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November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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"The churches of Christ salute you" Rm 16:16

# Forsaking All To Possess Everything

I want to ask you a question, "Would you be willing to give up everything so that you could possess everything?" Now I know that you are probably saying, "Well, it depends on what it is." What if I were to tell you that everything you would have to give up is only the things that you don't like or care about? You would probably say, "SURE!" What if I were to tell you that everything you would have to give up is the temporal thing to possess something for all eternity? With this, you would probably be a little more skeptical to agree to do it. But what if I were to tell you that everything that you would have to give up are the things that mean something to you and you have close ties? Now you would probably be more like, "NO!" We would say this because these things are things that we believe are important to us or mean more than everything in the world to us. It is here that CHANGE would be required and it makes us uncomfortable. Jesus made a very clear statement in Luke 14:33 "So likewise, whoever of you does not forsake all that he has cannot be My disciple." We have to compare the value of the things that we are involved in, intertwined with, and enjoy to the value of having Christ in our lives and life everlasting. Only those who see the value of salvation will be willing to forsake everything they have to to possess everything that is the best of eternity. These are the ones who believe, and I mean absolutely believe, in what the Bible says and the reward that God has for those who are willing to do what He says. I'm reminded of Hebrews 11:6 "But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him." Do we firmly believe in the word of God and the reward that God has promised? If we are not willing to forsake everything, then there is a change that needs to happen in our lives.

Are we one of the ones who are willing to forsake all to possess everything?

## **Elders**

Tim Allen Todd Hinson Steve Tesh Andy Santiago

#### **Deacons**

Randy Warner
Keith Warner
Mark Minor
Jody Everett
Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason
Mark Roy
Adam Warner

## **Service Times**

Sunday AM Bible Study 10AM

Sunday AM Worship 10:50AM

Sunday PM Worship 6PM

Wednesday Bible Study 7PM

Please keep those on our prayer list in your prayers!

## **November Birthdays**

19<sup>th</sup> Allen Cooper 23<sup>rd</sup> Savanah Everett 25<sup>th</sup> Jim Harrison

## **November Anniversaries**

7<sup>th</sup> Wayne & Rebecca Allen

## FROM THE ELDERS

Please DO NOT park any Trucks, SUVs, or high-profile vehicles in the parking spaces closest to the road because they block the view of oncoming traffic. Safety of our members are very important to us! Thank you!

## **Address for Lou Ann Harper**

Vienna Village Assisted Living Attn: Lou Ann Harper - Room B45 6601 Yadkinville Rd Pfafftown, NC 27040

## **READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2023**

#### **NOVEMBER**

|                    | 110 / 21/12211 |                |  |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--|
| Day 1- 1 Peter 5   | Day 11- Rev 3  | Day 21- Rev 13 |  |
| Day 2- 2 Peter 1-2 | Day 12- Rev 4  | Day 22- Rev 14 |  |
| Day 3- 2 Peter 3   | Day 13- Rev 5  | Day 23- Rev 15 |  |
| Day 4- 1 John 1-2  | Day 14- Rev 6  | Day 24- Rev 16 |  |
| Day 5- 1 John 3-4  | Day 15- Rev 7  | Day 25- Rev 17 |  |
| Day 6- 2 John      | Day 16- Rev 8  | Day 26- Rev 18 |  |
| Day 7-3 John       | Day 17- Rev 9  | Day 27- Rev 19 |  |
| Day 8- Jude        | Day 18- Rev 10 | Day 28- Rev 20 |  |
| Day 9- Rev 1       | Day 19- Rev 11 | Day 29- Rev 21 |  |
| Day 10- Rev 2      | Day 20- Rev 12 | Day 30- Rev 22 |  |
|                    |                |                |  |

## **WELCOME VISITORS**

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.

\* PLEASE FILL OUT A VISITOR'S CARD!

**Sermon Notes:** 

Wisdom Corner
"We always have time
for the things we put
first."

#### **OUR SICK**

#### Please Remember in your prayers!

Jack Piper, John Ransom, DJ Harrison, Roger Allen, Gary Wadford, Faye Kirschenman, Manchel Tesh, Neal & Lou Ann Harper, Tim Allen, Kara Kee, Don Minor, Mary Burke, Adrian Wicker, Austin Workman, Jennifer Edwards, Thricia Walter, Patrisa Gonzela, Betty Doss, Ernie Kirkland, Melissa Bruce, Linda Santiago & Daphne Pickup.

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Jacques Pettit- (NCSBS student) lost his son to a drug overdose. Please keep him and his family in your prayers. His address is posted on the bulletin board. He needs our prayers and encouragement!

