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

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

February 8, 2015

RIGHT AND WRONG

Think about your answers to the following questions. How would you answer each one.

- Which of is better: Coke or Pepsi?
- Who is funnier: Donald Duck or Daffy Duck?
- Who is the better singer: Adele or Pink?
- Which is more fun: White-water Rafting or Zip Lining?
- Which fruit is tastier: Apple or Orange?

So, which answers were right? The truth is these questions are a matter of personal taste and preference. The answers are neither right nor wrong. These are Subjective questions. Concepts that are subjective may not have a right or wrong answer. On the other hand, Objective concepts have a right or wrong answer when applying an objective standard.

For example, when measuring ingredients for a recipe, one should be careful to use proper measuring tools that are objective in nature. Manufacturers design and fabricate a measuring cup that holds 8 ounces of liquid. They must be precise. For a recipe to be effective one must have a measuring cup that is the same as one made by another manufacturer so that objective standards can be met so there is no guess-work involved.

This is how we must view the authority of the Scriptures. They are an objective standard. God clearly tells us in His word things that are right and things that are wrong. Some decisions are left up to us. Jesus tells us to "go into all the world" but does not limit us in the method we choose in "going."

The important thing is that we respect the authority of His objective standard of truth.

Paul

ELDERS CORNER:

We continue our "Love" theme for the month of February.

This comes from the December 23, 1945 bulletin. We believe it was written by Everett Harper (Joann Piper's father).

The message he shared shows that "there is nothing new under the sun" (Eccl. 1:9) because it seems we also are living in times of hatred and strife.

Our challenge today is to ask ourselves if we are showing our love to our brothers and sisters in Christ AND sharing God's love with those we come into contact with. Can they see Christ living in us?

LOVE

It seems that we being surrounded by hatred, envyings and strifes; the subject of love should be given more careful study and consideration. It is impossible to be well pleasing in the sight of the Lord and have hatred toward our fellowman. There are many ways by which our love may be shown to each other.

"Charity suffereth long and is kind, charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up." (I Cor. 13:4)

The perfect exercise of love includes our whole duty to God and our fellowman. God's love for us is manifested in Jesus Christ who died to save the world. Christ's love is manifested in his willingness to be sacrificed for sinners.

The test of love is the surrender of personal ambition and a complete abandonment of self in our devotion to another. We are to not only love those to whom we may look for praise or high standing in society, but also to love our enemies. If we have been wrongfully treated or mistaken we should not hate or avoid those in the act, but rather help and show our devotion to them in every way possible. Love is the predominating grace, the force that moves people ever on. If you are without it, cultivate a mutual love, for only those who love have love to give and we get and keep love by giving it.

"And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity." (I Cor. 13:13).

-- E. H.

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2015

February 9 - Matt. 25:1-30
February 10 - Matt. 25:31-46
February 11 - Matt. 26:1-25
February 12 - Matt. 26:26-50



February 13 - Matt. 26:51-75
February 14 - Matt. 27:1-26
February 15 - Matt. 27:27-50



OUR SICK

Please Remember in your prayers

Prayers are requested for Richard Clemmons' father, **Guy Clemmons**. He is in the hospital for TIA and congestive heart failure.

Prayers also requested for **Curtis Doss** as he is scheduled for an MRI.

Wayne Allen and Nikki Santiago were reported this past Wednesday evening as having a virus.

Rhonda Hardister's co-worker, **Debra Whitt**, lost everything in a house fire. A list is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer with clothing sizes, etc.. For her family. Please help in any way you can

~IN SYMPATHY~

Madelene Holbrook's sister, **Geneva Pendry**, passed away on Thursday, January 29th. Please remember Madelene in your prayers.



The **Prayer List** is available on the credenza in the foyer. The prayer list consists of others we need to remember in our prayers in addition to those listed above.

WHAT AM I SEEKING?

Students in school often tell their teachers, *"This is not fun or I am bored"*. Their teachers usually respond, *"I'm here to teach you, not to entertain you!"* Sometimes Christians are a bit like these children who are seeking entertainment. When we become bored with Bible Class or a sermon or complain that the singing is poor, we may be forgetting that our primary purpose in attending the services of the church is to worship God rather than to be entertained. When a teacher, preacher, song leader and those who are worshiping are making their best effort and are consistent with God's commands, God will be pleased. If we all put forth our best effort by being participants in worship rather than an audience, we will come away being edified and built up.

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:

February 8 - "Basic Principles Class" in the Annex.

February 10 - Sewing For Nicaragua at 9 a.m. in Annex.

February 12 - 50 & Over Class will meet at 10:30 a.m.

March 28 - Ladies Day at Warners Chapel

AREA EVENTS:

Feb. 11-15 - Great Smoky Mountain Marriage Retreat in Pigeon Forge, TN — See bulletin board.

Feb. 21 - **Ladies Day** at the Cary Church of Christ. Theme: "Are you Running on Empty" - Speaker: Kathy Pollard. Time 8:00-12:00. RSVP - Feb. 15th.

March 14 - **Carolina Men's Fellowship** (9am-3 pm) at Gold Hill Rd. church of Christ in Fort Mill, SC

March 21 - **Ladies Day** at South Stokes church of Christ. The theme is "Women ...Making a Difference in the Home and in the World". Speaker: Dawn Weaver.

Youth Valentine Party and Devo

A Youth Valentine Party and Devo will be held at the Cooper's home on February 14th at 6:00 p.m. Parents - please bring finger foods.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - February 1, 2015	137
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	169
Contribution for February 1, 2015	\$6,409
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	29
Chapters Read:	506
Sunday Evening:	137
Wednesday Evening - February 4, 2015	99

Lord's Day Appointments - February 15, 2015

DEVOTIONS:	OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READERS
Scripture - John Allen	Morning - D. C. Mock	A.M. - Clayton Workman	A.M. - Tommy Rose
Song Leader - Joe Everett	Evening - Adam Warner	P.M. - Steve Tesh	P.M. - Allen Cooper
Prayer - Tommy Ridings		Wed. - Don Minor	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):	NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	February Greeters:
Morning - Robin Hauser	Morning - Gina Harper	Roger and Grace Allen
Evening - Marie Harper	Evening - Nancy Minor	

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday:	February 15	Justin Minor
Wednesday:	February 18	Justin Minor

Lord's Day Appointments - February 8, 2015

Devotions:	Opening Prayer a.m. - Tim Allen	Scripture Reader a.m. - Jack Piper
Scripture - Michael Cooper	- Paul Sinnatuah	p.m. - Don Minor
Song: - Roger Allen	Song Leaders: a.m. - Jason Allen	Nursery #1: a.m. - Meredith Southern
Prayer: - Frank Shepard	p.m. - Roger Allen	p.m. - Linda Flinchum
	Wed. - Tim Allen	Nursery #2: a.m. - Jessica Lay
		p.m. - Marie Harper

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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David Moore
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Todd Hinson
Steve Tesh

DEACONS

Randy Warner
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Andy Santiago
Mark Minor
Jason Allen

Mike Cooper
Jody Everett
Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason