



# Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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**A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU**

**August 23, 2009**

## **We Drove Down That Road**

While in Nicaragua, I was asked to lead the Tuesday morning devotional for the campaign workers. The trip started off a little rough for me by not getting my luggage which had my food and clothes for the week. My morale was seriously affected and I began to question my decision to come to Nicaragua. By Tuesday, though, I had gained a different perspective which I think comes out in the devotional lesson below that I presented that morning. Tonight, in our presentation of the Nicaragua work, you'll see the road I am talking about and hopefully understand how blessed we are and how truly thankful the people of Nicaragua are for our support.

Being a first timer I had so many things I wanted to talk about and I couldn't decide. I thought about going over to the book of Job and talking about patience. Patience needed when waiting on luggage that may never arrive. Patience trying to figure out how to endure the week with no clothes and no food and no clean outfit to wear each day.

But... we drove down that road.

I began to realize that I may still have more with me in my backpack than most of these people have that I am seeing. So I decided I couldn't talk about that.

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So then I thought about Matthew 28 and evangelism. That's why we're here. And I know many first timers brought our children here to teach them a lesson. We wanted them to understand that there is more to life than Gameboys, cell phones, and Facebook. We adults know better. We know poverty. We've seen it. We've seen the pictures. This trip is about a life lesson for our children.

But...we drove down that road.

I began to realize there is more here than that lesson for our children. There is a huge lesson here for me too because I really haven't seen poverty like this ever before. We are so blessed in our lives. So that was no good.

So then I decided to go to the beatitudes and talk about the happiness we as Christians have. After all we're the ones going to heaven. We're the ones with prosperity.

But...we drove down that road.

And as I saw the little children running to the fences smiling and waving I began to realize that maybe my concept of happiness was blurred by my prosperity. Here are these little children with absolutely nothing and yet they seemed so happy.

So...I finally decided that I really didn't have anything to say but maybe this one thing....

Today...open your eyes to possibilities...to potential...to the future...to your own life....as we drive down that road.

- Todd Hinson

### *Read the New Testament in the Year 2009*

*August 24 - I Cor. 7:1-19*  
*August 25 - I Cor. 7:20-40*  
*August 26 - I Cor. 8*  
*August 27 - I Cor. 9*



*August 28 - I Cor. 10:1-18*  
*August 29 - I Cor. 10:19-33*  
*August 30 - I Cor. 11:1-16*

## OUR SICK: Please remember in your Prayers

**Mildred Barker** is again not doing well in her recovery from back surgery. She is in a depressed state at this time and is not completing her physical therapy, eating or participating in her health care program. She will probably be leaving the facility in Advance possibly this Monday or Tuesday to stay with her son and daughter-in-law temporarily. Please keep Mildred and family in your prayers.

**Laura (Moore) Sullivan** underwent surgery on Friday, August 14th. She is reported to be doing well.

### PRAYER LIST:

*Mildred Barker, Hazel Sweet, Lorene Brown, Jim and Gladys Harper, Jim Warner, Don Jackson, Nellie K. Dorse, Elwood Flinchum, Hilda Hauser, Johnsie Moser, Nora Holder, Rick Clemmons, Elmer Laudenslager, Wyatt & Dot Reeves, Nora Holder, Donald Richards.*

**Karen Tittsworth, Wendell Hartley** (Frank and Jane Shepard's brother-in-law) **Samantha Swain** (Jane Jester's niece), **C. J. Barger, Don Hix, Linda Miller** (member at West Jefferson), **Peggy Weeks** (Gene Southern's sister), **Jack Clifton, Will Barber**, Shannon Harper's step-son, **Judy Allen**, (mother of Jennifer Lee), **Jonah Alexander** (Son of Patrice Crump Williams), **Faye Hinson**, (Todd Hinson's mother), **Sykes Family** (family of a friend of Debbie Southern), **Corey Lloyd** (brother-in-law of Jason Cravy), **Calli Moody** (2 yr. old undergoing cancer treatment at Duke, **Larry Russell** (friend of Frank & Jane Shepard), **Randy Turner** (neighbor of the Moore family), **Keith Brenigar** (Sherrill Stewart's neighbor), **Frank Barbe** (Rodney Brown's cousin), **Linda James** (Jessica Frazier's mother), **Dana Wadford, Jane & Buddy Lawrence** (friends of Kathleen and Adam Warner), Kari Woodbury's uncle, **Mary Rackley, Ronnie Seats** (Kenny Brown's stepfather) **Nita Kirkland** (Ellen Wingo's mother)

