

Church of Christ

At

Warners Chapel

CLEMMONS, N. C.



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SUNDAY:

Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:50 A.M.
Evening Worship October thru May 7:00 P.M.
 June thru September 7:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY:

Mid-Week Worship 7:30 P.M.

YOU ARE WELCOME AT OUR SERVICES

CATHOLIC ATTITUDE TOWARD OUR SCHOOLS

Since it is a very likely possibility that the Democrats will run a Catholic for the office of president in 1960, we believe that people are entitled to know about the Catholic attitude toward our country and its schools. After we have noticed this attitude, let us then decide whether we are willing to accept Roman Catholic Appraisal of our public schools. The following antagonism toward the public school system of America evidences the untrustworthiness of Roman Catholicism.

"Let the public school system go where it came from—the devil" (Freeman's Journal, Nov., 1896)

"Education outside the Catholic church is a damnable heresy" (Syllabus of Pope Pius IX, 1864, Art. 45-48)

"We would rather our children should grow up in ignorance of letters than be taught a school that is not Catholic." (Catholic Review.)

"It will be a glorious day in this country when under the law the school system will be shivered to pieces." "The American school system is a national fraud, a social cancer pre--saging the death of rational morality." (Catholic Telegraph).

"The State has no right to educate; and when the State undertakes the work of education, it is usurping the power of the church." (Bishop McQuade in Boston, 1876)

"Education must be controlled by Catholic authorities, and utterances of the press are excluded, and many opinions are to be forbidden by the church, even to war and bloodshed." (Catholic World, July, 1870)

Well, there we have it. Catholics show nothing but contempt for the American public school system. Friends, is this what free Americans want? Do you wish someone to tell you how to train your child and force you to teach him Catholic Doctrine? Catholicism aims to abolish and destroy our public school system, and to force the acceptance of its doctrines or else! WAKE UP, AMERICA, BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE!

L.E. Sloan, via Newkern Admonisher...

NEWS AND NOTES

Nine teachers were present for the first monthly teachers meeting at the home of Brother Beard. They were: Brother Beard, Johnsie Moser, Clarence Sheets, Jim Harper, A.P. Warner, George Ridings, Mildred Warner, Virginia Elam and Eula Harper. The flu kept some away; others might have forgotten. The meetings will be the first Saturday of each month. Keep this day in mind.

The Carolina Lectures will be conducted in South Main's building May 2-6. Many visitors will be here that week from all over the Carolinas. If you could keep one or more visitors in your home and/or help prepare the noon meals at South Main, please contact Bro. Beard or J. D. Parker.

On Monday, February 8, twenty-seven preachers and other members of the church met in Goldsboro for a fellowship dinner. We were glad to meet four preachers who have moved into the Carolinas in the past few weeks. This meeting was held in connection with the opening of Goldsboro's beautiful new building and gospel meeting. The church at Goldsboro has grown in its two or three years of existence in spite of opposition.

Seen in a church bulletin:

AVERAGES FOR NOVEMBER:

Contribution.....	\$106.33
Bible Study.....	29
Sunday Worship.....	37
Sunday Night.....	Awful
Wednesday Night.....	Even Worse

THE HUMAN SIDE

The church has the divine side and the human side. As far as the divine side is concerned, the church is perfect; it cannot be improved upon. To change is to pervert, not improve. However, the human side always needs to be improved.

There are three classes of church members which hinder the work of God's family, and need to be changed:

The non-attending members. They are found in every congregation, and they form a very considerable group. Whatever explanation or apology may be offered for this situation, the fact remains that the influence of the church suffers heavily at the hands of its non-attending members. Little headway can be made with a membership that takes church attendance lightly.

Uninformed members: It is perfectly plain that when a soul has been "born again" its growth can be sustained and matured only through the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. An uninformed Christian will become a weak and sickly Christian; an uninformed church, a weak and sickly church. "As new born babes, long for the spiritual milk which is without

guile, that ye may grow thereby unto salvation." (I Pet. 2:2) Milk is for babes; solid food for full-grown men. "Brethren, be not children in mind; yet in malice be ye babes, but in mind be men." (I Cor. 14:20)

The non-supporting members. A church is strong or feeble, not primarily in proportion to its membership, but in proportion to its supporting membership. The strength of a church is in the number of active members----those who invest time, thought, energy, and money in its maintenance. The weakness of a church is in the number of its inactive members. When is a member not a member? Answer: When he is a non-supporting member.

Adapted from Gospel Advocate.

"No man becomes fully evil at once; but suggestion bringeth on indulgence; indulgence, delight; delight, consent; consent, endeavor; endeavor, practice; practice, custom; custom, excuse; excuse, defence, and defence a seared conscience and reprobate mind."

Thanks to Helen Warner who will be cutting the stencils from now on.