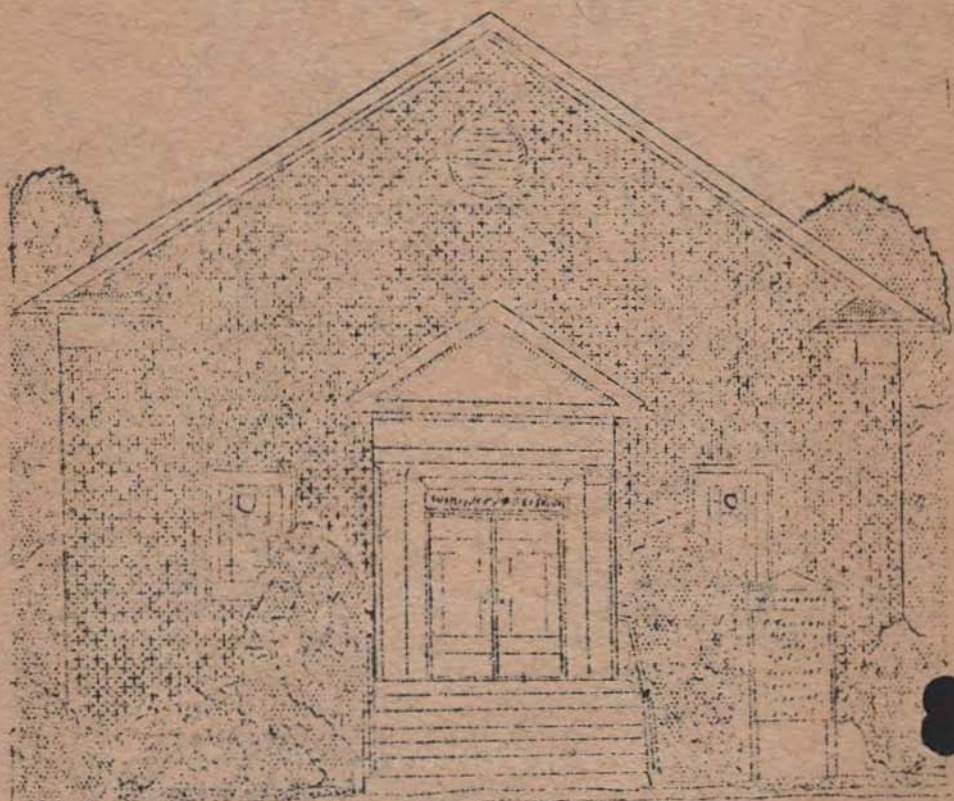


WARNERS CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Bible Study.....10:15 A. M.
Morning Worship(Begins)...,11:00 A. M.

PREACHING

First and Third Sundays....11:00 A. M.
Second and Fourth Sundays.. 7:30 P. M.

BIBLE CLASSES

Monday Evening..... 8:00 P. M.
Friday Evening..... 8:00 P. M.

Cecil L. Derryberry.....Minister

TRUE WORSHIP

WHAT TO SING

Last week we found that the purpose of our singing was to TEACH AND ADMONISH ONE ANOTHER and to PRAISE GOD. (Col.3:15; Eph.5:18-19).

Today we want to find what we are to sing or what we are to use in teaching and admonishing one another, and in praising God.

"Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord;" (Eph.5:19)

"Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom; teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord." (Colossians 3:16)

From the above scriptures, psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs are what we are commanded to use to teach and admonish one another and to praise God in the song services.

"It is difficult to draw the distinction between songs described as psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs. The difficulty arises from the fact that while each term originally denoted a distinct and separate kind of song, frequently two, or even the three distinct kinds sometimes, were combined in one song, and the terms came to be used interchangeably.

"IN PSALMS - Psalms are songs devoted to the praise of God, extolling his name, power, character, and works. The songs of David are

mainly of this character, hence were called psalms.

" AND HYMNS - Hymns are songs of praise, thanksgiving, and supplication, teaching our dependance on God and his willingness to hear and bless.

" AND SPIRITUAL SONGS, -Spiritual songs are those intended to inspire and cultivate feelings of spiritual devotion and to bring the spirit of man into harmony with, and under the control of, the Spirit of God. " (New Testament Epistles by David Lipscomb and J. W. Shepherd. Volumn IV, PP. 106-107.)

Songs should be used that will teach the truths of the word of God. Truth can be taught in songs, Error can also be taught in songs. Our songs should be examined to see if their teaching is in harmony with the word of God. We should not teach one thing from the pulpit and something contradictory in the song services. However, we should not go to the extreme and seek to exclude from our songs all poetic expressions. To do so would take from our songs much of their beauty and sentiment.

Next week SINGING WITH THE SPIRIT AND WITH THE UNDERSTANDING. -----C.L.D.

DEVOTIONAL

HERMAN LANDRETH will read the devotional reading Sunday October 28th.

"He is my friend who helps me.
He is more my friend who helps me to help myself.
He is most my friend who helps me to help others. "

TREASURY REPORT

Balance as of June 1,	\$ 370.93
From Class fund by T. L. Moser,	100.00
Donation from W. H. Watkins,	5.00
Combined collections for June, 1945,	161.00
" " " July, 1945,	203.46
" " " Aug., 1945,	151.39
" " " Sept., 1945,	<u>138.66</u>

Total Collections \$1130.44

Combined report of expenses for months of June, July, August, and September.

Cecil L. Derryberry	\$ 300.00
W. O. Hixson	8.00
Wm. Clingman, Janitor	17.00
Light Bills	9.63
Grape Juice & Work on trees	8.25
Post Cards and Stamps	3.00
Envelopes	9.00
Communion Set	55.52
W. W. Tynes	110.00
Flowers	<u>4.64</u>

Total Expenses \$ 525.04

Balance as of October 1, 1945 \$ 605.40

HOW TO GIVE

Give as you would if an Angel

Awaited your gift at the door;

Give as you would if tomorrow

Found you where waiting is o'er;

Give as you would to the Master

If you met His searching look;

Give as you would of your substance,

If His hand your offering took.