SERVING	TODAY	NEXT WEEK
Welcome	Elder of th	e Month
Song	Rob Albright	Mike Simons
Prayer	Levi Simons	Keith Nance
Song		
Scripture	Chris Hale	David Coble
Sermon	Andrew Beasley	Andrew Beasley
Song		
Song		
Communion	Mike Simons	Rob Albright
Song		
Closing Praye	r Sonny Moats	Chris Hale
Announcemen	ts Shane Taylor	Shane Taylor

#### Sunday Evening @ 6

Lesson: Andrew Beasley – Better Than

Ladies Class: Sharon Albright – Spiritual Warfare

## Wednesday Evening Bible Study @ 7

Lesson: Rob Albright – Evangelism class

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Hospitality Ministry Senior Bible Study	Blessing Ba	•	





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Without being too political I think we can all acknowledge that cancel culture is prevalent in our society today. In some ways, oddly enough, this has been beneficial in that it has forced people who might otherwise be tactless to be more cautious and thoughtful about the words that they use. On the other hand the motivation behind cancel culture is not one that is purposeful in seeking out more thoughtful speech, but rather an effort to silence those who go against the grain so to speak.

Recently the unfortunate, and quite scary, events that surrounded Damar Hamlin during an evening football game led to the tv broadcast showing players praying for their critically injured teammate. Commentators and pundits could be heard sending out "thoughts and prayers" to the player and his family. For a moment in time, it was nice to see those actions praised rather than being condemned.

The simple truth for the Christian on a day-to-day basis in this country is that our faith, and our way of life, is under attack. The reason for this? Often, we point to symptoms. We point out that the country is turning from God or that the traditional standard of morality is being vilified as hateful. We even recognize that public school systems are teaching anti-Christian doctrines and beliefs. These are all symptoms of the problem. Satan is the problem. Satan is the source of these things, and he is quite gifted at what he does.

When diagnosing the problem, it is important for us to also be aware of the solution. The solution is not turning back to God, restoring a traditional standard of morality, or returning God to our schools. Those are the results of the solution. The solution, at its core, is for hard fighting Christian soldiers to confront the problem at its source and to wage spiritual warfare against him with everything that we have. If we do this, everything else will fall into place.

Andrew

Northwest Church of Christ	Schedule of Services:		
6510 Old Oak Ridge Rd	Sunday Bible Study	9:30 am	
Greensboro, NC 27410	Sunday Worship	10:30 am	
336-605-0810	Sunday Evening Study	6:00 pm	
nwchurch of christ.com@gmail.com	(No evening service 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday each month)		
	Wednesday Bible Study	/ 7:00 pm	

#### WHAT'S HAPPENING:

- \* Sunday Potluck: 3/12/23
- \* Senior Bible Study: Tues

2/21/23 @ 11am

\* Blessing Bags: See Kim or Jacques for Donations.

Items Needed: Socks, Jackets, Coats, Sweaters, Flannels, Hats &

Scarves

Carolina Men's Fellowship March 11 Gold Hill Rd Church Of Christ Fort Mill, SC \*See bulletin board for the schedule and speakers \*Let Rob know if you are interested in going

# Welcome to our newest member at Northwest

Love Estes 525 Wildwood Lane Graham, NC 27253

Birthdate: Sept. 22

Cell: 513-967-8038

Email: <u>ljestes2015@gmail</u>.com

Please make sure to meet Love if you haven't already and let her know how happy we are to have her as part of the NW family.

#### Last Week's Attendance

Building 72 FB 11 Contribution: \$2,349

Please remember to put your contribution in the plate when you arrive so it will be counted in the current week.

#### **REQUESTS FOR PRAYER:**

- •John Ransom –pancreas issues
- John Moore's wife, Terri battling Breast cancer
- Pettit family –loss of Jacques' Mom
- •Jean Rowden recovering from oral surgery
- Misty (friend of David Andrews) memory issues
- Dawn Wilkens Gilmore (friend of David Andrews) hospice care
- •Elsie Smith (friend of Andrew) cancer
- **Nell and Todd Green** Sister and nephew of Brenda Rasberry both have cancer.
- **Hope Willis**, sister of Love Estes was diagnosed with throat cancer.

# -All other prayer request are on the extended prayer list-Updated week of 2/19/23

Birthdays

Feb. 24 Julianne Vitarelli Feb. 25 Bryce Mantle Feb. 26 Josey Guilbeau April Taylor

We welcome and encourage children of all ages to worship with us, however if you are more comfortable, there is a nursery at the end of the hall on the left that is equipped with speakers. There is also a changing station at the end of the hall on the right.

#### **SERMON NOTES:**

Title: Hard Fighting Soldiers Reading: I Samuel 17:45-47

### **SOWING & GROWING**

a 2023 Sermon Series



#### **GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION**



To place ourselves in a right relationship with God, we must:

Hear Romans 10:17
Believe Hebrews 11:6
Repent Acts 17:30
Confess Romans 10:10
Be Baptized Mark 16:16,

Acts 2:38

Remain Faithful Hebrews 10:23-25

Revelation 2:10

Member of the Month: Sharon

Albright

Elder of the Month: Ken Mantle

Let's keep up with what is happening to each other. If you notice someone missing, please check on them.