

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

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

"ARE YOU ONE OF THEM?"

Would you be a faithful Christian? Faithful to the point of death?

Consider the words of a man written to a friend in the third century. "This is a

cheerful world as I see it from my garden under the shadow of my vines. But if I were to ascend some high mountain and look out over the wide lands, you know very well what I should see: brigands on the highways, pirates on the seas, armies fighting, cities burning; in the amphitheaters men murdered to please applauding crowds; selfishness, cruelty, misery and despair under all roofs. It is a bad world Donatus, an incredibly bad world. But I have discovered in the midst of it a quiet and holy people who have learned a great secret. They are despised and persecuted, but they care not. They are masters of their souls. They have overcome the world. These people, Donatus, are the Christians – and I am one of them. - Cyprian"

You can see the similarities between those times and our times. Are you master of your soul? Have you overcome the world? Cyprian was one of them. Are you a Christian? Are you one of them?

Come learn how at the Warners Chapel church of Christ.

(adapted) Frank Shepard

ELDERS CORNER:

Nicaragua Mission—Year 17

Over the past 16 years Warners Chapel has had over 40 different members to travel to Nicaragua to participate in the annual Medical/Evangelism Campaign. This year, we have our largest group of campaigners and that's encouraging to see such involvement.

In just three months, 15 Christians from Warners Chapel (Ashley Alderman, Karen & Mark Clemmons, Dana & Todd Hinson, Ingrid Mock, Mark, Tammy, Nathan, Brandon, Tara & Tristan Roy, Andy & Mindy Santiago and Linda Warner) will be leaving for this years campaign to be held in Nandaime, Nicaragua. We are excited to have three newbies this year, Ashley, Mark Clemmons and Linda. The group will be leaving the Warners Chapel building around 4:00am on Friday, June 12th for a 6:50am flight out of Greensboro to Miami to Managua.

As with everything else, costs continue to rise. Airfare this year is approximately \$800 per person. The in-country expense which includes most meals (except lunches), hotel and transportation will be \$840. Each participant contributed \$500 as a commitment fee at the time they submitted their application. The elders have set aside \$7,000 from the church treasury to help but even that falls short of meeting the total need. Therefore, the elders also decided to dedicate today's 5th Sunday contribution to the Nicaragua effort.

Money is also taken for various benevolent and special needs that arise such as purchasing rice and beans, medicine, clothing, wheelchairs or Bibles. For those of you who can't go, this is an opportunity for you to participate in this good work.

Our ladies are currently making dresses and these are always a huge hit with the Nicaraguan children and our ladies have influenced other participating congregations to do the same. The kids are so proud of their new clothes and to see their faces light up is such a blessing.

To repeat something that has been said many times before in previous bulletins concerning this work...before returning home on Sunday night the 21st, the group will have experienced the mental and physical challenges of doing mission work in a very hot, humid, and poverty stricken 3rd world country. But, it is a tremendously rewarding opportunity to affect the lives of several thousand people both physically and spiritually. Please pray for the campaign and do whatever else you can to make it a success.

Lord's Day Appointments - March 29, 2015

Devotions:	Opening Prayer	a.m.	-	Clayton Workman	Scripture Reader	a.m.	-	Jack Piper
Scripture - Justin Minor			-	Jody Everett		p.m.	-	Bill Carothers
Song: - Jason Allen	Song Leaders:	a.m.	-	Jason Allen	Nursery #1:	a.m.	-	Linda Flinchum
Prayer: - Shawn Thomason		p.m.	-	Youth Lead Service		p.m.	-	Rhonda Hardister
	(April 1)	Wed.	-	Jason Allen	Nursery #2:	a.m.	-	Robin Hauser
						p.m.	-	Sandy Warner



OUR SICK

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Please continue to pray for Cannon Harper's sister, **Janet Wrights.** She is at home and doing better at this time.

Mark Minor underwent surgery this past week to repair his shattered elbow. He experienced a problem with high blood pressure following his surgery.

