

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

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

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IN NOT OUT

In the days of Noah one had to be in the ark to be saved (Genesis 6-9). Those outside of the ark drowned. On the day the Passover took place, the firstborn needed to be in those houses marked by the blood of the lamb (Exodus 12). Those outside of such houses were killed. On the day the Lord destroyed the walls of Jericho, only those citizens of Jericho who were in Rahab's house were saved (Joshua 2). Anyone outside of her house on that day was killed. When Paul was in that terrible storm on his way to Rome, an angel told him that the men would have to stay in the ship in order to be saved (Acts 27:31). Any man who whould have abandoned the boat too soon would have been lost at sea.

In order for a person's soul to be saved he must be in Christ (2 Timothy 2:10). He must be in the body of Christ (Ephesians 5:23). The body of Christ is the church (Ephesians 1:22, 23). Those who are not in the Lord's church are not saved. It is the Lord's church which was purchased by the blood of Christ (Acts 20:28). No other institution can truthfully make the same claim. There is no salvation apart from the blood of Christ, and thus there is no salvation apart from that church which He purchased with His blood.

How does one get into Christ? How does one enter into the body of Christ? How can a person be added to the church of Christ (Acts 2:47)? Paul said we are baptized into Christ (Galatians 3:27). To the church at Corinth he explained we are baptized into the one body (1 Corinthians 12:12, 13). When the first century Christians were baptized so that they could be

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saved, the Lord added them to the church (Acts 2:38-47). Anyone not immersed in water for the remission of sins is outside of Christ. You have to be immersed to get into Christ.

To teach that only those who are in the Lord's church will be saved is restrictive. For this, members of the church are often rebuked. Yet, our Lord told us that it would be the minority who are saved (Matthew 7:13, 14). In the same context, He made it clear that only those who actually obey God will be saved (Matthew 7:21-22). Most people will be lost because most people will reject the truth. Jesus taught this. We are simply repeating it.

Only Jesus has the authority to establish a church (Matthew 16:13-20). He has that authority because He is the Son of God. What man is the Son of God in the divine sense in which Christ was the Son of God? None! Therefore, no man has the authority to establish his own church. All of those in man-made churches built upon man-made religions are in the wrong boat, the wrong house, the wrong church. They are outside of Christ and they are lost.

~Kevin V. Rutherford



THANK YOU!

Many thanks to all of the ladies that came out on Saturday, February 16th, to help prepare for our up-coming Ladies' Day. We were able to accomplish a great deal and had some great fellowship. A special thanks to Lois, Dana and Cindy for all the hard work they did preparing for our work day.

We are always mindful of Jeannie, who we miss so much, and our Ladies' Day Leader for so many years ... such a wonderful example with all of the works that she did. God Bless and comfort the family as we mark a year since she went Home.

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2019

February 25 - Mark 5:1-20

February 26 - Mark 5:21-41 February 27 - Mark 6:1-29

February 28 - Mark 6:30-56



March 1 - Mark 7:1-13 March 2 - Mark 7:14-37

March 3 - Mark 8:1-21



OUR SICK Please Remember in Your Prayers

Please continue to pray for Di-Ann Moser, and Wayne and Cathy Hutchins.

D.C. Mock underwent surgery on Feb. 13th and is doing fairly well at home in recovery.

Lorie Rose underwent outpatient surgery on Feb. 15th. She is doing well and is back at work.

Elwood Flinchum will enter the Baptist Hospital on Monday for a biopsy. Please keep him in your prayers.

Richard Hamann has undergone medical tests recently and the results were mostly positive. Thanks to all for the prayers.

Please keep **Bill Knost** in your prayers. He fell recently and shattered his elbow.

Sherrill Stewart and Gina Harper are both at home with the flu at this time. Please pray for them.

Please pray for **Gale Queen.** She has not been feeling well for about a week. She is also having a lot of pain in her right leg because of Sciatica.

Debbie Southern is going through tests this week. She is experiencing intestinal discomfort.

Sandra Church is ill with fever, cold and congestion this past week.

