

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

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

October 5. 2014

FAITHFULNESS

Years ago there was a commercial that showed a popular entertainer singing in operatic style and hitting an extremely high note and shattering a glass. The feat was then repeated but the glass was broken by a recording of the singer's voice. The climactic phrase was then presented, "Is it live...or is it Memorex?"

The point of the commercial was that recording on a Memorex tape could insure that duplication of that sound would be crystal-clear. In other words the recording would be as faithful to the original and that one could not audibly tell the difference.

That is what faithfulness is, remaining true to the original.

Deuteronomy 7:9, says "Know therefore that the LORD thy God, he is God, the faithful God, which keepeth covenant and mercy with them that love him and keep his commandments to a thousand generations."

Psalms 101:6 says, "Mine eyes shall be upon the faithful of the land, that they may dwell with me: he that walketh in a perfect way, he shall serve me."

God has provided us an example of the original. Jesus came to reveal the father to us. John 14:9 "Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? he that hath seen me hath seen the Father; and how sayest thou then, Show us the Father?"

Christians are faithful when we remain true to the Father. Faithful Christians obey all the Father's will and will become more like Him as we strive to increase our spiritual maturity.

Proverbs 28:20 "A faithful man shall abound with blessings."

Paul

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Mental Illness

By Steve Higginbotham

You finish the sentence:	"I was sick and you	••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
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Now, if we're talking about heart disease, diabetes, or cancer, I'm Pretty sure we could fill in the blank with "visited me." But what if we're talking about mental illness? Might the sentence more truthfully be completed as follows: "I was sick and you avoided and talked about me?"

Christians and churches have room for improvement in the way we minister to those who suffer from mental illness. I'm afraid there is a "whisper factor" involved with mental illness, and those who suffer from it live in fear of being discovered. Consequently, they suffer alone, in silence, with little to no support.

But why should there be a stigma attached to those who suffer from mental illness? Are chemical imbalances in the brain any less real than clogged arteries in the heart? We wouldn't stigmatize a person whose body doesn't produce the right amounts of insulin, and therefore has to be medicated to regulate his levels of insulin. Then why would we stigmatize a person whose body doesn't produce the proper balance of chemicals to keep the brain functioning properly?

The National Institute of Health estimates that 26.2% of Americans, ages 18 and older suffer from a diagnosable mental disorder. That's one in every four adult Americans. That also means our churches are filled with people who are suffering with mental illness.

May God help us to create a community of compassion and understanding. May we create an environment in which people feel safe seeking help and support. And may our response to those who suffer from mental illness be no less compassionate, loving, and Christ-like than those who suffer with other illnesses.

READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2014

October 6 - Phil. 2 October 7 - Phil. 3 October 8 - Phil. 4

October 9 - Col. 1

October 10 - Col. 2 October 11 - Col. 3 October 12 - Col. 4



OUR SICK

Please Remember in your prayers

Please continue to pray for **Linda Santiago.** She underwent eye surgery this past week and is doing well. Please also pray for **Rose Whitt** (Andy's sister) who will be having some medical tests in two weeks.

Prayers have been requested by D. C. Mock for his sister, **Sara Hill,** who is to have eye surgery soon.

Ellen Wingo's mother has returned home from the hospital. She will be having tests for various issues she is having. She wishes to thank everyone for their prayers.

Fred Spencer (Nancy Minor's brother-in-law) had his first two radiation treatments this past week. He and Lori appreciate your prayers.

~IN SYMPATHY~

Our sympathy goes out to the Workman family in the recent death of Clayton's father, **Bill Workman**, who passed away last week. Please pray for the Workman family.

Baptism

We commend **Joann Landry** who was baptized into Christ last Lord's Day. Joann is the mother of Aliya and Robbie Landry. Her address is 108 Kingsmill Pl., Advance, NC 27006. Tel.: 998-0933. We welcome Joann into the family of Christ that worships here at Warners Chapel.

Response

We also commend **Shannon Harper** who came forward this past Lord's Day confessing error in her life and requesting the prayers of the congregation in her behalf.

Addresses of New Members:

Cody DoverDaniel Henderson1929 Union Cross Rd.766 Lynnhaven Park DriveYadkinville, NC 27055Winston-Salem, NC 27107Tel.: (336) 961-2446Tel.: (336) 788-1571

NEW ADDRESS:

Dawn Elam and Jennifer Briden's new address is: 10925 Southern Highlands Parkway, Apt. 2105, Las Vegas, NV 89141.

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.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO A "COVERED DISH" FELLOWSHIP MEAL IN THE ANNEX FOLLOWING THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE SPONSORED BY ZONE 1.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

Oct. 5 - Pew Packers at 5:30 p.m.

Oct. 8 - _ - 50 and Over Class at 10:30 in Annex.

Nov. 1 - Annual Chicken Stew at 6 p.m.

Nov. 2-6 - Gospel Meeting with Brother Terry Joe Kee from Jonesboro, Arkansas. Theme: Ancient Lessons For The Modern World.

AREA EVENTS:

October 5 - Capernaum church of Christ Fall Fellowship Meeting. 10 a.m. Bible Study, 11 a.m.worship service, 2:30 Congregational Singing, 3 p.m. Afternoon Service. Bro. Cloys Cecil, Sr.—Gospel Preacher and Teacher - Guest Speaker.

October 11 - Women's Workshop at the Northwest church of Christ in Greensboro. 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Theme: The Power of Our Words.

October 12-16 - Fall Gospel Meeting at West Innes St. church of Christ.

October 25 - Ladies Day at Highland Acres church of Christ in Statesville. 8:30 a.m. -1 p.m. Suzanne Brockenborough - Guest Speaker. RSVP on invitation.

Please check the bulletin board for further details

PAUL'S NEW OFFICE HOURS

Wed.-Sat. - 9 a.m. to Noon

Wednesday Evening: October 1, 2014

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - September 28, 2014	126
Sunday Morning Worship Service:	154
Contribution for September 28, 2014	\$5,607
Daily Adult Bible Readers:	36
Chapters Read:	718
Daily Children Bible Readers:	
Chapters Read:	
Sunday Evening:	125

117

Lord's Day Appointments - October 12, 2014

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Shawn Thomason Morning - Brad Hoots A.M. - Gene Southern A.M. - Derek Elam

Song Leader - Tim Allen Evening - Steve Martin P.M. - Clayton Workman P.M. - Jake Thomason

Prayer - Jack Piper Wed. - Tim Allen

NURSERY (0-2 1/2): NURSERY (2 1/2-4): GREETERS: OCTOBER: FELLOWSHIP MEAL:

Morning - Abby Little Morning - Meredith Southern Richard Hamann & Gina Harper Zone 2

Evening - Betty Hoots **Evening -** Gina Harper

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - October 12 Wednesday: - October 15

Lord's Day Appointments - October 5, 2014

Devotions: Opening Prayer a.m. - Roger Allen Scripture Reader a.m. - Justin Minor

Scripture: Rodney Brown p.m. - Shawn Thomason p.m. Gene Ruark

Song: Wayne Allen Song Leaders: a.m. - Jason Allen Nursery #1: a.m. - Linda Flinchum

Prayer: Steve Martin p.m. - Steve Tesh p.m. - Rhonda Hardister

Wed. - Clayton Workman Nursery #2: a.m. - Abby Little

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

"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 DEACONS

David MooreRandy WarnerMike CooperTim AllenKeith WarnerJody EverettJoe EverettAndy SantiagoGene SouthernTodd HinsonMark MinorShawn ThomasonSteve TeshJason Allen