

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

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

August 19, 2012

BAPTISM DOESN'T DO ANY GOOD (PART THREE)

IF IT IS NOT PRECEDED BY TRUE REPENTANCE.

- A. Acts 2:38 Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.
- B. A person who is unwilling to change his lifestyle (repent) might as well not be baptized.
- C. Luke 13:3 I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.
- D. If one does not intend to quit drinking, cursing, smoking, committing adultery, and/or lying, why be baptized?
- E. It just makes a mockery of the sacred practice.

IF IT IS NOT PRECEDED BY A BIBLICAL CONFESSION.

- A. Acts 8:36-37 And as they went on their way, they came unto a certain water: and the eunuch said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? 37 And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.
- B. Most religious people in our world do not make this confession at their baptism.
- C. Many say something like, "I believe that God for Christ's sake has forgiven my sins..."
- D. Where is that found in the Bible? It Is Not!
- E. God said he forgives sins at baptism......and not a minute before. *Acts 22:16 And now why tarriest thou? arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord.*
- F. If one does not make a Scriptural confession prior to baptism, he has not been Scripturally baptized.

More to come —Paul

ELDERS CORNER:

THANK YOU

The elders would like to thank this congregation for your support of the gospel meeting at the Northwest church of Christ this past week.

Very special thanks to Surendra Singh, John Dupree, Tim Allen, Frank Shepard, Todd Hinson and Paul Kirkpatrick for their willingness to prepare lessons and present those timeless truths of God's word. They encouraged everyone present of the need to return to the Bible as our guidebook for all that we do in our service to Him. Thanks also to Roger Allen, Wayne Allen, Steve Tesh and Don Minor for leading the song services each night. Our voices were lifted up in praise to our God and we were edified.

And thanks also to those of you who showed your support by your attendance. We had 49 from Warners Chapel present on Thursday night, 39 on Friday night, 10 on Saturday morning, 26 on Saturday night and 12 on Sunday morning. We also had 28 to assist in the door knocking campaign the previous Saturday. Could our participation have been better? We always can do more but we were still encouraged by those who were truly interested in supporting Warners Chapel in our support of the Northwest congregation and they were especially impressed.

The Northwest church also wanted to express their appreciation to Warners Chapel. Frankly, they were overwhelmed by the support this congregation extended to them. To show their thanks, they gave a \$1000 check to the NC School of Biblical Studies.

And while we are showing our appreciation, we also want to thank Jonathan Davis who served this congregation as an intern this summer. Jonathan is a real go getter, an excellent speaker and has been a great asset to the congregation this summer. Thanks to the congregation for making him feel welcome and working with him. We wish him the best of luck as he returns to Freed-Hardeman University.

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2012

August 20 - I Cor. 3

August 21 - I Cor. 4

August 22 - I Cor. 5

August 23 - I Cor. 6



August 24 - I Cor. 7:1-19 August 25 - I Cor. 7:20-40

August 26 - I Cor. 8

OUR SICK Please Remember In Your Prayers

Carolyn Minor is improving and has been moved to **Room 8175** at the Forsyth Medical Center. She may have visitors.

It was reported Wednesday that **Lovd Brewer** went to the hospital last week for symptoms that was thought to be a heart problem. He is now at home and doing well.

Aiessa Call's uncle who is battling cancer, received some bad news this past week and Hospice may be assisting. Please pray for her family.

Emily Workman's friend's husband, Rich Pentuk, was recently diagnosed with cancer. The cancer is causing the body to produce too much calcium which is impairing his brain capabilities. He is unable to understand what is being said or to respond. In addition, their daughter has developed a bad ear infection. The family is struggling with the stress and Emily feels that a card would help the family to know people are praying and thinking of them. Please mention the church and Emily when you write. Their address is: Rich, Allie & Helayna Pentuk, 310 Buffalo Ridge Road, McMurray, PA 15317.

Christa Byrd has requested prayers for the family of **Brian Price** (co-worker) whose father passed away this past Tuesday.



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

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Carolina, Valentina & Jennifer Ferguson's new address is:

115 Windsor Circle Advance, NC 27006

Please make this change in the directory section of your 2012 Workbook.

********** \divideontimes invitation to the warners chapel \divideontimes **CONGREGATION** In honor of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Allen and Dot Womack, their children and 💥 grandchildren request the pleasure of your 💥 company on Saturday, August 25th from 2-4 p.m. at the East Ridge church of Christ at 951 X McBrien Road, Chattanooga, TN 37412. RSVP: awmcdonald@comcast.net or 423-413-2128.

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 SPONSORED BY ZONE 3.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

August 19 - Pew Packers will meet at 5:30 p.m.

August 19 - Bundling of House to House in annex following evening worship service.

August 26 - Ice Cream Supper in the Annex following the evening worship service. Please bring homemade ice cream, cookies or brownies. Everyone is invited!

BIRTHDAY Clarence Sheets will be 89 years old on August 27th. Debbie is going to be bringing a birthday cake to the ice Crown Sarria Sunday night August 26th and would love for celebrate his birthday cake to the Ice Cream Supper on 💸 everyone to attend and to celebrate his birthday as well. This is NOT a surprise.

AREA EVENTS:

Sept. 8 - Ladies' Day at the Capernaum Church of Christ. Theme: "Walking In The Light"

Sept. 15 - Oak Forest Church of Christ Ladies Day. Theme "Strength and Honor Are Her Clothing"

SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR MORE INFORMATION.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - August 12, 2012	141
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	199
Contribution for August 12, 2012	\$5,911
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	30
Chapters Read:	613
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	147
Wednesday Evening: August 15, 2012	137

Lord's Day Appointments - August 26, 2012

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Allen Cooper Morning - Tommy Rose A.M. - Gene Southern A.M. - Ken Cooper

Song Leader - Tim Allen Evening - Adam Warner P.M. - Wayne Allen P.M. - Gene Ruark

Prayer - D. C. Mock Wed. - Song Req. Service

Gene Southern

NURSERY (0-2 1/2): NURSERY (2 1/2-4): Greeters: August FELLOWSHIP MEAL:

Morning - Sandy Warner Morning - Meredith Southern Jason & Catherine Cravy Zone 4

Evening - Linda Flinchum Evening - Jean Rose

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - August 26 John Allen Wednesday: - August 29 John Allen

*Serving this Week: August 19, 2012

Devotions: Opening Prayer a.m. - Gene Southern Scripture Reader a.m. - Bill Carothers

Scripture: Jason Allen p.m. - Bob Plunk p.m. - Randy Warner

Song: Steve Tesh Song Leaders: a.m. - Clayton Workman Nursery #1: a.m. - Gaye Carothers

Prayer: Carl Cooper p.m. - Tim Allen p.m. - Betty Hoots

Wed. - Tim Allen Nursery #2: a.m. - Robin Hauser

p.m. - Linda Flinchum

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

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ELDERS DEACONS

David MooreRandy WarnerJason AllenTim AllenTommy RoseMike CooperJoe EverettKeith WarnerJody EverettTodd HinsonAndy SantiagoGene SouthernSteve TeshMark MinorShawn Thomason