preachers (and the evangelism translators – they are also members of the church) and their extensive knowledge of the scriptures. It doesn't seem to matter what situation we find ourselves in, they know the exact book, chapter and verse to go to in order to address it. There were 151 bible studies throughout the week and from those studies there were 8 baptisms and 4 restorations. One morning, our entire focus was visiting the unfaithful members from the El Rama congregation. The remainder of our time was spent methodically going home to home on every street in El Rama from the river to the top of the mountain. I wish I knew how many miles I walked.

Almost everyone that you approached was willing to study for a few minutes to 2 hours. It didn't matter if they were a devout Catholic they still wanted to hear what you had to say. In the end their response may still be "I'm Catholic and will die a Catholic" but at least they heard the truth. What's fascinating is that in every study I participated in like that, they understood the difference in their religion and the Lord's church and knew that what we were saying was straight from the Bible and the truth, but it was simply too difficult for them to give up the religion of their life.

We ran into the typical gamut of religions, Catholic was the most prominent but there were those from the Church of God of Prophecy, Pentecostal, Jehovah Witness, and even a Mennonite. I didn't realize that there were Mennonites in Nicaragua but I was told there is a fairly large population in Bluefields which is a two-hour boat ride from El Rama.

I was greatly encouraged with one young lady that we studied with. She had two small children in diapers but she wrote down every single scripture that we used. She said she wanted to study for herself. There were at least 2 or 3 bible studies with her and I saw her and her babies at least one night of the gospel meeting.

Hopefully the seeds sown will produce some fruit eventually. In another study on the mountain top, a woman wanted to be baptized. She had just had a baby 18 days prior and she was a little concerned that being baptized in the Rio Escondido might cause an infection but she said it was worth the risk. I witnessed my first "river baptism" and it truly was a sight to behold as she sank beneath the muddy waters and rose up a new sister in Christ.

Please pray for her and our 7 other new brothers and sisters in Christ that they will continue to remain faithful in the face of adversity. Pray also for the many we studied with who chose not to obey the gospel. May they eventually come to a fuller realization of the truth.

John 3:23 - Now John also was baptizing in Aenon near Salim, because there was much water there. And they came and were baptized.

Acts 8:35-38 – ³⁵ Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning at this Scripture, preached Jesus to him. ³⁶ Now as they went down the road, they came to some water. And the eunuch said, "See, *here is* water. What hinders me from being baptized?" ³⁷ Then Philip said, "If you believe with all your heart, you may." And he answered and said, "I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God." ³⁸ So he commanded the chariot to stand still. And both Philip and the eunuch went down into the water, and he baptized him.

Todd

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2013

July 15 - Acts 19:21-41
July 16 - Acts 20:1-16
July 17 - Acts 20:17-38
July 18 - Acts 21:1-17



July 19 - Acts 21:18-40
July 20 - Acts 22
July 21 - Acts 23:1-15

OUR SICK PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Jean Rose will begin chemotherapy this coming Monday. Tests recently made revealed the cancer has not spread to other parts of her body. Please keep her in your prayers as she enters into the battle with this disease.

Bob Hoots has been released from the hospital. He is recovering from the pneumonia pretty well but he is still quite weak from the illness. He was moved to Bermuda Commons Nursing Center in Advance on Friday for rehab. The family appreciates everyone's thoughts and prayers!

Peggy Gough, a past member at Warners Chapel, underwent cardiac surgery on July 10th. Word has been received that she came through the surgery well and is presently in ICU.

Mark Clemmons had his wisdom teeth removed this past Wednesday. He is at home in recovery and is doing well.

Mindy Santiago is suffering from a sprained ankle at this time.

Ellen Wingo's father was admitted to the hospital this past Wednesday. He has a bacterial infection in his blood.

Roger Allen's father, **James Allen**, is having complications with his leukemia and is currently awaiting a new series of chemotherapy.

Clayton Workman's grandmother, **Norma Grisham**, has been released from the hospital but returned Thursday to determine if there are any further treatment options available to her.

Catherine Cravy has requested prayers for her manager's son, **Spencer Adams**. He is twenty-three years old and is having major complications with MS. He lives in Texas.

Please continue to remember little **Sophie Zuluaga**. She is a second grader at the Lewisville Elementary School who is in a lengthy battle with cancer.

We were saddened to learn that Lutrelle Chipman's roommate, **Betty Shaw**, had recently passed away.



The **Prayer List** is available on the credenza in the foyer.

Welcome

WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE YOU VISITING WITH US THIS MORNING. WE INVITE YOU TO RETURN THIS EVENING AT 6:00 P.M. FOR THE SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE AND AT 7:00 P.M. EACH WEDNESDAY EVENING FOR THE MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO A "COVERED DISH" FELLOWSHIP MEAL IN THE ANNEX FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE. THE MEAL THIS MORNING IS SPONSORED BY ZONE 2.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

July 7 - Deacons Meeting at 5 p.m. in Annex.

July 9 - TEEN DEVO at 7 p.m.

Carolina Bible Camp Awards - 4th Week

Trent Thomas	- Mr. CBC
Nancy Cooper	- Miss CBC
Robbie Santiago	- Director's Award
Olivia Clemmons &	
Nathan Roy	- Service Award

Chris Dezern was also recognized at CBC for his service there.

TEACHERS NEEDED!!!

I am in need of teachers for the 2-3 year old class for both Wednesday night and Sunday morning. Please see me if you are willing to help.

Jason Allen

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - July 7, 2013	145
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	183
Contribution for July 7, 2013	\$5,437
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	35
Chapters Read:	740
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	133
Wednesday Evening: July 10, 2013	110

Lord's Day Appointments - July 21, 2013

DEVOTIONS:		OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READERS
Scripture	- Robbie Santiago	Morning - Jack Piper	A.M. - Tim Allen	A.M. - Robbie Santiago
Song Leader	- Tommy Rose	Evening - Jason Allen	P.M. - Steve Tesh	P.M. - Randy Warner
Prayer	- Jack Piper		Wed. - Roger Allen	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):		NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	Greeters: <u>July</u>	FELLOWSHIP MEAL:
Morning	- Abbie Little	Morning - Gina Strickland	Mark & Nancy Minor	<i>Zone 3</i>
Evening	- Robin Hauser	Evening - Linda Flinchum		

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - July 21

Wednesday: - July 24

Lord's Day Appointments - July 14, 2013

Devotions:	Opening Prayer	a.m. - Jody Everett	Scripture Reader	a.m. - Jake Thomason
Scripture: Shawn Thomason		p.m. - Gene Ruark		p.m. - Keith Warner
Song: Tim Allen	Song Leaders:	a.m. - Gene Southern	Nursery #1:	a.m. - Meredith Southern
Prayer: Jack Piper		p.m. - Clayton Workman		p.m. - Jeannie Moore
		Wed. - Tim Allen	Nursery #2:	a.m. - Debbie Southern
				p.m. - Gina Harper

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES - *Nursery open for small children during all services.*

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes	10:00 AM
Morning Worship	10:50 AM
Evening Worship	6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Service 7:00 PM

“GETTING TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE” at 10:30 p.m. each week night on Cable 8
SEARCH PROGRAM - Sunday Mornings at 7:30 a.m. on Cable 68

WARNERS CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST
8999 LASATER ROAD

ELDERS

David Moore
Tim Allen
Joe Everett
Todd Hinson
Steve Tesh

DEACONS

Randy Warner
Tommy Rose
Keith Warner
Andy Santiago
Mark Minor
Jason Allen
Mike Cooper
Jody Everett
Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason