



Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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“The churches of Christ salute you” Rom. 16:16

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

April 12, 2015

“HOW WOULD YOU ANSWER?”

A young boy once asked his dad what a Christian was. To which the father replied in grand fashion. “A Christian is a person who loves and obeys God. He loves his friends and neighbors. He expresses his appreciation for them. He even loves his enemies and prays for them that they might be blessed. He is kind, he is considerate, and he’s gentle and courteous in his speech and is unselfish toward others. He prays often, he worships regularly. And he lives a life that is pure and holy so that all people around him know that he is a Christian through and through.” The little boy thought for a minute or two and asked, “Daddy, have I ever seen one?” How would you answer that question?

Some would have lived the Christian life in such a way that their child might already know the answer. But what about the person who calls himself a Christian but doesn’t worship regularly? What about the one who calls himself a Christian but lives like “a devil?” What about the one who mistreats his family and selfishly fulfills his own wants and needs with little regard to his family?

Most who will read this will already be a Christian and will know what the answer should be. What if you aren’t a Christian? Would you know how to describe a Christian accurately, according to the Bible? If you aren’t a Christian, and want to know more about them and even how to become one why don’t you start worshipping with us and studying the Bible with us? What do you say? Why not answer “Yes”?

Frank Shepard

ELDERS CORNER:

We continue this week sharing some thoughts from “Simons’ Simple Sermon of the Week” written by brother Jack Simons during his time at Warners Chapel from February 1984 until August 1994.

It takes more to being a mother than conceiving and bearing a child! - May 9, 1993

A drowning man will grab the blade of a sword. A man dying in sin should grab the sword of the Spirit. - January 6, 1991

Sin is not judged by the way we see it, but by the way God sees it. - September 30, 1990

Before a fellow tries to live by his wits, he ought to be sure he has some. - May 23, 1993

Experience is what causes people to make new mistakes instead of old ones. - Nov 8, 1992

When the going gets tough, the weak turn to God for strength. - March 3, 1991

Make God first in your life and you find Him with you at the last. - November 15, 1992

Every parent should remember that their children will one day follow their examples instead of their advice. - March 6, 1994

Gossip like mud thrown against a clean wall may not stick, but it will leave a mark. - May 5, 1991

Some folks don’t look up until they are flat on their backs.—April 3, 1994

Knowing what to do means nothing unless it translates into doing what we know. - Dec 20, 1992

A good sermon is one that leaves you asking, “How did the preacher know so much about me?” - October 13, 1991

Never confuse the will of the majority with the will of God. - April 18, 1993

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2015

April 13 - Luke 12:1-31
April 14 - Luke 12:32-59
April 15 - Luke 13:1-22
April 16 - Luke 13:23-35



April 17 - Luke 14:1-24
April 18 - Luke 14:25-35
April 19 - Luke 15:1-10



OUR SICK

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Wayne Hutchins underwent hernia surgery on April 8th. It was reported that he was in considerable pain following the surgery. Please keep Wayne and Cathy in your prayers.

Please continue to keep Tib Hoots in your prayers. She has been moved to the Elms on Harper Road in the Skilled Care Unit, Room 707. Brief visits are welcomed.

Mildred Barker underwent hip surgery repair this past week. She has since been released to the Elms Skilled Nursing, Room 110 for rehab.

Mark Minor continues to recover at home from his accident and recent surgery.

Roger Allen is having health issues. He recently had noro virus and had a spinal nerve block on his neck. He still has two more procedures on the neck including a nerve carterization. Prayers are requested.

Rebecca Allen was reported Wednesday evening to not be feeling well. Please continue to pray for her.

Alfrieda Holt, Atha Clark's daughter, underwent surgery recently and is reported to be doing some better at this time.

Clayton Workman's mother, **Francie Workman**, is in the hospital at this time undergoing radiation treatments and will be released when the treatments are completed. Cards may be sent to her in **c/o Amy Cooper, 213 Hollis, Bono, AR 72416**. Please continue to keep her in your prayers. (Amy is Clayton's sister and will be overseeing their mother's care at this time.

We have a prayer request from the Woodbury's... former members here who moved away a few years ago. They've desired to come back to the area and Jake has been selected for a position with the U.S. Postal Service in Greensboro. This is contingent on a background check. They could possibly be moving back to the area in a few months and they solicit our prayers.

~IN SYMPATHY~

Our sympathy goes out to Mary Anne Allen and families in the death of her Grandfather Brazzle. His funeral was held this past week in TN.

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.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

April 12 - Meeting Sunday morning following morning service for all who are going to Elizabeth City - need final count for motel listed on the board in the foyer.

April 14 - Sewing For Nicaragua at 9 a.m. in Annex.

April 16 - 50 & Over Class will meet at 10:30 a.m.

April 16-18 - Door Knocking in Elizabeth City. (Please sign up on bulletin board if you wish to participate.)

April 19 - Congregational Meal following morning worship service.

May 16-17 - Senior Rally - Jack Simons, speaker

June 6 - NCSBS Lectures

June 12-20 - Nicaragua Campaign.

June 21- 25 - VBS

July 11 - NCSBS Graduation.

AREA EVENTS:

April 12 - Fellowship Meeting at the Redland church of Christ. The speaker is Tony Williams of the Cedar Springs church in Spartanburg, SC. Time: 3 p.m. Lunch will be served.

April 25 - Ladies Day at Lexington church of Christ. The speaker is April Shanks. The theme is "Taming of the Tongue". (Lessons from James 3) Registration and continental breakfast 9-10 a.m., Program at 10 a.m. with lunch following.

Note:

Frank and Jane Shepard are in Charleston, SC, this weekend presenting the NCSBS.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - April 5, 2015	149
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	187
Contribution for April 5, 2015	\$7,099
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	36
Chapters Read:	673
Sunday Evening:	97
Wednesday Evening - April 8, 2015	103

Lord's Day Appointments - April 19, 2015

DEVOTIONS:		OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READERS
Scripture	- Mark Minor	Morning - Steve Martin	A.M. - Gene Southern	A.M. - Justin Minor
Song Leader	- Tommy Rose	Evening - David Elam	P.M. - Tim Allen	P.M. - Jason Allen
Prayer	- Andy Santiago		Wed. - Mark Roy	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):		NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	APRIL GREETERS:	Congregational Fellowship
Morning	- Jessica Lay	Morning - Gina Strickland	Mike and Laura Cooper	<u>Meal</u>
Evening	- Robin Hauser	Evening - Linda Flinchum		

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday:	April 19	Brad Hoots
Wednesday:	April 22	Brad Hoots

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Devotions:	Opening Prayer a.m. - Tommy Rose	Scripture Reader a.m. - Derek Elam
Scripture - Shawn Thomason	- Gene Ruark	p.m. - Allen Cooper
Song: - Tim Allen	Song Leaders: a.m. - Roger Allen	Nursery #1: a.m. - Abby Little
Prayer: - Jack Piper	p.m. - Jason Allen	p.m. - Betty Hoots
	(April 8) Wed. - Don Minor	Nursery #2: a.m. - Meredith Southern
		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
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“GETTING TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE” at 10:30 p.m. each week night on Cable 8
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 Gene Southern
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