Wayne Hutchins is scheduled to undergo his hernia surgery on April 8th. Please keep Wayne and Cathy in your prayers.

Emily Workman received a good report from her neurologist this past week and may resume driving.

Please continue to keep Tib Hoots in your prayers.

Clayton Workman's mother, **Francie Workman**, began radiation treatments this past week. Please continue to keep her in your prayers as further treatments are being considered.

Mary Anne Allen's **Grandfather Brazzle** is in need of prayers.

Also, let us continue to keep the Warners Chapel Shut-ins in our prayers.

Mildred Barker
Lutrelle Chipman
Eula Harper
Hilda Hauser

Tib Hoots
Dot Pegram
Eva Nelle Sidden

The **Prayer List** is available on the credenza in the foyer. The prayer list consists of others we need to remember in our prayers in addition to those listed above.

~In Sympathy~

Our sympathy goes out to Becky Allen and family in the death of her mother, Libby Etchison, who passed away Wednesday, March 25th. Visitation will be held from 2-3 p.m. on Sunday at the Graham Funeral Home in Mocksville with the funeral scheduled for 3 p.m. Please remember Becky and family in your prayers.

Also, please remember the family of Phyllis Hauser Warner, who passed away March 23rd. Phyllis was a past member of Warners Chapel and the daughter-in-law of Lorena Warner a long-remembered member of Warners Chapel who passed away many years ago.

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2015

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:

Mar. 29 - Mtg. will be held Sunday evening after services for anyone wanting to go to Elizabeth City for the Door Knocking Program scheduled in April.

Mar. 29 - 5th Sunday Contribution will be designated for the Nicaragua Mission trip.

Mar. 31 - Sewing For Nicaragua at 9 a.m. in Annex. April 2 - 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.

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

AREA EVENTS:

<u>April 5-8</u> - 2015 Carolina Lectures hosted by the Duncan church of Christ. Theme: "What the Church Needs"

See Bulletin Board

TODAY WILL BE THE LAST DAY TO SEND A MESSAGE

Project Barnabas

Hebrews 10:24 "And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works."

Encourage Ryan and Sarah in Peru by dropping a note to them. You can use your own card or there are some blank note cards and pens provided on the foyer credenza.

Drop completed cards in the collection box. They'd love hearing from you all about things in your life here. Put your card in the box by Sunday, <u>March 29 p.m.</u> service.

We will collect them each Sunday and Wednesday for several weeks, then send them all together as one <u>surprise</u> package from Warner's.

Thanks.

The Elders

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - March 22, 2015	150
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	174
Contribution for March 22, 2015	\$8,648
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	34
Chapters Read:	602
Sunday Evening:	126
Wednesday Evening - March 25, 2015	98

Lord's Day Appointments For April, 2015

Serving the Lord's Table For April:

Jim Harrison

Allen Cooper Mark Roy Gray Nail Andy Santiago

Preparing Communion for April:Laura CooperMaking Announcements on Sunday:Clayton WorkmanMaking Announcements on Wednesday:Michael Cooper

Lord's Day Appointments - April 5, 2015

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Rodney Brown Morning - Carl Cooper A.M. - Steve Tesh A.M. - Tommy Rose

Song Leader - Wayne Allen Evening - Shawn Thomason P.M. - Tim Allen P.M. - Gene Ruark

Prayer - Steve Martin Wed. - Nathan Roy

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

Morning - Linda Flinchum Morning - Abby Little Mike and Laura Cooper

Evening - Rhonda Hardister Evening - Gina Harper

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: April 5 Wednesday: April 8

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
You Can View Our Worship Services ONLINE - Each Sunday at 10:50 a.m. and 6 p.m. Eastern Time at
—www.warnerschapelchurchofchrist.org

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ELDERS DEACONS

David MooreRandy WarnerMike CooperTim AllenKeith WarnerJody EverettJoe EverettAndy SantiagoGene SouthernTodd HinsonMark MinorShawn Thomason

Steve Tesh Jason Allen