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

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

APRIL 3, 2022

Paul Writes Preachers

The second letter Paul wrote to Timothy contains more inspired information that helps us to understand the role of the preacher. From this book we learn:

1. Preachers must not be ashamed of the testimony of our Lord (2 Timothy 1:8-12).
2. Preachers must hold fast to the pattern of sound words (2 Timothy 1:13)
3. Preachers must teach faithful Christians so that they can go and teach others (2 Timothy 2:2).
4. Preachers must be willing to endure hardship as a good soldier (2 Timothy 2:3-13).
5. Preachers must encourage the brethren not to fight over words that ruin, rather than profit the hearer (2 Timothy 2:14).
6. Preachers must be diligent to be approved by God as workers who are not ashamed and as those who are able to rightly divide the word of truth (2 Timothy 2:15).
7. Preachers must flee youthful lusts, but pursue righteousness, faith, love, and peace (2 Timothy 2:22).
8. Preachers must be gentle, able to teach, patient, and humble (2 Timothy 2:24-25).
9. Preachers must correct those who are in opposition to the truth, but they must do so with the proper attitude in hopes that those who are in error may repent (2 Timothy 2:25-26).

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10. Preachers must continue in the truth even when evil men oppose the truth (2 Timothy 3:1-17).
11. Preachers must preach the truth even when evil men cause the truth to become unpopular (2 Timothy 4:1-5).
12. Preachers must fight the good fight, finish the race, and keep the faith (2 Timothy 4:6-8).

Paul also wrote an inspired letter to the preacher Titus. From this letter we learn that preachers must:

1. Set in order things that are lacking (Titus 1:5).
2. Appoint qualified elders in churches where are not any (Titus 1:5-16).
3. Speak sound doctrine (Titus 2:1).
4. Teach older men to be sober, reverent, temperate, sound in faith, love, and patience (Titus 2:2).
5. Teach older women to be reverent, not slanderers, not alcoholics, teachers of good things, and teachers of the young women (Titus 2:3-5).
6. Exhort the young men to be sober-minded (Titus 2:6).
7. Show themselves to be a pattern of good works (Titus 2:7).
8. Show integrity, reverence, incorruptibility, and soundness in doctrine (Titus 2:7-8)
9. Exhort and rebuke with all authority (Titus 2:15).
10. Remind Christians to be peaceful, humble, and law-abiding (Titus 3:1-8).
11. Avoid foolish disputes (Titus 3:9).
12. Reject divisive people after making efforts to admonish them (Titus 3:10).
13. Teach the church to maintain good works (Titus 3:14).

From the books of 1 & 2 Timothy and Titus we can learn what God expects of preachers. These books should also govern our expectations regarding preachers. No preacher is perfect, but every preacher needs to be making efforts to mature in all of these areas. From all of this we can also see that not all men should be preachers, but those who do should take their responsibility seriously.

~Kevin Rutherford

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2022

Mar. 26 - Luke 4:1-30
 Mar. 27 - Luke 4:31-44
 Mar. 28 - Luke 5:1-16
 Mar. 29 - Luke 5:17-39



Mar. 30 - Luke 6:1-26
 April 1 - Luke 6:27-49
 April 2 - Luke 7:1-30

OUR SICK

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Dr. Charles Gainor & son, Izak, Lou Ann Harper, Sandy Smith, Carlos Bosh, Meredith Ferree, Brett Rutherford, Johnny McBrayer, D.J. Harrison, Josh Church, Jenna Stamper, Rowena Hayes, Nikki Santiago, David Queen, Russell Queen, Jack Piper, Sandy Smith, Johnny Allen, Ronnie Knost, Elwood Flinchum, Kathy and Wayne Hutchins.

Aldine Cloud is still recovering from his recent surgery, and had to have a procedure done this past Friday to remove fluid from around the surgical site and is scheduled to have the procedure this coming week again. Please keep him in your prayers.

Bonnie Landreth is also recovering from her surgery. Please keep her in your prayers.

Update of the Goff Family: Please keep **Carolyn Goff** in your prayers along with **Ginger Goff, Brenda Goff, and Walter Goff.**

Ellen Meachum, has had a massive brain bleed stroke and is in critical condition at the Forsyth Hospital. Prayers are requested.

A friend of Sandra Church, **Meredith**, who is 12 years old, has under-went eight surgeries so far. She has Spina Bifida. She received a good number of cards from the church members and her parents sent a thank you card to the church and said it meant so much to Meredith and that it lifted her spirits. Please pray for Meredith and her parents.

Gina Harper's father, **Gary Harper** went to the hospital in Lexington a few days ago and they found he was dehydrated and had pneumonia. He has recovered from the pneumonia but he will have to remain in the hospital until they are able to clear up a bacterial infection in his blood. Please keep him in your prayers.

WELCOME TO 2 NEW MEMBERS

We are very happy to welcome two people who have recently placed their membership here at Warners Chapel. They are:

Debra Young
447 Society Road
Statesville, NC 28625
Tel.: 314-374-7020

Robert Wilson
6543 Gentry Circle
Clemmons, NC 27012
Tel.: 806-438-1522

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - March 27, 2022	88
Sunday Morning Worship Service	121
Sunday Evening Worship Service	98
Wednesday Bible Study, March 30, 2022	70

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:

May 14-15 - Senior Rally. The speaker: brother Wesley Simons - The theme:

"What we have Learned By Growing Older"

Saturday:

Lesson 1 - We Have Learned to Respect Authority
Lesson 2 - We Have Learned that it Pays to Serve God.

Lesson 3 - We Have Learned what our Two Major Problems are.

Sunday:

Sunday Morning Bible Class: We Have Learned Something About Child Rearing.

Sunday Morning Worship: We Have Learned How to Grow Spiritually.

AREA EVENTS:

April 8, 9, 10 - Youth Rally at the Lake Norman Church of Christ - David Price, the preacher from the Morehead City will be the speaker. Gene Southern will be taking his grandson, and will meet with the young people at Warners Chapel this Sunday to see if others would like to go to the Rally.

~IN SYMPATHY~

*Lou Ann Harper's nephew, **Tim Millsaps**, passed away on Monday, March 28th, 2022. We have added his mother, **Pat Millsaps** (Lou Ann's sister) to the compassion card list. She is not a member of the church. Please pray for this family in their time of sorrow.*

*Ann Ridings brother-in-law **Jerry Ridings**, (Tommy's brother) & Dolly Llewelyn's brother passed away March 25th. The funeral was held at Westlawn Gardens of Memory in the mausoleum on Wednesday, March 30th. Please pray for this family in their time of sorrow.*

*Andy Santiago's brother-in-law. **Dale Ayers' mother** passed away last Sunday afternoon. The funeral was held on this past Friday. Please pray for the family in their time of sorrow.*

SUNDAY AND WEDNESDAY SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

April, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY AND WEDNESDAY: MARK ROY

COMMUNION FOR APRIL: DAVID SHOAF

DEVOTIONS:

SCRIPTURE

April 3 - Wayne Allen
April 10 - Mark Minor
April 17 - Andy Santiago
April 24 - Rodney Brown

SONG LEADER

Clayton Workman
Charley Belch
Steve Tesh
Wayne Allen

PRAYER

Todd Hinson
Mark Roy
Kevin Rutherford
David Shoaf

OPENING PRAYERS FOR APRIL:

SUNDAY A.M.

April 3 - Charley Belch
April 10 - Bob Tesh
April 17 - Rodney Brown
April 24 - Steve Tesh

SUNDAY P.M.

April 3 - Brad Hoots
April 10 - Mark Minor
April 17 - Adam Warner
April 24 - Carl Cooper

WEDNESDAY

April 6 - D.C. Mock
April 13 - Mike Lundgren
April 20 - Randy Warner
April 27 - David Moore

SECURITY AND GREETING: RICHARD HAMMAN & SHAWN THOMASON

PLEASE OPEN BUILDING BY 10:30 A.M., 5:40 P.M., AND WEDNESDAY BY 6:40 P.M.

SONG LEADERS FOR APRIL:

SUNDAY A.M.

April 3 - Justin Little
April 10 - Roger Allen
April 17 - Wayne Allen
April 24 - Clayton Workman

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WEDNESDAY

April 6 - David Shoaf
April 13 - Gene Southern
April 20 - Justin Little
April 27 - Roger Allen

PLEASE, IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE HERE, ARRANGE COVERAGE!

IF YOU SHOULD BE UNABLE TO SERVE ON ASSIGNED DATES, PLEASE GET SOMEONE TO TAKE YOUR PLACE

“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

Tim Allen
Todd Hinson
Steve Tesh
Andy Santiago

DEACONS

Randy Warner
Keith Warner
Mark Minor
Jody Everett

Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason
Mark Roy
Adam Warner