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PROGRAM OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2005

Announcements.....Kevin Fortner
Song Leader AM.....Andrew Herndon
Morning Prayer.....Allen Padgett
Speaker.....Mike Tucker
Dismissal.....John Dunn

USHERS

Ray Edwards.....Tony Thorpe
Hugh Kirby

PRESIDING AT TABLE

Jesse Adkison.....Tommy Barton

ASSISTANTS

Eddie Dillon.....Henry Champion
Chris Holmes.....Joe Hargrove
Kevin Green.....Milton Cochrum
Collin Fitzgerald.....Bob Holland

Scripture Reading.....Bill McCallon
..... 1 Corinthians 15:1-8

Song Leader PM.....Kevin Green
Evening Prayer.....George Glover
Speaker.....Mike Tucker
Dismissal.....Carless Cook
Lord's Table.....Jason Fitzgerald

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Jennifer Roberts.....Lauren Roberts

EVANGELIST – Office 247-5634

Mike Tucker.....247-8574 or 251-2899

BUS DRIVER

Week of April 24, 2005
Kevin Fortner.....694-3523

CAN'T SERVE?

Ladies call 247-5634
Men call Hugh Kirby.....623-8730
or Larry Rhea.....247-6955
Song Leaders call Bill McCallon.....247-6466

ELDERS

Don Canter
Tim Stark
George Glover
Jerry Steele

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:
Bible Study.....9:30 AM
Morning Worship.....10:30 AM
Evening Worship.....6:00 PM
WEDNESDAY:
Bible Study.....7:00 PM

STATISTICS- APRIL 17, 2005

Bible Study.....185
Worship AM.....263
Worship PM.....137
Mid Week (04/13).....162
Contribution.....\$4,218.24
Weekly Budget.....\$5,329.01
Under Budget.....\$4,159.59



NEWS from NORTHSIDE

April 20, 2005

Purity In Dress

By Steve Higginbotham

As most of you already know, the appearance of the Summer months often means the disappearance of clothing. Modesty gives way to comfortableness, and in some cases more flesh is exposed than is covered. In this article, I simply want to briefly explore the issue of modesty and ask that you reflect upon the teachings of Christ.

As you know, when we were called by the gospel, we were called unto a life of purity. Our life ought to be characterized by purity in mind (2 Peter 3:1), conscience (1 Timothy 3:9), language (James 3:2), and in body (Hebrews 10:22).

In spite of the Lord's expectation of purity, modesty is seldom discussed, and when the subject is raised, many act as though the one raising the subject is a prudish bore.

But friends, unless we are very naïve, we all realize what type of clothing entices lust in the hearts of men and women. Clothing that instead of covering the parts of the body that stir up lustful thoughts, but rather exposes and emphasizes those areas, or shows just enough flesh to tease is inconsistent with the law of the Spirit of life. Our clothing should profess our godliness, not our worldliness (1 Timothy 2:9-10). Our dress should be "chaste," not so that we will be "chased."

The sexual drive within humans is very strong. It is God given, and it is good when expressed and fulfilled within the boundary of marriage (Hebrews 13:4). But if that drive is tantalized and cultivated outside of the marriage relationship, sin and disaster looms just ahead.

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There may be those who receive this bulletin who are searching God's Word to see what they must do to be saved. If you are searching for salvation, we encourage you to turn and study these Bible references:

- One must **HEAR** the gospel plan of salvation (John 6:45; Revelation 1:3)
- One must **BELIEVE** (have faith) in Christ (James 2:24; Mark 16:16; John 6:29)
- One must **REPENT** of sin (Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38; 3:19)
- One must **CONFESS** Christ deity (Romans 10:9,10; Matthew 10:32,33)
- One must **BE IMMERSER FOR FORGIVENESS OF SINS** (1 Peter 3:21; Acts 22:16)
- One must **BE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH** (Revelation 2:10)



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PULPIT PREVIEW – APRIL 24, 2005
Worship AM – *The God Family*
Worship PM – 4th Sunday Singing

GREETERS – APRIL 24, 2005

Shirel Carr, Cathy Carter, Patsy Dawson, Caitlin Carrico

SUNDAY – APRIL 24, 2005

- **Green Acres Devotional** at 2 p.m. The Auditorium class is in charge of arrangements.
- **VBS Meeting** at 7th & College at 4:30 p.m. for anyone who would like to help.
- **4th Sunday Singing.**
- **Visitation Team #4** will meet after the evening services.
- **Bible Bowl Banquet and Finger Food Potluck** after the evening services. This potluck is for the entire congregation. All Bible Bowl participants need to wear their t-shirts and bring their awards.

SICK LIST

Clyde Dick has been dismissed from the hospital.

Heather Bennett has been dismissed from the hospital.

In Lourdes Hospital:

- **Hugh Washam** is in room 813.

SINGING

You are invited to a singing at **Glendale Road church of Christ**, Friday, April 22 beginning at 7 p.m.

CARDS

We appreciate your prayers, visit, and cards for Mom while she is at Mills Manor.

This is a hard time for all of us and we appreciate your concern.

Family of Lorene Morris

Thank you for all the gifts, food, and visits since Nathan's birth. It was all very much appreciated.

Love,
George, LeNisha, Will, and Nathan Flatt

We want to thank the congregation for the kindness shown to up upon the death of my father.

Tim, Liz, and Laura Stark

A sincere note that express our deepest gratitude for everything that you've done. Thanks Again!

In Christian Love,
Clyde & Jodie Dick

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

You are invited to the wedding of **Cassie Tucker and Michael Seaton on Saturday, April 23rd at 7 p.m.** at Northside Church of Christ. The reception will follow in the fellowship building.

THANKS

To our family at Northside:

We would like to say thank you to everyone that helped with the TORCH mission trip to Honduras. We are very proud to report, that you willing gave \$1.640. \$100 of this money was specifically for Bibles, the remainder will help to build a house, buy food, and other needs. We also sent 11 boxes of supplies. Thanks also to James Burgess for the use of his company van to help get the boxes to Nashville.

Thank you to the Elders, and individual Sunday school classes that are also helping to pay the cost of our trip.

All the donations you have given will be a great help to the families of Honduras. Whenever there is a need, Northside always responds with loving hearts.

Thank you so much for your help. Please continue to pray for this effort and our trip in July.

Gayna, Matthew, and Jenny Taylor

OPPORTUNITY

There is an opportunity for a Bible class to be taught at the Light House which is a homeless shelter in Mayfield for women. If there are individuals who might step up to this challenge, please contact the eldership.

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I recognize it may very well be the case that young ladies do not know how visually oriented that men are or just how powerful the sexual drive is. If that is the case, mom and dad, please step in and help them make responsible choices with regard to their clothing. Don't allow them to leave the house dressed in a fashion that will tempt and tantalize.

Am I proposing some sort of dress code? Absolutely not. I have no desire to legislate what you should or should not wear. God has given all of us the ability to discern between right and wrong. Contained in the Bible for all of us to read are the principles that regulate what type of dress is appropriate and what type is inappropriate. So you should not concern yourself with my dress code, but with God's.

However, I would like to make a proposal. I do propose that you and your family draw some lines. Set some standards. Make sure that before you wear anything, you ask yourself if you would feel comfortable defending the purity of that type of clothing before the judgment seat of Christ. For after all, that is what we all will someday have to do.