



# Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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**A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU**

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## ***“SEVEN HABITS OF HIGHLY EFFECTIVE CHRISTIANS”***

“The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People, first published in 1989, is a self-help book written by Stephen R. Covey. It has sold over 15 million copies in 38 languages since first publication which was marked by the release of a 15th anniversary edition in 2004. Covey presents an approach to being effective in attaining goals by aligning oneself to what he calls “true north” principles of a character ethic that he presents as universal and timeless.” (Wikipedia)

I know others have had a similar idea about using the title of this “best seller.” An article along these lines might have even appeared in this publication. I wrote the following article for a congregation bulletin in West Virginia in November, 1995. “Perhaps you’ve seen a book with a similar title in the bookstores. The idea is to give people insight into how to live more successfully than they have been. If you, as a Christian, have reached your peak in successful Christian living, this article is not for you. If you think you have some room to improve, then please read on.

**Habit #1 - LIVE and WORK** to reach others each day as if you knew the world would end next Sunday night. **THINK** of that energy and the urgency!

**Habit #2 - BE AS ENTHUSIASTIC** about the church and its services as if there were an overflow crowd each time. **THINK** of the interest, anticipation, and excitement of an overflow crowd!

**Habit #3 - COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS** by making a list of the things you are thankful to God for. **THANK** Him for them one by one as you offer Him your prayers!

**HABIT #4 - MAKE AND MAINTAIN A LIST OF YOUR FAULTS** and pray for forgiveness and help to overcome them. **THINK** how much better life will be!

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**Habit #5 - READ YOUR BIBLE AND MEDITATE** on what you read. Set Aside thirty minutes every day to spend with God in prayer, Bible study and meditation. **THINK** how comforting it will be to spend time with the One who loves you more than anyone else in the world!

**Habit #6 - VISIT SOMEONE EACH WEEK.** Visit some member you don't know very well, or someone who is sick, or someone who visited worship services, or a member who needs encouragement, or a prospective Christian. **THINK** of how much closer you can be with other Christians and how the church will grow!

**Habit #7 - REACH ANOTHER PERSON.** Conduct a Bible study in your home and invite your relatives and neighbors. The elders and the preacher will help you. **THINK** how you would grow!

I'm sure others could think of different habits to add to this list. Hopefully, these will help ;you not only to "say" but to "do" those things that will make you a more highly effective Christian.

—Frank Shepard

## NICARAGUA MEDICAL/EVANGELISM CAMPAIGN

On June 17th, eleven Christians from Warners Chapel (David & Jeannie Moore, Ingrid Mock, Todd and Andrew Hinson, Andy & Robbie Santiago, Justin & Amber Minor, Jessica Paschal and Olivia Clemmons) will be leaving for Nicaragua on a Medical/Evangelism Campaign. The elders have set aside \$7,500 from the church treasury to help with expenses. That amounts to approximately \$682 per person. Due to rising fuel costs, the airfare this year will be \$1,012 and the in-country expense has increased to \$750. Each participant contributed \$300 as a commitment fee at the time they submitted their application. Unless other individuals contribute toward the remaining expense, each participant will be responsible for around \$800. For those of you who can't go to Nicaragua, this is an opportunity for you to participate in addition to your regular contribution. If you would like to contribute, write your check to Warners Chapel and put it in the Nicaragua envelopes you will find on the credenza in the foyer.

## READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2010

March 21 - Luke 1:21-38  
March 22 - Luke 1:39-56  
March 23 - Luke 1:57-80  
March 24 - Luke 2:1-24



March 25 - Luke 2:25-52  
March 26 - Luke 3  
March 27 - Luke 4:1-30

## Please Remember In Your Prayers:

**Tim Harper** is having difficulty with severe back pain at this time.

Prayers are requested for **Kristen Hill**, a friend of the Thomason's who underwent base of skull and spine surgery on Mar. 16th.

Prayers are requested for Tommy Rose's brother-in-law, **Roy Douglas**, who has a cyst on his kidney—and also for Tommy's sister, **Jo Ann Anderson**, who has heart problems. She attends Warners some on Wednesday evenings.

Also the Thomasons are requesting prayers for **Sharon Temple**, who had surgery on Mar. 17th.

Special prayers are requested for the **Keen Family** of Fallon, NV by Tammy Downs. **A.L. Keen**, a faithful preacher for over 40 years is in the final stage of battling cancer and Hospice has been called in. Please remember this family during a very difficult time.