Allie Pentuk- (friend of Emily Workman) is undergoing testing for colon cancer. She recently lost her husband to cancer and it has caused some mental health concerns with her daughter, Heleyna. Please pray for this family.

**Patricia Brumfield-** (couple that has been visiting us) will be having surgery on December 6<sup>th</sup>. Please keep her in your prayers.

**Bill Carothers-** had a cardioversion done Tuesday morning at Forsyth Hospital. Everything went well!

Neal & Lou Ann Harper- Neal had a successful cardioversion procedure and is now out of AFIB. He will eventually be moved to a skilled care rehab center for therapy. Lou Ann is now a resident at Vienna Village Assisted Living in Pfafftown, room B45. Please continue to pray for them and the family during this time of transition.

Kasen Mott- Please keep Kasen in your prayers as he's dealing with a cold virus. Cards for well wishes would be good and encouraging!

**Mattie Pharr-** was having issues with her blood pressure. Please keep her in your prayers.

Jack Piper- has upcoming tests for his stomach cancer. Please keep him in your prayers for good results!

#### **WARNERS UPCOMING EVENTS**

<u>December 1st</u>-Parents' night out. Drop kids off @ Annex 5:30-8:30pm. For ages 12 and under. This is so parents can go Christmas shopping. See Colin or Sarah Robinson for details.

<u>December 15<sup>th</sup>-</u> Ladies Ornament Swap! Bring a finger food & an ornament in a gift bag. Each lady will need a gift bag with an ornament to play the game. We will meet in the Annex at 6pm-8pm! Invite a friend! See Brooke Garland or Teresa Glenn for details.

<u>December 19<sup>th -</sup></u> Decorating cookies in the Annex. For ages 12 and under. Bring a finger food. 6-8pm. See Colin or Sarah Robinson for details.

January 12<sup>th</sup>- We are hosting the areawide singing @ 7pm! Invite your family and friends!

#### **AREA EVENTS:**

<u>December 8<sup>th</sup></u> Area wide singing @ the West Innes Street congregation. 7pm!

#### **Kids Corner**

- What is the book of Job about?
  - What kind of man was Job?
- What bad things happened to Job?

Look for the answers next week!

## Last Week's Answers

- 1. A queen who saved the Jews.
- 2. A Jew who was queen of Persia.
- 3. She saved the Jews from being killed.

Announcements for Sunday and Wednesday: Shawn Thomason

**Communion: DC Mock** 

**Security And Greeting: Mark Minor & Gene Ruark** 

## **SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS: For November**

|                  | Scripture             | Song Leader     | Prayer        |
|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| $5^{th}$         | Bill Carothers        | Charlie Belch   | Tim Allen     |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> | Randy Warner          | Clayton Workman | Andy Santiago |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Shawn Thomason</b> | Wes Garland     | Carl Cooper   |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Brad Hoots</b>     | Tristan Roy     | DC Mock       |

# **WORSHIP: Opening / Closing Prayers For November**

|                  | Sunday AM     | Sunday PM           |                  | Wednesday/Opening |
|------------------|---------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Rodney Brown  | Bill Carothers      | 1 <sup>st</sup>  | Mark Clemmons     |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> | Joe Byrd      | <b>Bradley Byrd</b> | 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Nathan Roy        |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> | Cannon Harper | Colin Robinson      | 15 <sup>th</sup> | Jim Harrison      |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> | Brian Byrd    | Dennis McBrayer     | 22 <sup>nd</sup> | David Moore       |
|                  |               |                     | 29 <sup>th</sup> | Harry Picciuto    |

# **Song Leaders For November**

| Sunday AM        |                      | Sunday PM                 | Wednesday        |             |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| 5 <sup>th</sup>  | Clayton Workman      | Clayton Workman           | 1 <sup>st</sup>  | Clayton W,  |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> | Wayne Allen          | Wayne Allen               | 8 <sup>th</sup>  | Wayne A.    |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> | <b>Gene Southern</b> | Gene Southern             | 15 <sup>th</sup> | Gene S.     |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> | David Shoaf          | Song + Prayer svc Charley | 22 <sup>nd</sup> | Tristan Roy |
|                  |                      |                           | 29 <sup>th</sup> | David Shoaf |

PLEASE, if you are unable to be here, ARRANGE COVERAGE!

Thank you for your willingness to serve!

**CONTACT: GENE SOUTHERN** 

## **Secretary**

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**COME STUDY WITH US!** 

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:30 - 4:30PM CHAPEL MONDAY - THURSDAY IN THE ANNEX @ 9AM



WATCH ON ABC45 EVERY SUNDAY
@ 12:30PM