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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

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THE CHURCH: GOD'S LOVE BESTOWED

When Adam and Eve sinned in the Garden of Eden, God began to lay the ground work with man for his redemption from sin. As God distributed the punishment out to Satan, Eve and Adam the promise of a Savior is made. (Genesis 3:15) This is an often repeated promise. Added clarity is given as we approach the establishment of the church in the New Testament. (cf. Genesis 12:1-3; Isaiah 2:1-4; Daniel 2: 36-45)

After the death of John and shortly before his own death, Jesus said, "Upon this rock (the fact that He was the Son of God) I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. (Matthew 16:18) On the first Pentecost after Jesus' resurrection Peter told the Jews in Jerusalem that they must "repent and be baptized for the remission of sins" (Acts 2:38). Three thousand people were baptized (Acts 2:41) and the Lord added them to the church (Acts 2:47). For the first time since Adam sinned in the Garden of Eden man was free from the penalty of sin.

Paul told the elders from Ephesus that "he hath purchased (the church of God) with his own blood." (Acts 20:28) To the Ephesians Paul said, "Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it." (Ephesians 5:25) John 3:16 tells us that "God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Now please understand. God loved us and gave his Son, so that, we could have everlasting life. Christ loved the church and gave himself for it. When penitent sinners are baptized for the remission of sins, God adds the saved to the church. Thus, we should be able to see that God love for lost man finds its fulfillment in the church.

No greater demonstration of God's love can be found than the church. Of all the miracles performed none could compare with the great gift that God has given us to be able to be a part of the body of Christ.

Paul

Elders Corner:

2008 Medical/Evangelism Campaign

Between June 6th and June 14th, 2008, Anna Carothers, Sarah Tesh, Ingrid Mock, Jeannie Moore, and David Moore will be participating in a medical/evangelism campaign in San Juan, Nicaragua. This will be Anna and Sarah's first, Ingrid's third, and David and Jeannie's eleventh mission trip to Nicaragua or Panama.

Each individual initially contributed \$200.00 toward their personal expenses in conjunction with their application to participate in the 2008 campaign. \$1,000.00 per participant will also be contributed from the church treasury toward their personal expenses. The total estimated personal expense is approximately \$1,500.00 will need to be contributed by the participants themselves or non-participants. Any donations above the \$1,500.00 total required for participant expenses will be used for benevolence [food, clothing, medicine, etc.] and evangelism [Bibles, church bldg. repairs, etc.].

In addition to the professional looking dresses our ladies are making for the young girls, we are requesting donations of tee shirts, shorts, and caps for the young boys along with hard candy and small toys for the children in general. As with any mission effort, there are those who go and those who send. You may not be able to go, but you can participate in this mission effort through your donations of money, clothing, toys, and candy.

On behalf of the participants, I would like to thank the congregation in advance for what I am confident will be another generous contribution from our members. For all that we will be able to accomplish, it is our desire to give God the glory. It's not too early to begin praying for the success of the campaign and the safety of the campaigners.

—David Moore

Read the New Testament in the Year 2008

April 14 - Luke 12:32-59
April 15 - Luke 13:1-22
April 16 - Luke 13:23-35
April 17 - Luke 14:1-24



April 18 - Luke 14:25-35
April 19 - Luke 15:1-10
April 20 - Luke 15:11-32



Rick Clemmons underwent outpatient surgery this past Wednesday and is at home in recovery.

Ernestine Martin is now at home recovering from her recent surgery.

Dot Reeves remains in the Clemmons Nursing and Rehab Center, Room 316.

It was also reported that **Ann Riddle** has been ill.