Prayers are requested for **Kai Walker** by her grandmother Iva Walker, a member of N. Main in Mocksville. Kai is a child adopted from China who has medical problems which has required several surgeries in the last couple of years. More surgery was done recently to correct a problem and she is having complications.

Please remember **Janet Stewart**, who is in Hospice at this time.

### Change in Need For Ladies Day

There is a change in the "cup and saucer request". The request is for just cups (no saucers) and they will not be returned. Instead they will be given to those attending as a part of a gift. If you have brought cups & saucers and wish to have them back, **please pick them up.**

### AREA EVENTS:

**April 9 - Ladies Day** at the Lexington church of Christ Registration & breakfast from 8:30-9:30 a.m. The theme is "Christ in Every Season of the Woman's Life".

**April 30 - Tenth Annual Charlotte Ave. Youth Rally**

**NOTE: Teachers needed for 2nd quarter. See insert!**

# 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 REMAIN FOR A "COVERED DISH" FELLOWSHIP MEAL SPONSORED THIS MORNING BY THE ZONE 3.

### WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

**Mar. 20 - Pew Packers** at 5:30 p.m.

**Mar. 20 - Unemployment Support Group Mtg.-** 4:30 p.m. in Annex.

**Mar. 21 - Sewing for Nicaragua** at the Santiago home at 7 p.m.

**Mar. 22 - Sewing for Nicaragua** at 9 a.m. in Annex.

**Mar. 22 - Adult Bible Study Class** 7 p.m. each Tues. evening.

**Mar. 24 - Over 50's Bible Study** in Annex - 10:30.

**March 26 - Ladies Day at Warners Chapel.** Topic: "What Fills Your Cup?" **Tammy Roy** will be the speaker. See note on Ladies Day Needs.

**March 27 - The congregation is invited to Justin Minor's Eagle Scout Ceremony** at 3 p.m. in Annex. RSVP please.

**May 14 - Warners Chapel Senior Rally** Topic: "Now That I've Retired" - **Gilbert Tripp** will be the speaker.

**May 29 - Friends & Family Day**

### FOR THE RECORD

<b>Sunday Bible Study - March 13, 2011</b>	<b>171</b>
<b>Sunday Morning Worship Service</b>	<b>220</b>
<b>Contribution for March 13, 2011</b>	<b>\$6,278</b>
<b>Daily Adult Bible Readers</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>Chapters Read:</b>	<b>728</b>
<b>Daily Children Bible Readers:</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Chapters Read:</b>	<b>127</b>
<b>Sunday Evening</b>	<b>164</b>
<b>Wednesday Evening - March 16, 2011</b>	<b>161</b>

## *Lord's Day Appointments - March 27, 2011*

DEVOTIONS:	OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READER
<b>Scripture</b> - Jake Thomason	<b>Morning</b> - Joe Everett	<b>A.M.</b> - Jason Allen	<b>A.M.</b> - Allen Cooper
<b>Song Leader</b> - Jason Cravy	<b>Evening</b> - Jason Cravy	<b>P.M.</b> - Steve Tesh	<b>P.M.</b> - Jeff Downs
<b>Prayer</b> - Shawn Thomason		<b>Wed.</b> - Song Req. Serv. Gene Southern	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):	NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	Greeters: March	FELLOWSHIP MEAL:
<b>Morning</b> - Robin Hauser	<b>Morning</b> - Mary Anne Allen	Rick and Karen Clemmons	Zone 4
<b>Evening</b> - Debbie Southern	<b>Evening</b> - Jessica Lay		

### Opening and Closing Building

<b>Sunday</b> - March 27	Frank Shepard
<b>Wednesday</b> - March 30	Frank Shepard

### *Serving this Week: March 20, 2011*

<b>Devotions:</b>	<b>Opening Prayer:</b> a.m. - Jim Harrison	<b>Nursery #1:</b> a.m. Jean Rose
<b>Scripture:</b> Cody Downs	p.m. - Allen Cooper	p.m. Jeannie Moore
<b>Song:</b> Don Minor	<b>Song Leaders:</b> a.m. - Tim Allen	<b>Nursery #2:</b> a.m. Gina Harper
<b>Prayer:</b> Neal Harper	p.m. - Wayne Allen	p.m. Nancy Minor
	Wed. - Tim Allen	

### **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*

Steve Martin  
David Moore  
Tim Allen  
Joe Everett

#### *DEACONS*

Steve Tesh  
Randy Warner  
Tommy Rose  
Keith Warner

Andy Santiago  
Mark Minor  
Todd Hinson