Also:

*\* the leaders of our country and all those who serve.*

*Please let us know if there are any that may be taken off the prayer list.*

### HOUSE TO HOUSE/HEART TO HEART

The new issue of House to House is available on the desk in the foyer. It contains information on the Youth Rally which you may use to invite family and friends to

### CONGRATULATIONS

To **Dot Pegram** who just became Great Grandmother to twin girls born this past Tuesday. They were born in Raleigh, NC and are doing well.

# WELCOMB

**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 THIS MORNING BY ZONE 4.**

### WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

**Aug. 23** - Sunday evening service will be a presentation/report on this year's **Nicaragua Mission Trip.**

**Aug. 23** - Youth Rally Mtg. following morning service.

**Aug 23** - Meeting after evening service for this year's participants of the Nicaragua Mission trip and anyone interested in participating next year.

**Aug. 25** - Youth Devotional at 7 p.m.

**Aug. 30** - The 5th Sunday Contribution is designated for the **NCSBS Scholarship Fund.** Please consider this need as you plan your giving.

**September 11-13** - Youth Rally Please bring (non-diet) canned drinks and potato chips to be placed in Annex. Sign-up sheets are posted on the bulletin board for volunteering to help out with the Youth Rally.

### AREA EVENTS:

**Sept. 12** - Ladies Day at Capernium. Sign-up sheet on bulletin board.

**Sept. 25-27** - 12th Annual Back to Bible Lectures at West Jefferson. Theme: God's Plan for Salvation.

### FOR THE RECORD

*Sunday August 16, 2009*

<b>Sunday Bible Study</b>	<b>140</b>
<b>Sunday Morning Worship</b>	<b>179</b>
<b>Contribution for Aug. 16, 2009</b>	
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	<b>20</b>
Chapters Read:	<b>587</b>
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
<b>Sunday Evening</b>	<b>132</b>
<b>Wed. Evening Bible Study 8-19-09</b>	<b>125</b>

# LORD'S DAY ASSIGNMENTS - AUGUST 30, 2009

DEVOTIONS:	OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READER
<b>Scripture</b> - Mark Roy	<b>Morning</b> - Bill Knost	<b>A.M.</b> - Clayton Workman	<b>A.M.</b> - Mark Minor
<b>Song Leader</b> - Steve Tesh	<b>Evening</b> - Mark Roy	<b>P.M.</b> - Song & Prayer Ser.	<b>P.M.</b> - Adam Warner
<b>Prayer</b> - D. C. Mock		<b>Wed.-Kenny Brown</b>	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):	NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	TAPE MONITOR:	FELLOWSHIP MEALS:
<b>Morning</b> Betty Hoots	<b>Morning</b> Mary Anne Allen	Gray Nail	<i>Youth Group</i>
<b>Evening</b> Robin Hauser	<b>Evening</b> Jeannie Moore		
<b>Opening and Closing Building</b>			
<b>Sunday</b> Aug. 30 -	John Allen		
<b>Wednesday</b> Sept. 2 -	John Allen		



## BIRTHDAYS - August 23-30, 2009

<i>Joe Everett</i>	<i>- August 23</i>	<i>Minnie Allgood</i>	<i>- August 28</i>
<i>Bill Carothers</i>	<i>- August 26</i>	<i>Wayne Hutchins</i>	<i>- August 29</i>
<i>Steve Martin</i>	<i>- August 27</i>	<i>Kathleen Warner</i>	<i>- August 30</i>
<i>Clarence Sheets</i>	<i>- August 27</i>		

## 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

GBN PROGRAM - Each day at 9 -10 a.m. - (Various Speakers) on Cable 75  
 "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

Steve Martin  
 David Moore  
 Tim Allen  
 Joe Everett

### DEACONS

Steve Tesh  
 Randy Warner  
 Tommy Rose  
 Keith Warner  
 Andy Santiago  
 Mark Minor  
 Todd Hinson