~~~ Those Privileged To Serve

Sunday 1st Service Welcome/ Announcements

Scripture / Prayer

Song Leader

Preside Communion

Serving Preaching Closing Prayer

Prepare Communion

Sunday 2nd Service

Welcome/ Announcements

Scripture/ Prayer
Song Leader

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Closing Prayer

Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM

January 14, 9:00 A.M.

Michael Hollis
Scott Richards
Russ Baker

Greg Harp

Dylan Madden / Levi Madden

Alfred Barnes Nathan Bell

Donna Williams

January 14, 11:30 A.M.

Michael Hollis Michael Hollis Russ Baker Greg Harp

Dylan Madden / Levi Madden

Alfred Barnes Farron Whisenant

January 17, 7:00 P.M.

January 21, 9:00 A.M.

Michael Hollis Larry Richardson Russ Baker

Greg Harp

Dylan Madden/ Levi Madden

Alfred Barnes Donnell Robison

Donna Williams

January 21, 11:30 A.M.

Michael Hollis Michael Hollis Randy Harp Greg Harp

Dylan Madden / Levi Madden

Alfred Barnes Richard Harp

January 24, 7:00 P.M.

Weekly Assembly Schedule 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM - Worship 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM - Bible Classes 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM - Worship Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 PM (Some variation may be necessary)

"For Christ Do More In 2024"

What Must I Do To Be Saved? Realize I am lost Rom. 3:23 Hear the Gospel Acts 15:7 Believe the Gospel Mk. 16:15-16 Repent of sins Acts 17:30 Confess Christ Rom. 10:9-10 Baptized to remit sins Acts 2:38 Remain faithful 2 Pet. 1:5-11

	Record of Attendance	
	01/07/2024	<u>Total</u>
	Sun. Bible Study	40
,	Sun. 1st Worship	42
	Sun. 2nd Worship	40
	Wednesday Evening	17
	Contribution	\$2586.00

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"The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple." Psalm 119:130

Tara Church of Christ 770-471-7300 SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

1st Worship 9:00 am
Bible Class 10:30 am
2nd Worship 11:30 am

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Our Prayer List

Shawn Clevinger, son of Ralph Clevinger, the preacher in Greenville Tennessee, has stage 4 lymphoma cancer.

Dean Hodgekiss, aunt of Debbie Richards ,is in the hospital having issue with afib.

Doris Pate— is in Grady hospital. She has 3 broken ribs and a broken collar bone and had a small brain bleed. She can have visitors. She is in room 10B

Dixie Harp— was sick most of last weak. She is still very weak.

Leshon Cheely, friend of Maylene Lamey, has stage 4 cancer. Pray for her son Devon as he cares for her.

Harold Williams, is home recovering from hip surgery and having home health care.

Nancy Whisenant, is recovering from surgery.

Vera Hannah, is recovering from surgery.

Marilyn Valentine, is recovering from surgery.

Frank Johnson, is recovering from surgery.

Henrietta Jones, is recovering from surgery. Deanna Biddulph, sister-in-law of Scott Richards has breast cancer.

Shannon Deleon, niece of Scott Richards will have brain surgery soon.

Continued Prayer List—Josiah nephew of Maylene Lamy and her friend Pauline Noel, Don Cheek, Sal & Barbara Joseph, Bernice Harris, Doris Pate, Mozelle Jones, Willie Mae Brown, Carla Robison's mother, Alfred and Lenora Barnes, parents of Alfred Barnes.

Send Cards, Make Calls, Show your Love and Care!

Activities And Events

Today- 9:00 A.M. 1st morning service.

Today- Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 10:30A.M.

Today-11:30 A.M. 2nd service.

Wednesday night Bible class-7:00 P.M.

Continued Prayer List

Pat Rainwater, friend of Steve Pollard, has cancer and needs our prayers.

Gainell Green, sister of Willie Green, is at home. She is being taken care of at home.

Havanna Goebel, is still experiencing pain. It was great to hear she is doing better.