Also, Nancy Minor was ill with a cold this past week.

Thank you for your prayers for my Dad, **Jim Furches.** Please continue to pray as he is really struggling lately.

Please pray for **Terry Joe and Martha Kee**, parents of Emily Workman. Both have a viral infection right now that has made them very sick.

Please remember **Barry Stewart.** He is still at the Forsyth Hospital recovering from heart surgery. He was moved into a room this past Wednesday. He is now in Room 6118.

Jack Patrick, Sherrill Stewart's grandson, had ear surgery for the fourth time recently. He seems to be doing okay now. Please keep him in your prayers.

SHUT-INS

Mildred Barker Mary Ellen Dull Ernestine Martin Carolyn Minor Di-Ann Moser

Please keep the shut-ins in your prayers

THE PRAYER LIST IS AVAILABLE ON THE CREDENZA IN THE FOYER.



HOUSE TO HOUSE

The new edition of House to House is available 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 MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

<u>Feb. 26</u> - Sewing for missions on Tuesday from 9-12 in the annex. This year we will be sewing for girls in Guyana and Panama.

<u>Feb. 26</u> - Tuesday Evening Bible Study from 7-8 p.m. in Annex.

March 23 - Warners Chapel Ladies Day. Vicky Rutherford will be the guest speaker. Topic: "A Gentle and Quiet Spirit" - 1 Peter 3:4. Registration: 8:30 a.m. (Light breakfast beginning at 8 a.m. in Annex.) Program will begin at 9 a.m. with lunch provided at 12 noon.

AREA EVENTS:

Mar. 2 - Ladies Day at the Cary church of Christ.

March 9 - Carolina Men's Fellowship. Theme: "Today's Effects on Tomorrow" Speakers: David Shannon and Tony Edwards.

March 30 - Ladies Day at North Main St. church of Christ in Mocksville, NC. Guest Speaker: Sheila Butt - Theme: "If The Shoe Fits".

April 13 - Ladies Day at the Lexington church of Christ. Guest Speaker - Dr. Cynthia Guy from Myrtle Beach church of Christ. Theme: "Staying Anchored in a Drifting World"



SOUTHWEST FOOD PANTRY

The suggested items for the month of **February:**

CANNED FRUIT

FOR THE RECORD Sunday Bible Study - February 17, 2019 140 Sunday Worship Service 167 Contribution for February 17, 2019 \$6,569

Daily Adult Bible Readers: 34
Chapters Read: 533
Sunday Evening Worship Service 102

Wednesday Evening Bible study - 2-20-19 78

Lord's Day Appointments For March, 2019

Serving the Lord's Table For March:

Charley Belch

Wayne Allen Mark Clemmons

Jim Harrison Tammy Roy Tim Allen

Jim Harrison

Preparing Communion for March: Making Announcements on Sunday: Making Announcements on Wednesday:

Lord's Day Appointments - March 3, 2019

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Allen Cooper Morning - Al Lawson A.M. - Charley Belch A.M. - Jacob Woodbury Song Leader - Tim Allen Evening - Sherrill Stewart P.M. - Wayne Allen P.M. - Mark Clemmons

Prayer - D. C. Mock Wed. - Allen Cooper Roger A. & Wayne A.

Greeters for March: Richard & Karen Clemmons

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - March 3 ~ Shawn Thomason Wednesday: - March 6 ~ Shawn Thomason

Lord's Day Appointments - February 24, 2019

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Jason Allen Morning - Tim Harper A.M. - Clayton Workman A.M. - Dwight Barringer P.M. - Youth Lead Service P.M. - Tommy Rose

Prayer - Carl Cooper Wed. - Song Req. Service Roger A. & Wayne A.

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - February 24 ~ John Allen Greeter for February:
Wednesday: - February 26 ~ John Allen Daryl Cook

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

Tim Allen
Todd Hinson
Steve Tesh
Andy Santiago

Andy Santiago

Randy Warner
Keith Warner
Mark Minor
Jason Allen
Jody Everett

Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason
Mark Roy
Adam Warner
Jacob Woodbury