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

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS

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Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is just two weeks away and we need your help. Last year the Elders and I sat down and discussed plans for a one-day Vacation Bible School. I have conducted these Super Saturday Vacation Bible Schools in other places that I have been.

The first idea one needs to address is "What age groups will be involved?" The suggestion was made and was adopted that we start with ages pre-school through sixth grade. Knowing this one can then determine how one wants to split the age group. Being that our theme for 2013 is "The Journeys Of Paul," the number of groups will be "four." These groups will be learning the journeys of Paul in independent classes or "learning centers." Each group will rotate through the learning centers from 9:10am through 11:00am when we will again meet in the auditorium for a couple of songs and will again be escorted to the next rotation. The predetermined four groups will be combined into two groups and will rotate between Games and Crafts from 11:10 to 11:55. Lunch will follow at noon and the award for the one who brought the most will be presented.

Now hopefully that gives the reader an idea for the plan for the day. I said that we need your help. Last year we had only 19 youth participating. The best way for that number to increase is if you invite and bring your neighbors children. This is a church effort. The Elders want Vacation Bible School to continue but we need your help ensuring that it will be successful. I am asking for your help.

Paul

ELDERS CORNER:

WHY DOESN'T GOD HEAR MY PRAYERS?

What is your understanding about prayer? Some see it as nothing more than asking God for what they want. They ask and God gives, it's as simple as that. If and when God doesn't respond, they give up on prayer. "It doesn't work," they say, "so what's the use in praying?"

To Jesus the meaning of prayer was not that God would give him whatever he asked. This is evident from the prayer which he prayed in the garden of Gethsemane.

Removing himself from the disciples, with a soul sorrowful, even to death. Jesus fell on his face and prayed, "My Father, if it be possible let this cup pass from me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt" (Matt. 26:39).

Needless to say, the cup of suffering was not removed. It couldn't be if God were to accomplish His plan. And in every circumstances, Jesus wanted God's will to be done. The petition for his own welfare was superseded by his overriding concern to do what God wanted him to do.

Prayer, we think, is a way of getting God to do our will. Jesus saw it differently. He poured out his concerns, but accepted the will of God. Nor did Jesus complain that God didn't hear his petition, or that God didn't care.

Selfishness, rather than submission, is often a hallmark of our praying. That's why, as Cleon Lyles used to say, "Our prayers don't have any suction."

James reminds us, "You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passion" (James 4:3).

The searching condition put on all our prayers is that they must be in Christ's name (John 14:13, 14). All prayers uttered in accordance with divine will are answered. Remember that the words, "Ask, and it will be given you" (Matt. 7:7), follow the verse which says, "seek first his kingdom and his righteousness (Matt. 6:33).

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READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2013

June 10 - John 19:1-22
June 11 - John 19:23-42
June 12 - John 20
June 13 - John 21



June 14 - Acts 1
June 15 - Acts 2:1-21
June 16 - Acts 2:22-47

OUR SICK PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please add **Jean Rose** to your prayer list. She is experiencing some very serious health issues at this time.

Elmer Laudenslager underwent surgery on June 4th to clean and graft skin on the bottom of his foot. He received encouraging words from the Dr. on Friday morning and could possibly be released the first of the week. Elmer wishes to thank everyone for their prayers, visits and cards he received during this time of health problems.

Mary Anne Allen's grandmother, **Reva Brazzle**, fell May 31st and broke her left pelvis. She was in the Baptist Hospital in Nashville, TN. Latest information is she was scheduled to have a pacemaker installed on Thursday and would enter a rehab center this past Friday.

Please remember **Sophie Zulagua**, the second grader at Lewisville Elementary School. She needs our prayers - her cancer has returned and she has a tumor in her lung, the size of a grapefruit. The family were to meet with doctors to discuss treatment.

Update on Clayton's father, Bill Workman: Mr. Workman has been diagnosed as "cancer free". Latest is that he will be undergoing 6 mo. of chemo to be sure that no cancer cells remain. Please continue remember him in your prayers.

Peggy Gough, a past member of Warners Chapel, will be undergoing a Mitro valve replacement sometime late in June or early July. Please remember her in your prayers.

Jon Miller, a friend of Stephanie Hardister, has been released from the hospital. His kidney function is at 17% at this time. He is waiting for the doctors to determine when he will undergo surgery. Please keep him in your prayers.