Ericka Lee, Havanna Goebel joyfully reports her daughter, Ericka, is improving. Her tumors have shrunk. God hears our prayers. Cards can be sent to: Ericka Lee, 1030 E. Ocean Blvd, Unit 601 Long Beach, Ca 90802.

Vera Pollard, daughter-in-law of Paul Pollard and niece of Steve, Donna Williams and Robin Wilson. Vera is improving. Keep this family in your prayers.

Donald Favor, brother of Havanna Goebel, had a massive heart attack. Prayers are needed.

And the Spirit and the bride say, "Come!" And let him who hears say, "Come!" And let him who thirsts come. Whoever desires, let him take the water of life freely. Revelation 22:17

In Search Of The Lord's Way Sundays - Channel 57 - 7:30 AM

01/21 /24 " Meant For Good" 01/28 /24 "But He Lied"



Welcome Visitors!

ELDERS' COMMENTS

Are you looking for an easy way to teach the gospel to someone without offending them? Use some of the publications from the foyer table. The House to House paper is attractive and interesting to read. In addition to mailing them to every address in the immediate area of the Tara building six times a year, we have additional copies displayed in our foyer for Tara members and for guest who visit our worship services. They are an excellent way of teaching the fundamentals of the truth to anyone open to studying. Give one to somebody. Ask them to read it and tell you what they think about it. We encourage your regular use of them, as well as other material displayed on specific subjects. For Christ, Let's Do More in 2024.

HELPERS OF THE TRUTH

In Johns third epistle he commended Gaius for helping traveling brethren, such as providing lodging and helping them on their journey, saying. "We therefore ought to receive such that we might be fellow helpers to the truth" (III John 8) KJV/ The NKJV uses the term "fellow worker." Of course, the truth does not need our help to make it better, or more complete and sufficient, or more acceptable to man. (II Tim. 3:16,17) But it does need our help for other reasons.

It needs our help in our obedience to it. The truth must be received, believed and obeyed. "Then they that gladly received his word were baptized..." (Acts 2:41) The people of Berea received the word with all readiness of mind ... therefore many of them believed." (Acts 17:11,12) God never forces the truth on anyone. He has provided it, and we must accept and obey it. It is helpless without our positive response to it.

It needs our help in getting it to the lost. Beginning with the apostles, God's people have been charged with a "Great Commission." (Matt. 28: 18-20; Mark 16:15-16) It's not enough just to pass out Bibles. People must be taught. We are to "speak the truth in love" (Eph. 4:15). We must teach the things we have learned to "faithful men who will be able to teach others also" (II Tim. 2:2) The complete message is in need of messengers. The lost need preachers, and preachers must be sent. (Rom. 10:14,15) Otherwise, the truth is helpless. Gaius was a "fellow helper to the truth" in helping those who were teaching it. If we support the teaching with our money, such as missionaries, or simply accompany a teacher in a study, or provide a place for the study, etc. we are helpers of the truth.

It needs our help in defending it. The religious world twists and perverts the truth. (II Pet. 3:16; Gal. 1:6-9) People even believe that you can prove anything by the Bible, and many try to do it. They take passages out of their original context, basing their belief on one or two passages, rather than considering all the Bible says about the subject. They often take literal language to be figurative, and figurative or symbolic as literal. They do not "rightly divide the word of truth." (II Tim 2:15) They often apply today that which was meant for those who were under the law, or for the miraculous age of the church. The truth needs defending, or else, error results. (Phil. 1:17; Jude 3)

It needs our help in supporting it. We support it with our time, money, prayers and encouragement. When we attend the Bible classes provided by the church, we are helping the truth. When we support the preaching of the gospel by being present to hear it and encouraging others to hear it, we are helping the truth. Attending gospel meetings, Bible lectureships, etc. is helping the truth. Giving out tracts, recommending good tapes and books, and supporting the training of preachers are just a few ways the truth needs our help. Are you a modern day Gaius in being a "fellow helper to the truth?"

Richard

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Please remember to turn off your cell phone during Bible study and Worship!