

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

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

MAY 13, 2012

THE BIBLICAL VIEW OF MARRIAGE

The amendment to the North Carolina state constitution concerning marriage has been settled...for now. Those who oppose the amendment are already conspiring to bring this topic to the courts to seek relief. Those who support the homosexual agenda in this nation had been promoting the idea that heterosexual couples would be affected by the passing of the amendment. They said that couples who cohabitate would lose benefits like health care, etc. My answer to all those who supported the destruction of the amendment is: "Stop trying to undermine God's plan for the family."

I have talked with some who think that the NC amendment was a way for Christians to impose their religious views on the rest of us. That defense will not stand. "One man and one woman for life," did not originate with Christianity. It originated some 4500 years+ with Adam and Eve. In Genesis 2:24, God states, "Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh." This is the God-approved model for the family from the beginning of time. What the opposition forces say is that they want the same rights as those who are married. They fail to understand that God opposes their practice and eternal punishment awaits those who attempt to circumvent God's model for the sacred institution of marriage. Those who are in these unions are sinning, and until they repent of their sin and remove themselves from their cursed households and obey the gospel Hell will be their eternal destination. (cf. 1 Corinthians 6:9-11) Those who encourage them are just as guilty for supporting sinful things. In doing so, they oppose God. (cf. 2 Timothy 2:25)

It is our duty to speak up and oppose wrong-doing. By doing so, we follow the examples of the Christ and His apostles.

Paul

Mothers Are Special

There is no love like a mother's love, no stronger bond on earth

Like the precious bond that comes from God, to a mother when she gives birth.

A mother's love is forever strong, never changing for all time.

And when her children need her most, a mother's love will shine.

God bless these special mothers,
God bless them every one
For all the tears and heartache,
and for the special work they've done.

When her days on earth are over, a mother's love lives on Chrough many generations, with God's blessings on each one.

Be thankful for our mothers, for they love with a higher love From the power God has given, and the strength from up above.

Anonymous



READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2012

May 14 - John 4:1-30 May 15 - John 4:31-54

May 16 - John 5:1-24

May 17 - John 5:25-47



May 18 - John 6:1-21 May 19 - John 6:22-44 May 20 - John 6:45-71

OUR SICK Please Remember In Your Prayers

Atha Clark underwent knee replacement surgery at the Forsyth Hospital on May 10th.

D.J. Harrison is scheduled to undergo further testing for a possible heart problem.

It was reported that **Jane Jester** has been having some health problems at this time.

Don Minor underwent cataract surgery this past Wednesday and is doing well.

Shannon Harper's sister, **Morgan Gainer**, underwent very serious spinal surgery recently in Charlotte. She is doing well in her recovery and will be released from the hospital in the next few days. The family is very appreciative of all the prayers in her behalf which they feel was the reason for her successful surgery and prognosis.

The Santiago's have requested prayers in his mother's behalf who is having some health problems at this time.

Betty Hoot's sister, **Janet Graham**, lung biopsy was good but continue to pray for her because of medication issues at this time.

Don Minor and Al Lawson's relative, **Carrie Hudson**, has been released from the hospital and is reported to be doing well at this time.

Emily Workman has requested prayers in behalf of her uncle, **Bobby Pate**, who is experiencing some problems from his accident and for her Grandmother, **Mrs. Bobbitt**, who is not doing well at this time.

RESPONSES

Olivia Clemmons came forward last Lord's Day confessing error in her life and requesting the prayers of the congregation.

Tim Mock also responded by coming forward saying he needed to make some changes in his life and requesting the prayers of the congregation in his behalf.

Nicaragua Medical/Evangelism Campaign

In June, a number of Warners Chapel Christians will be leaving for Nicaragua. If you wish to participate by helping with the expenses (in addition to your regular contribution), please write your check to Warners Chapel and put it in the Nicaragua envelopes you will find on the credenza in the foyer.



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:

May 13 - Pew Packers will meet at 5:30 p.m.

May 13 - Congregational Meeting this evening.

May 14 - Sewing for Nicaragua at 7 p.m. at the home of Lois Allen (sewing bears for the children).

May 15 - Ladies Sewing for Nicaragua in Annex at 9 a.m.

May 17 - The 50 & Over Bible Study group will meet at 10:30 a.m.

June 30 - VBS

AREA EVENTS:

May 10-13 - Gospel Meeting at the West Innes church of Christ. Surendra Singh will be the speaker.

May 19 - Ladies' Day at the Morganton Church of Christ.

May 20 - South Stokes church of Christ will hold a "Friends and Family Day".

June 3-8 - Old Fashion Tent Meeting at the West Jefferson church of Christ with Melvin Sapp as guest speaker.

See bulletin board for details

<u>Note</u>: A First Aid Kit is located above the credenza in the foyer should it be needed.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - May 6, 2012	167
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	218
Contribution for May 6, 2012	
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	46
Chapters Read:	847
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	160

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Wednesday Evening: May 9, 2012

Lord's Day Appointments - May 20, 2012

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READER

Scripture - Jason Allen Morning - Steve Martin A.M. - Clayton Workman A.M. - Jack Piper

Song Leader - Steve Tesh Evening - Tommy Ridings P.M. - Tim Allen P.M. - Don Minor

Prayer - Carl Cooper Wed. - Tim Allen

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

Morning - Gaye Carothers Morning - Robin Hauser Brad & Betty Hoots Zone 3

Evening - Betty Hoots **Evening** - Linda Flinchum

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - May 20 Robbie Santiago
Wednesday: - May 23 Robbie Santiago

*Serving this Week: May 13, 2012

Devotions: Opening Prayer a.m. - Todd Hinson Scripture Reader a.m. - Mark Minor

Scripture: Homer Holland p.m. - Don Minor p.m. - Allen Cooper

Song: Joe Everett Song Leaders: a.m. - Steve Tesh Nursery #1: a.m. - Rhonda Hardister

Prayer: Tommy Ridings p.m. - Gene Southern p.m. - Jean Rose

Wed. - Clayton Workman Nursery #2: a.m. - Sandy Warner

p.m. - Nancy Minor

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