Please continue to remember **Peggy Graff** who remains a patient at the Baptist Hospital for testing to diagnose her condition.

Neighbors of David and Jeannie Moore who need our prayers: **Bert and Sylvia Daugherty** - Bert has terminal cancer and under the care of hospice at home.

Joe and Diane Turner - both have chronic illnesses.

Denise Swaim, a member at Linville Forest and daughter of Johnny and Janie Willis, has inoperable cancer. She has been moved to Palliative Care. The family needs our prayers.

PLANS:

Plans are being made to travel to Dunn, NC for the purpose of canvassing the area for possibly establishing a congregation there. Dates will be announced soon.

Also, plans are being made to travel to Rockingham to help with renovations to the church building and preacher's house, along with door knocking. Dates will be announced.

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:

June 9 - Congregational Meeting following evening worship service.

June 9 - Adam Warner would like to meet with the young men and deacons after evening services about 5th Sunday evening services.

June 11 - TEEN DEVO at 7 p.m. (Sign-up sheet to be guest speaker for Devo's on bulletin board in foyer.)

June 14-23 - Nicaragua Mission Trip—Today will be the last Sunday to give to the Nicaragua Campaign. The remaining expenses are down to about \$2,000.

Anyone who would like to send toys, summer clothes, or caps to Nicaragua should bring them to the building no later than Sunday night. The bags will be packed Tuesday morning.

June 22 - VBS - Theme: "The Journeys of Paul" 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Classes for children up to sixth grade.

June 29 - Sarah Tesh and Ryan Davis Wedding at Noon. (see below)

June 30 - Guest Speaker: Robert Taylor of Ripley, TN will speak at the morning worship service.

July 20 - NCSBS Graduation

Tesh-Davis Wedding Invitation

The Congregation is invited to Sarah Tesh and Ryan Davis' wedding at noon on June 29th followed by a lunch reception in the Annex. Please sign your name on the yellow sheet in the foyer if you plan to eat so we can get a head count for lunch.

FOR THE RECORD

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| Sunday Bible Study - June 2, 2013 | 153 |
| Sunday Morning Worship Service: | 194 |
| Contribution for June 2, 2013 | \$8,936 |
| Daily Adult Bible Readers: | 41 |
| Chapters Read: | 833 |
| Daily Children Bible Readers: | |
| Chapters Read: | |
| Sunday Evening: | 141 |
| Wednesday Evening: June 5, 2013 | 124 |

Lord's Day Appointments - June 16, 2013

| DEVOTIONS: | | OPENING PRAYER: | SONG LEADER | SCRIPTURE READERS |
|--------------------|----------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Scripture | - Trent Thomas | Morning - Carl Cooper | A.M. - Wayne Allen | A.M. - Robbie Santiago |
| Song Leader | - Don Minor | Evening - John Allen | P.M. - Gene Southern | P.M. - Don Minor |
| Prayer | - Neal Harper | | Wed. - Steve Tesh | |

| NURSERY (0-2 1/2): | | NURSERY (2 1/2-4): | Greeters: <u>June:</u> | FELLOWSHIP MEAL: |
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| Morning - | Jean Rose | Morning - | Gina Harper | Michael and Laura Cooper |
| Evening - | Jeannie Moore | Evening - | Nancy Minor | Zone 3 |

Opening and Closing Building

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| Sunday: | - June 16 | Mike Cooper |
| Wednesday: | - June 19 | Mike Cooper |

Lord's Day Appointments - June 9, 2013

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| Devotions: | Opening Prayer | a.m. - Joe Everett | Scripture Reader | a.m. - Brad Hoots |
| Scripture: | Robbie Santiago | p.m. - Mark Roy | | p.m. - Gene Ruark |
| Song: | Paul Kirkpatrick | Song Leaders: a.m. - Clayton Workman | Nursery #1: | a.m. - Gaye Carothers |
| Prayer: | Michael Cooper | p.m. - Tim Allen | | p.m. - Marie Harper |
| | | Wed. - Wayne Allen | Nursery #2: | a.m. - Gina Strickland |
| | | | | p.m. - Meredith Southern |

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

SUNDAY:

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

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| WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Service | 7:00 PM |
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“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

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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