Tim Stanley (friend of the Cooper family), **Barry Sheets**, Keri Woodbury's uncle, **Bahnson & Nellie Kathryn Dorse**, **Don Jackson**, **Mary Rackley**, **Meredith Everett**, **Elwood Flinchum**, **Kelly Haynes** (Karen Clemmons' cousin), **Michael Koerth** (Rick Clemmons' uncle), **Sonia Vizcaino's** mother, **Stella Ybarra** (Jennifer Robinson's grandmother, **Darrell Hauser**, **Cindy Byrd** (Joe Byrd's mother), **Gladys Bobbitt** (Emily Workman's Grandmother), **Lois Watkins**, **Libby Bryant** (Lorie Rose's friend's mother) **Ed Matthews** (Carolyn Minor's cousin) **Ronnie Seats** (Kenny Brown's stepfather) **Ray Wood**, **Jim and Gladys Harper**, **Nita Kirkland** (Ellen Wingo's mother), **Jim Warner**, **Elmer Laudenslager**, **Dot Reeves**, **Johnsie Moser**, **Nelle Harper**, **Nora Holder**, **Hilda Hauser**, **Earl Knost**, **Sonja Meals**.

Also:

** the leaders of our country and all those who serve.*

NCSBS CLASSES

A sign-up sheet has been posted for the new classes being offered to anyone wishing to attend the North Carolina School of Biblical Studies.

Christian Home and Bible School

If you are bringing in labels for the school, please be advised that the requirements have changed in what part of the label is needed. Because of this change, please bring in the whole label and Nancy Warner will cut out the required section and mail it in to the school.



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 REMAIN FOR A "COVERED DISH" FELLOWSHIP MEAL TO BE HELD IN THE ANNEX FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE. THE MEAL IS PROVIDED THIS MORNING BY ZONE 2.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

- ~April 13 - Senior Rally Meeting following morning worship service.
- ~April 15 - Sewing for Nicaragua - 9 a.m.
- ~April 15 - Youth Devotional.
- ~April 21 - Preachers/Leaders Mtg. following morning worship service.
- ~May 17-18 - Senior Rally - see bulletin board for details.

AREA EVENTS

- ~May 3 - Rutherford church of Christ 3rd Annual Lectureship See bulletin board for further information regarding the above listed area events.

Senior Banquet

- ~April 26 - Senior Banquet at Linville Forest. Sign-up sheet and information on bulletin board.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday - April 6, 2008

Sunday Bible Study	137
Sunday Morning Worship	189
Contribution for April 6, 2008	\$6,431
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	23
Chapters Read:	663
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	5
Sunday Evening	134
Wed. Evening Bible Study 4-8-08	120

LORD'S DAY ASSIGNMENTS - APRIL 20, 2008

DEVOTIONS:		OPENING PRAYER:		SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READERS:
Scripture	Brad Hoots	Morning	D. C. Mock	A.M. - Clayton Workman	A.M. -Mark Minor
Song Leader	Tommy Rose	Evening	Rodney Brown	P.M. - Tim Allen	P.M. -Bill Carothers
Prayer	Andy Santiago			Wed. - Sherrill Stewart	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):		NURSERY (2 1/2-4):		TAPE MONITOR:	FELLOWSHIP MEAL:
Morning	Abby Little	Morning	Mary Anne Allen	Justin Minor	<i>Zone 2</i>
Evening	Marie Harper	Evening	Jeannie Moore		

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday	- April 20	Andy	Santiago
Wednesday	- April 23	Andy	Santiago



BIRTHDAYS - April 14-20, 2008

<i>Eva Everett</i>	<i>- April 16</i>	<i>Neal Harper</i>	<i>- April 17</i>
<i>Kim Matthews</i>	<i>- April 17</i>	<i>Carolyn Minor</i>	<i>- April 17</i>

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:

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

WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Service 7:00 PM

- *Nursery open for small children during all services.*

SEARCH PROGRAM - Sunday Mornings at 7:30 a.m. on Cable 68

Warners Chapel Website: <http://www.warnerschapelchurchofchrist.org>.

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ELDERS

Steve Martin
David Moore
Tim Allen
Joe Everett

DEACONS

Steve Tesh
Randy Warner
Tommy Rose
Keith Warner

Andy Santiago
Mark Minor
Todd Hinson