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

A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

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“... ONE TIME MORE...”

Have you ever had the unpleasant experience of learning first-hand what an egg does when it hits the floor? It breaks. A tennis ball, on the other hand, bounces back up when it hits the ground. There’s not a single person reading this who has never made a mistake. There’s no one who hasn’t fallen.

*A distinction is made in the way we react to a fall. Some, like the egg, break. Others, like the tennis ball, bounce back. For example, Judas Iscariot was overcome with grief and took his own life after he betrayed the Lord, **Matthew 27:3-5**. But Peter, after he denied Jesus, **Luke 22:51-62**, later repented and was restored, **John 21:15-19**, and went on to become a great leader in the early church, **Acts 2, 4,10**. We know of at least one more time that he fell when Paul had to rebuke Peter to his face in public, **Galatians 2:11-21**. But Peter still got back up and continued to fight the good fight, **1 Peter 5:1**.*

*Successful people are those who are able to bounce back from failure. General George Patton once said, “Success is how high you bounce when you hit bottom.” Paul Harvey once said, “I get up when I fall down.” You and I may not have the Christian strength of Peter, or any other apostle. But we know that steadfast Christian living is getting up **one time more** than the number of times you fall down, **1 Corinthians 15:56-58**.*

—Frank

ELDERS CORNER:

YOU NEVER HEARD THIS

You visit in a home and become acquainted with at least a part of the family. You do not see the family for a year or so, then you return for another visit.

On this visit you notice that one of the children is not present at the time the family gathers around the table for a meal. You inquire, “Didn’t you have a little boy named John when I was here last year? I haven’t seen him around on this visit. Where is he?” The members of the family look at each other in a puzzled manner and scratch their heads in bewilderment. You begin to wonder if you could have been mistaken, but another member of the family pops up brightly and says, “Oh, yes, now I remember him. Yes, we used to have a little brother by that name, but, you know, I just don’t know whatever happened to him. We haven’t seen him now in several months. He seemed like a nice kid too.” The other members of the family now smile and nod pleasantly, for they too remember John. They exchange a few pleasant remarks about him and wonder where he might have gone, but no one can remember having seen him in a long time.

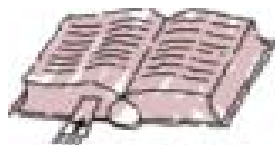
But you do hear — in the family of God, brothers and sisters in the Lord, make this same remark about other brothers and sisters whom they have not seen around the Lord’s table in months or years!

Verily, it may be that we have not learned Matthew 18:12-14 as well as we have learned Matthew 28:19-20.

—Harold Sain

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2012

September 3 - I Cor. 14:1-20
September 4 - I Cor. 14:21-40
September 5 - I Cor. 15:1-28
September 6 - I Cor. 15:29-58



September 7 - I Cor. 16
September 8 - 2 Cor. 1
September 9 - 2 Cor. 2

OUR SICK

Please Remember In Your Prayers

Don Richards is presently undergoing therapy throughout the week, so if you plan to visit - please call in advance.

Jim and "DJ" have been absent this past week with a virus.

Also, it was reported Wednesday evening that **Ingrid Mock** was ill.

Darrell Hauser's eye problems had been diagnosed as a bacterial infection - but has since been diagnosed as shingles. Also, please keep **Robin** in your prayers - she is having some health issues at this time.

Carolyn Minor is improving and remains in **Room 8114** at the Forsyth Medical Center.

Update - Prayers are requested for Virginia Elam's niece's husband, **Lew Poteat**, who has had cancer but has been in remission for five years. The cancer has returned and the surgery that was scheduled for August 28th at the Duke Hospital has been postponed for two weeks to run more tests.

Prayers are requested for **Kari Woodbury** who is having some health problems and is undergoing testing. Jake has finished his MBA and they are looking to eventually move to our area again.

Prayers are requested by Andy Santiago in behalf of his sister, **Joanna Ayers**, who was scheduled to undergo tests this past week.

Prayers are requested for **Thomas E. Slaughter**, Executive Director, of Agape of NC, Inc. who was recently diagnosed with stage 3 lung cancer. We are not sure about treatment options yet but please pray for Tom and his family. He has never smoked so this has come as quite a shock for all of them. They ask for no phone calls at this time but feel free to email him at Tomagape@aol.com or send cards to 302 College Rd., Greensboro, NC 27410.

