

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

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"OUTRUN THE DEVIL"

A columnist once write, "Every morning in Africa, a gazelle wakes up knowing it must run faster than the fastest lion or it will be killed. Every morning a lion wakes up knowing it must outrun the slowest gazelle, or it will starve to death. It doesn't matter whether you are a lion or a gazelle; when the sun comes up, you'd better be running."

There's another deadly, daily drama that involves all of us. Every day the devil determines to run you down and destroy your soul forever. Peter described him as "a roaring lion walking about seeking whom he may devour." But Peter also tells us how to outrun that lion. "... resist him, steadfast in the faith." I Peter 5:9.

Unless you obey the gospel of Christ and are in the faith, the "drama" will end in eternal tragedy for you. Being a Christian doesn't mean you won't ever have to deal with that old lion and running again, but it does mean you will have a way to outrun him and keep your soul.

—Frank

ELDERS CORNER

"Two Percent Will Destroy"

One time I had trouble with mice. So I bought some D-Con. I noticed on the package that only two percent of its contents was actually poison and the rest was edible. Now if some educated mouse could read, he might reason: "But there is so much good in it, a little bit won't harm me, and besides I'm hungry." Yet all that good food didn't do that poor creature much good because the little bit of poison either killed him or gave him some mighty nasty indigestion. The ninety-eight percent nourishment was useless if that two percent killed him! The ninety-eight percent was not enough to offset the two percent.

The makers of D-Con know they have to put much good tasting food in before mice will be tempted to eat that little bit that kills them. This is parallel with the situation we find often in religion. Many feel that if there is so much good in their doctrines, a little bit of error won't hurt them. But the devil is smart enough to give people enough of the truth to make his lies appear wholesome, but just enough error to condemn. No one will benefit from ninety-eight percent truth if there is two percent error mixed in with it. Man won't go ninety-eight percent to heaven and two percent to hell: he'll go to either one place or the other. Did not James say, "For whosoever shall keep the whole law, and yet offend in one point, he is guilty of all" (James 2:10)? The person who rejects two percent of the truth of God is guilty, just like the person who rejects all. The wages of sin is death (Romans 6:23).

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READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2016

April 25 - Luke 18:24-43 April 26 - Luke 19:1-27 April 27 - Luke 19:28-48 April 28 - Luke 20:1-26



April 29 - Luke 20:27-47 April 30 - Luke 21:1-19 May 1 - Luke 21:20-38



OUR SICK Please Remember in your prayers

Frank Shepard remains in the Baptist Hospital recovering from recent surgery. He is still in considerable pain at this time. It is felt that he may be released from the hospital sometime this week.

Debbie Southern underwent another Lithotripsy procedure this past week. The first procedure did not complete the destruction of an additional stone. She is recovering at home and feeling fairly good at this time.

It was reported that **Wanda Elam's** earlier tests done at the Cancer Institute of Atlanta showed no visible mass detected. She had another scan this past week which will be compared to an earlier test. Please continue to pray for her.

Todd Hinson underwent outpatient surgery this past Wednesday. He was unable to attend Wednesday evening services.

Please keep Mary Ellen Dull in your prayers as she is having radiation treatments at this time.

Grace Allen was reported to be ill this past Wednesday evening.

Rick Clemmons' brother, **Guy Clemmons**, **Jr.**, was hit by a truck in a parking lot in Texas. The doctors are watching his leg due to swelling. He may need to have surgery.

Karen Clemmons' father, **Eddie Drews**, was unable to have chemo due to an increased white blood count. He was scheduled to see his doctor this past Friday.

Katherine Rumley, Mindy's aunt, was taken to the Forsyth Hospital this past week. They think she may have pneumonia.

Margie Toma has medical health issues and waiting for a brain surgeon to advise her of the situation. Prayers are needed.

Lutrelle Chipman would like to thank the congregation for all the prayers for her granddaughter, **Elise Cave.** Please continue to pray for her as she may have to have additional surgery. She feels that Elise would appreciate cards. her address is 3707 Turtle Run Place, Booneville, NC 27011. Lutrelle sends her love.

Harry Picciuto's sister-in-law has cancer and has had two surgeries. She is going through radiation treatments at this time. Please keep her and the family in your prayers.



Harry Picciuto's grandfather passed away recently. He was in his early 90's and lived a full life.

Bill Knost's eldest brother passed away this past Wednesday morning in Coalmont, TN. Please pray for all who may be able to attend. He was 81.

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.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS

April 24 - Pew Packers at 5:30 p.m.

May 14 - Senior Rally - David Pharr will be the

speaker. Topic: "Stand By Me"

June 4 - NCSBS Lectures

June 17-25 - Nicaragua Campaign

June 19-23 - VBS - Theme: "The Voyage"

LOCAL EVENTS:

May 1-4 - Spring Gospel Meeting at the Corinth church of Christ. Mark Bass from Grove City, Ohio will be the guest speaker.

May 8-11 - Gospel Meeting at the Broad Street church of Christ in Statesville. Robert Goff will be the guest speaker.

See Bulletin Board for details

SOUTHWEST ELEMENTARY FOOD PANTRY

314 items were delivered to the Southwest Elem. Food Pantry this past Wednesday. This brings the total number of items delivered to 674.

They have a need now for cereal, so if you like you can bring that for the next few weeks.

VOLUNTEER CHECKLIST

Please fill out your areas of interest and place the form in the box provided in the foyer before **May 1st**.

Thank You!

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Sunday Bible Study - April 17, 2016 Sunday Morning Worship Service: Contribution for April 17, 2016 S7,447 Daily Adult Bible Readers: Chapters Read: Sunday Evening: 124

Wednesday Evening, April 20, 2016

Lord's Day Appointments For May, 2016

Serving the Lord's Table For May:

D. C. Mock

Mark Minor Allen Cooper Elwood Flinchum Gene Southern

> Debbie Southern Jim Harrison Andy Santiago

Preparing Communion for May: Making Announcements on Sunday: Making Announcements on Wednesday:

Lord's Day Appointments - May 1, 2016

OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER **DEVOTIONS: SCRIPTURE READERS**

Scripture - Andy Santiago Morning - Roger Allen A.M. -Tim Allen A.M. - Derek Elam **Evening** - Tristan Roy Song Leader- Don Minor **P.M**. Roger Allen P.M. - Tommy Rose

Prayer - Mark Minor Wed. -Mark Roy

NURSERY (0-2 1/2): NURSERY (2 1/2-4): **Greeter for May:**

Jessica Edwards Morning -Robin Hauser **Brad & Betty Hoots** Sandy Warner Evening -Evening -Meredith Southern

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - May 1 Wednesday: - May 4

Lord's Day Appointments - April 24, 2016

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Robby Landry Morning - Tommy Rose A.M. - Steve Tesh A.M. - Gene Ruark P.M. - Mark Minor Song Leader - Steve Tesh **Evening** - Allen Cooper P.M. - Don Minor

Prayer - Al Lawson Wed. - Song Req. Service

Gene S. & Roger A.

NURSERY (0-2 1/2): NURSERY (2 1/2-4): Greeter: April **Curtis Doss**

Morning -Rhonda Hardister Gina Harper Morning -Evening -Evening -Marie Harper Betty Hoots

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

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes 10:00 AM Morning Worship 10:50 AM 6:00 PM Evening Worship 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 Moore Randy Warner Mike Cooper Keith Warner Jody Everett Tim Allen Andy Santiago Mark Minor **Gene Southern** Joe Everett Todd Hinson Shawn Thomason Steve Tesh Jason Allen