

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

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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> > December 1, 2013

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

"HOW DO YOU SHOW HIM YOUR THANKS FOR IT?"

A young couple was going over their monthly bills. In then them were bills from the drug store, department store, the rent, the utilities; it seemed like the outgo might be one dollar less than the "in-come." Trying to find something humorous in it all, the young husband said, "Isn't it a good thing that **God** doesn't send us bills?"

What if God decided to bill us for the wondrous bodies He's given us? A piano has eighty-eight keys, but each of our ears has fifteen hundred "keys". Our eyes are both microscopes and telescopes. They can inspect the smallest insect or gaze into the heavens and see the light of stars millions of miles away. Did you know that the foot has only twenty-six bones with some tendons and ligaments yet a three hundred pound man can put all his weight on those tiny bones? The heart is about the size of your fist, but beats four thousand three hundred twenty times an hour. In a year that's about forty million beats.

How much do you think Dell, or H/P would bill you for something comparable to all that? Yet God gives it to you at no charge. It is a gift – but the question is, how do you show Him your thanks for it?

Frank

ELDER'S CORNER:

WANT TO BECOME GOOD LOOKING?

We have all had those times when we looked in the mirror and been unimpressed with what we saw. So, here are some simple tips to become much healthier and better looking.

- Want to lose weight? Cast all your heavy cares and worries on the Lord (1 Peter 5:7; Matthew 11:28-30).
- Want to exercise more? Get up every day to "walk in the light" and run the spiritual race (1 John 1:7; Hebrews 12:1).
- Want to become strong? Then become strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might (Ephesians 6:10)
- Want beautiful lips? Speak words of encouragement, kindness, and good (Hebrews 3:13; Ephesians 4:29; Proverbs 15:4).
- Want gorgeous eyes? Look out for the interests of others, not just yourself (Philippians 2:4).
- Want to improve your vision? Focus on the things that are eternal, not the things that are physical (2 Corinthians 4:16-18).
- Want to hear better? Listen to the words of Christ and act on them (Romans 10:17; Matthew 7:24-27).
- Want great hands? Consistently lift up holy hands to the Lord in prayer (1 Thessalonians 5:17; 1 Timothy 2:8).
- Want nice looking feet? Use them to bring the good news of Christ to others (Romans 10:15).
- Want the most fashionable clothes? Clothe yourself with Christ through baptism (Galatians 3:27).
- Want to smell amazingly good? Then become a "sweet aroma" and a "fragrance of Christ" to God and to others (2 Corinthians 2:15-16).

TRUE beauty in this life has very little to do with physical looks and everything to do with our spiritual appearance to God. Don't focus so much on the outward appearance, but instead on inward beauty (Matthew 23:27). After all, "Charm is deceitful and beauty is vain..." (Proverbs 31:30). Let's remember, "...God sees not as man sees, for man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart" (1 Samuel 16:7).

-Brett Petrillo, Bear Creek church of Christ

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2013

December 2 - I John 1 December 3 - I John 2

December 4 - I John 3

December 5 - I John 4



December 6 - I John 5 December 7 - 2 John December 8 - 3 John

OUR SICK

Please Remember in your prayers

Steve Martin's procedure this past Monday was successful. Thanks for the prayers.

Clarence Sheets is at home recovering from his recent bout with congestive heart failure and pneumonia. He is improving slowly and undergoing physical therapy to regain his strength.

Please pray for **Rose Santiago**, Andy's sister, who had underwent tests this past Monday on her diabetes.

Prayers are requested for **Dawn West**, co-worker of Dwight Barringer, who will undergo surgery December 3rd to give a kidney to her husband.



The **Prayer List** is available on the credenza in the foyer.

INVITATION

Please Join us as we celebrate Steve & Ernestine Martin's 50th Wedding Anniversary

Saturday, December 14th, 2013
At noon
For a covered dish luncheon at
Warners Chapel Church of Christ
Annex Building
8999 Lasater Rd.
Clemmons, NC 27012

INVITATION

The Kirkpatrick's will host their Annual Holiday Party Drop-In on Saturday, December 21, 2013, from 6-8 p.m.

Finger foods, desserts and punch will be served.

For directions see Paul or Carla.

ATTENDED NURSERIES AVAILABLE:



Nursery #1 - (0-2 1/2 Yrs.) Nursery #2 - (2 1/2-4 Yrs.)

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 MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

Dec. 1 - Pew Packers at 5:30Dec. 5 - "50 and Older Class" will meet at 10:30a.m. in Annex.

AREA EVENTS:

<u>Dec. 8</u> - Bible Quiz (ages 2-19) at the Redland church of Christ.

Lunch: 1-2 p.m.,

Congregational Singing 2:30-3:00 p.m.

(Led by Youth)

Bible Quiz: 3:00 - 4:15 p.m.

RSVP by Dec. 1st. @336-998-3918

New Address:

Dawn Elam and Jennifer Briden's new address is: 9350 S. Cimarron Rd., Las Vegas, NV 89178.

Hilda Hauser has moved to Clemmons Village #2 Assisted Living. She is in Room 31.

PLEASE NOTE:

A food box for the Needy Family is in the foyer. Please provide non-perishable foods.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - November 24,, 2013	158
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	208
Contribution for November 24, 2013	\$5,398
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	32
Chapters Read:	589
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	146

106

Wednesday Evening: November 27, 2013

Lord's Day Appointments - December 8, 2013

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Andrew Hinson Morning - Steve Tesh A.M. - Clayton Workman A.M. - Homer Holland

Song Leader - Roger Allen Evening - Allen Cooper P.M. - Tim Allen P.M. - Derek Elam

Prayer - Todd Hinson Wed. - Wayne Allen

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

Morning - Abby Little Morning - Robin Hauser D. C. and Ingrid Mock Zone 2

Evening - Betty Hoots **Evening -** Meredith Southern

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - December 8 Shawn Thomason
Wednesday: - December 11 Shawn Thomason

Lord's Day Appointments - December 1, 2013

Devotions: Opening Prayer a.m. - D. C. Mock Scripture Reader a.m. - Adam Warner

Scripture: Allen Cooper p.m. - Tommy Ridings p.m. - Gene Ruark

Song: Tim Allen Song Leaders: a.m. - Jason Allen Nursery #1: a.m. - Jessica Lay

Prayer: D. C. Mock p.m. - Roger Allen p.m. - Mary Anne Allen

Wed. - Mark Roy Nursery #2: a.m. - Rhonda Hardister

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