Catherine Cravy has requested prayers for her aunt Kathy Anderson's father, **Mr. Smith**. He had a pacemaker put in this past Tuesday and now has a collapsed lung. He is presently not doing well.

Prayers have been requested for Jane Shepard's sister-in-law, **Robin Crumpton**, who will be undergoing testing for a possible stroke.

Please remember Matt & Charla Cook's two-year old daughter, **Gabbi Cook**, who was recently diagnosed with a large tumor in her liver and will soon be undergoing surgery and chemotherapy. The Cook's are missionaries in Peru.

Prayers were requested in behalf of the NCSBS students who will have their mid-terms this week and as they continue in their studies.

Also, please remember the college students - some of their addresses are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.



The **Prayer List** is available on the credenza in the foyer.

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:

Sept. 2 - **Pew Packers** will meet at 5:30 p.m.

Sept. 4 - **The Book of the Month Club** will meet Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. in the Annex.

Sept. 6 - **"50 and Older Class"** will meet at 10:30 in the Annex.

Sept. 15 - **Warners Chapel Youth Rally** - 3-8 p.m.
Mark Simons will be the Guest Speaker.

AREA EVENTS:

Sept. 8 - **Ladies' Day** at the Capernaum Church of Christ. Theme: "Walking In The Light"

Sept. 14-15 - **Singspiration** at the Carolina Bible Camp.

Sept. 15 - **Oak Forest Church of Christ Ladies Day.** Theme "Strength and Honor Are Her Clothing"

Sept. 20-23 - **South Stokes church of Christ Gospel Meeting** - Mel Futrell, guest speaker.

Oct. 13 - **Ladies Day** at the Eastside church of Christ.

SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR MORE INFORMATION.

PAUL'S NEW OFFICE HOURS

Paul Kirkpatrick's new office hours is Tuesday, 1-4 p.m.

~In Sympathy~

Our condolences and prayers go out to the Jim Southern's family (Gene's brother) in the recent death of his mother-in-law.

House To House/Heart to Heart

The new publication is available on the desk in the foyer.

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - August 26, 2012	157
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	200
Contribution for August 26, 2012	\$6,842
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	33
Chapters Read:	600
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	156
Wednesday Evening: August 29, 2012	135

Lord's Day Appointments - September 9, 2012

DEVOTIONS:		OPENING PRAYER:	SONG LEADER	SCRIPTURE READERS
Scripture	- Robbie Santiago	Morning - Brad Hoots	A.M. - Clayton Workman	A.M. - Jake Thomason
Song Leader	- Paul Kirkpatrick	Evening - Curtis Doss	P.M. - Tim Allen	P.M. - Keith Warner
Prayer	- Michael Cooper		Wed. - Wayne Allen	

NURSERY (0-2 1/2):		NURSERY (2 1/2-4):	Greeters: <u>September</u>	FELLOWSHIP MEAL:
Morning -	Gaye Carothers	Morning -	Gina Strickland	Shawn & Terri Thomason
Evening -	Mary Anne Allen	Evening -	Meredith Southern	Zone 2

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday:	- September 9	Shawn Thomason
Wednesday:	- September 12	Shawn Thomason

**Serving this Week: September 2, 2012*

Devotions:	Opening Prayer	a.m. - Steve Martin	Scripture Reader	a.m. - Randy Warner
Scripture:	Andrew Hinson	p.m. - Allen Cooper		p.m. - Homer Holland
Song:	Roger Allen	Song Leaders:	a.m. - Jason Allen	Nursery #1:
Prayer:	Todd Hinson	p.m. - Roger Allen		a.m. - Gaye Ruark
		Wed. - Mark Roy	Nursery #2:	p.m. - Marie Harper
				a.m. - Rhonda Hardister
				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
SEARCH PROGRAM - Sunday Mornings at 7:30 a.m. on Cable 68

WARNERS CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST 8999 LASATER ROAD

ELDERS

David Moore
Tim Allen
Joe Everett
Todd Hinson
Steve Tesh

DEACONS

Randy Warner
Tommy Rose
Keith Warner
Andy Santiago
Mark Minor
Jason Allen
Mike Cooper
Jody Everett
Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason