

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

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

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NOT EVERYBODY ELSE"

People are always measuring things, comparing results, and applying those results in their lives. From rain gages to research on carbohydrates, people like to measure. I once read an article in a church bulletin entitled, "Seven Ways to Measure the Spirituality and Strength of the Church."

It's good to measure a congregation but I believe it's also good to measure our own spirituality and strength. See what you think:

Number one: **Dedication** — to be measured by one's spiritual growth.

Number two: **Compassion** — measured by the services rendered to those in need.

Number three: **Love** — to be measured by the souls taught the Gospel of Christ through one's own endeavors.

Number four: **Mercy** — to be measured by the seriousness with which one accepts the "Great Commission."

Number five: **Devotion** —to be measured by the sincerity with which God is worshipped.

Number six: **Hope** —to be measured by the security each member feels in Christ.

Number seven: **Conviction** — to be measured by the sacrifice one makes of his money.

Because each congregation consists of a body of obedient believers, these are good ways to measure, compare with, and apply to its spiritual growth. But we need to remember — each person must examine him or herself, not everybody else.

Frank

Elders Corner:

"Nobody Made It"

Sir Isaac Newton once had an exact replica of the solar system made in miniature. At its center was a large golden ball representing the sun, and revolving around it were small spheres attached at the ends of rods of varying lengths. They represented Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, and other planets. These were all geared together by cogs and belts to make them move around the "sun" in perfect harmony.

One day as Newton was studying the model, a friend who did not believe in the Biblical account of creation stopped by for a visit. Marveling at the device and watching as the scientist made the heavenly bodies move on their orbits, the man exclaimed, "My, Newton, what an exquisite thing! Who made it for you?" Without looking up, Sir Isaac replied, "Nobody." "Nobody?" his friend asked. "That's right! All of these balls and cogs and belts and gears just happened to come together, and wonder of wonders, by chance they began revolving in their set orbits and with perfect timing."

The friend got the message. It was foolish to suppose that the model merely happened (Psalm 14:1), but it was even more senseless to accept the theory that the earth and the vast universe came into being by chance. How much more logical to believe what the Bible says, "In the beginning, God created the heaven and the earth" (Genesis 1:1)

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READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2015

August 17 - Romans 16 August 18 - I Cor. 1

August 19 - I Cor. 2

August 20 - I Cor. 3



August 21 - I Cor. 4 August 22 - I Cor. 5

August 23 - I Cor. 6

OUR SICK



Please Remember in your prayers

Don Minor was scheduled to have a stress test this past Friday. Following the results of this test the doctors will decide how to proceed.

Carla Kirkpatrick's mother, Janet Mahan, is scheduled to have surgery on August 27th. She will have an colostomy for a while which will be reversed in a few months.

Prayers have been requested for Bill William's mother, Brenda, who has cancer and is in the Baptist Hospital undergoing chemo treatments. Prayers are also requested for all the family at this time.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE

There will be a school supplies drive for Griffith Elementary School from now until August 23rd. There is a box in the foyer where you can leave the supplies or you can give a monetary donation to Nancy or Laura Cooper.

YOUTH MEETING

The Youth Meeting will be held on Saturday, August 29th. We will be going to Hanging Rock. We will meet at the Advanced Appliance parking lot at 9 a.m. For details, please see Richie or Bridget Hill.

NEW ADDRESSES

Jennifer Kirkpatrick Sitton's address is: 7ll East Park Street Olathe, KS 66061

Homer Holland:

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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.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO A "COVERED DISH" CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP MEAL IN THE ANNEX NEXT DOOR FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

<u>Aug. 16</u> - Lord's Helpers Meeting following the evening services.

August 19 - The Summer Series speaker will be John Dupree from Selma, NC The topic will be "Job"

<u>August 30</u> - Contribution will be designated to Africa.

August 30 - There will be a Bridal Shower for Megan Clemmons from 3-5 p.m. in the Annex. Megan is registered at Target and Bed Bath & Beyond. All Ladies are invited.

November 7 - Annual Chicken Stew

AREA EVENTS:

Aug. 9-13 - Gospel Meeting at the Redland church of Christ. Speaker: Joseph Barr from Conway, SC.

Aug. 9-14 - 2015 Summer Gospel Meeting at the University church of Christ in Charlotte, NC

<u>Sept. 13-16</u> - Gospel Meeting at the Mooresville church of Christ with Matthew Johnson from the Huram church of Christ in Huram, GA.

Oct. 3 - Ladies Day at the Eastside church of Christ. 8 a.m.-12 Noon.

FOR THE RECORD

| Sunday Bible Study - Aug. 9, 2015 | 136 |
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| Sunday Morning Worship Service: | 172 |
| Contribution for Aug. 9, 2015 | \$7,707 |
| Daily Adult Bible Readers: | 36 |
| Chapters Read: | 571 |
| Daily Children Bible Readers: | |
| Chapters Read: | |
| Sunday Evening: | 145 |
| Wednesday Evening: August 12, 2015 | 124 |

Lord's Day Appointments - August 23, 2015

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Jason Allen Morning - Clayton Workman A.M. - Wayne Allen A.M. - Derek Elam Song - Wayne Allen Evening - Gene Ruark P.M. - Gene Southern P.M. - Jason Allen

Prayer - Carl Cooper Wed. - Song Req. Service

Wayne A. & Roger A.

NURSERY (0-2 1/2): NURSERY (2 1/2-4): Greeters: August

Morning - Sandy Warner Morning - Linda Flinchum Rodney & Theresa Brown

Evening - Nancy Minor Evening - Betty Hoots

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - August 23 John Allen Wednesday: - August 26 John Allen

Lord's Day Appointments - August 16, 2015

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture- John AllenMorning- Todd HinsonA.M. - Clayton WorkmanA.M. - Mark MinorSong Leader- Joe EverettEvening- Allen CooperP.M. - Steve TeshP.M. - Bill Carothers

Prayer - Tommy Ridings Wed. - Don Minor

NURSERY (0-2 1/2): NURSERY (2 1/2-4):

Morning -Robin HauserMorning -Abby LittleEvening -Marie HarperEvening -Gina 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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ELDERS DEACONS

David Moore
Tim AllenRandy Warner
Keith Warner
Andy SantiagoMike Cooper
Jody Everett
Gene Southern
Shawn ThomasonTodd HinsonMark MinorShawn Thomason

Steve Tesh Jason Allen