

# Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

August 7, 2011

# "Remember Whose Children You Really Are"

When I walk away from the mirror of God's word (James 1:23-24), sometimes I forget who I am supposed to be. I think about the negative things people have said in the past, or even the recent past. I start thinking in that downward spiral of negativity that tells me, "God doesn't care about you. He certainly doesn't want to hear your prayers. After all, weren't you just guilty of a personal sin today? Does God really want to hear your prayer? How can you believe that He would answer your prayer?"

Don't let the devil take away your prayer-life. Go back to that "mirror of the soul" and find these words: "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (I John 1:9) "And whatever things you ask in prayer, believing you will receive." (Matthew 21:22) "Until now you have asked nothing in My name. Ask and you will receive that your joy may be full." (John 16:24) "And whatever we ask we receive from Him, because we keep his commandments, and do those things that are pleasing in His sight." (I John 3:22)

These spiritual blessings are found only in Christ and are available only to those who have obeyed the gospel. When we consider our congregation, we need to remember that the words we've read about prayer apply to us. The larger majority of the saints here, believe in living the right kind of life and praying and doing for those who are in need of their prayers and deeds. This congregation's living and prayers have had an impact on our lives that Jane and I will never forget. Not just because of the generosity but also because you have helped to increase our faith. It is the kind of thing that presents to others, real evidence that God is who He says He is, and the Bible is indeed His truth. May God continue to bless the saints here as they continue to see themselves and remember whose children we really are.

# **ELDERS CORNER:**

# Prayer List

According to James 5:16, the effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man [and woman] avails much. Therefore, it is important that we maintain a prayer list for the congregation's use. However, we don't have a good way of knowing when to remove names from the list. As a result, the elders have decided to start a new list at the beginning of each quarter. For example, the next new prayer list will be published Sunday, October 2, 2011, and the second new list will be published Sunday, January 2, 2012. Additions to the list will be received as they have in the past.

# Some of the Things All of Us Can Do To Build A Stronger Congregation

- De regular in our attendance
- Welcome our visitors and invite them to come back and study with us again.
- Participate fully in worship.
- ♦ Give as the Lord has prospered us.
- ♦ Visit the sick, shut-ins, and others who need a visit.
- Read and study our Bibles.
- Live faithfully.
- Encourage one another.
- Pray regularly.

### **READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2011**

August 8 - Romans 9:16-33

August 9 - Romans 10

August 10 - Romans 11:1-18

August 11 - Romans 11:19-36



August 12 - Romans 12

August 13 - Romans 13

August 14 - Romans 14

# OUR SICK Please Remember In Your Prayers

**Paul Kirkpatrick** continues to make progress in his recovery from surgery.

Please continue to remember **Mike Edwards**, **LaDonna and Dakota** in your prayers. Their address is: 1294 Fraser Road, Sparta, NC 28675.

Please continue to pray for **Hayward Dodd**, a friend of Brian & Tammy Downs. Cancer has been found in another part of his body.



An up-dated copy of the prayer list may be picked up on the credenza in the foyer.

# PLEASE CHECK TO SEE IF THERE ARE ANY THAT NEED TO BE REMOVED FROM THIS LIST AND LET US KNOW.

### New Arrival

**Drew and Amber Parker** are the proud parents of a baby girl, Natalie - born Saturday, July 30 @10:00 PM. Natalie was 8 lbs and 20 inches long. Everyone is doing well. - **Carmen Parker** 

# **School Supplies Drive August 7-21**

There will be a box placed in the foyer for anyone who wishes to donate school supplies for the <u>Petree Elementary School</u> (an inner city school that does not have a great deal of money in their budget for school supplies). If you have any questions, please see Nancy Cooper.

# A note from the elders at Rainbow church of Christ in Gadsden, AL....

"On behalf of Rainbow church of Christ, I would like to thank you for your generous gift of \$8,920. Your commitment to helping the tornado victims in our area is sincerely appreciated."

# **Teachers Needed**

Nursery - Teacher & Assistant

4-5th Grade - Assistant

6-8th Grade - Teacher & Assistant

If you can help, please see Todd Hinson.

# 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 REMAIN FOR A "COVERED DISH" FELLOWSHIP MEAL SPONSORED ZONE 1.

### **Warners Chapel Events:**

**Aug. 9 - Adult Bible Study** in Annex at 7 p.m.

**Aug. 14 - Bundling of House to House in Annex** following evening worship services.

Sept. 9-11 - Youth Lectureship

### **Area Events:**

August 20 - Carolina Bible Camp 20th Anniversary Super Saturday Celebration (information located on bulletin board)

# **Carolina Bible Camp Awards**

Holly Hauser - Senior Director Award Joshua Singh - Junior Director Award Surendra Singh - Rookie Award

**Sunday Evening** 

Wednesday Evening - August 3, 2011

# FOR THE RECORD Sunday Bible Study - July 31, 2011 174 Sunday Morning Worship Service 215 Contribution for July 31, 2011 \$15,411 Daily Adult Bible Readers 41 Chapters Read: 885 Daily Children Bible Readers: Chapters Read:

137

155

# Lord's Day Appointments - August 14, 2011

**DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER:**  SONG LEADER

SCRIPTURE READER

Scripture - Homer Holland **Morning** - Jim Harrison

A.M. - Gene Southern

A.M. - Brad Hoots

Song Leader - Joe Everett

**Evening** - Randy Warner

P.M. - Wayne Allen

P.M. - Gene Ruark

- Tommy Ridings Praver

Wed. - Steve Tesh

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):

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**Greeters: August:** 

FELLOWSHIP MEAL:

Morning -

Rhonda Hardister Evening -Jean Rose

**Morning** - Jessica Lay Evening - Nancy Minor Brian & Tammy Downs

Zone 2

**Opening and Closing Building** 

- Aug. 14 **Sunday:** 

Mark Roy

Wednesday - Aug. 17

Rick Clemmons

\*Serving this Week: August 7, 2011

**Devotions:** 

Opening Prayer: a.m. - Todd Hinson

Nursery #1: a.m. - Abbie Little

Scripture: Randy Warner

Jason Cravy

Frank Shepard

p.m. - Chris Jackson

p.m. - Robin Hauser

Song:

**Song Leaders:** 

a.m. - Steve Tesh

Nursery #2: a.m. - Sandy Warner

Praver:

p.m. - Don Minor

p.m. - Gina Harper

Wed. - Tim Allen

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

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes Morning Worship 10:00 AM 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 Clemmons, NC 27012

DEACONS

Steve Martin David Moore Tim Allen Joe Everett **Todd Hinson** Steve Tesh

**ELDERS** 

Randy Warner Tommy Rose Keith Warner Andy Santiago Mark Minor

Jason Allen Mike Cooper Jody Everett Gene Southern Shawn Thomason