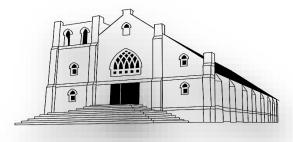
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# CHURCH of CHRIST



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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES SUNDAY:

Bible Classes	9:45 a.m.			
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.			
Evening Worship	6:30 p.m.			
WEDNESDAY:				

Bible Classes......7 p.m.

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#### WELCOME!

We of the Cambridge church of Christ invite you to all our services.

"...the churches of Christ salute you" (Romans 16:16).

### FALSE TEACHERS, THE NEED TO EXPOSE Roman 16:17-18

#### INTRODUCTION:

- 1. Silly that one should even ask if it were right to expose error.
- 2. When truth is taught, error will be exposed; We must love the truth (Psa. 119:97).
- 3. Love for Truth naturally breeds hatred of error (Psa. 119:104).
- 4. Our charge as God's children: (2 Tim 4:2).
- 5. Some don't want this; they seek preachers who will weaken the truth(2 Tim. 4:3-4).
- 6. What is to be done about this? (**Rom. 16:17-18**).
- 7. To expose error means we must know the truth (1 Pet. 3:15; Col. 4:6).

#### I. GOD HAS SPOKEN ABOUT TRUTH

- A. God's Word is Truth (Jn. 17:17).
- B. We Can Know the Truth (Jn. 8:24).
- C. We Are Purified by Obedience to the Truth (1 Pet. 1:22).
- D. One May Reject the Truth (2 Thes. 2:10).

#### II. FALSE TEACHERS WILL COME

- A. Jesus Said So (Mt. 7:15; 15:9).
- B. Paul Said So (Acts 20:28-31; Eph. 4:14).
- C. John said So (1 Jn. 4:1).

#### III. WHAT SHOULD BE OUR ATTITUDE TOWARD FALSE TEACHERS?

- A. Test Them. 1 Jn. 4:1). Approve only after sufficient testing.
  - 1. Many disagree citing Mt. 7:1 out of its context. But, John 7:24 <u>commands</u> righteous judging.
  - 2. Is not this what the Bereans did (Acts 17:11)?
- B. Remember the Warnings (Acts 20:31; Col. 2:8).
- C. Don't Fall for Them (Heb. 13:9; 2 Jn. 10-11).
- D. Withdraw from Them -No Fellowship (Eph. 5:11; Jer. 23:16; 1 Tim. 6:3-5).

#### E. HOW DO WE DEAL WITH ERROR?

- F. See How Jesus Dealt with Error.
  - 1. Common sense (Mt. 12:22-30).
  - 2. Scripture (Mt. 4:1f; Mt. 19:3-9).
- G. Desire the Truth (1 Pet. 2:2).
- H. Hold Fast to the truth (2 Tim. 1:13; Titus 1:9).
- I. Proclaim the Truth (Titus 2:1; 1 Tim. 4:6).
- J. Contend for the faith by speaking the truth in love (Jude 3; Eph. 4:15).

#### **CONCLUSION:**

- 1. Remember Whose we are and Whom we serve.
- 2. Remember the warnings: false teachers will come.
- 3. How will we know a false teacher if we do not know the truth? STUDY to show yourself approved.
- 4. Demand the truth; B.C.V. preaching and teaching; and have zero tolerance for false teachers and false teaching.

#### SEARCHING FOR THAT NEW LAND

The government is in place; the laws are established; this land of plenty offers residents the best of everything for which they could ever hope. Inside the magnificent walls are treasures untold; bread for life and waters running freely and so abundantly offered and promised that one would be a fool, as it were, not to do everything possible to be allowed through the gate; and yet, not everyone may go.

You see, there are rules and laws; proper procedures by which individuals must abide if they would gain entrance. This is a very exclusive place in that not just anybody may enter. Also, this is a very inclusive place; that is, anyone complying with the published and recognized terms of admission will be welcomed with open arms. A guard is in place ensuring that only those in compliance will be granted access.

This beautiful place was built many years ago and has a long and abiding heritage. The founders purposed to provide the residents with equal opportunity knowing that all men were created equal. People have died to defend its cause and proclaim the blessings that are available to those seeking something better—and better it certainly is!

Would you like to be a citizen of this great land? Then you must abide by the terms of admission: An enduring faith in Jesus Christ as the Son of God (John 8:24); repentance of past sins (Luke 13:3,5); confession before man that Jesus is the Christ (Matt. 10:32); and baptism for salvation, the forgiveness of sins (Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38). Upon doing this, you will be granted all the rights of citizenship (Phlp. 3:20) and become a recipient of the promised inheritance (Col. 3:24), Heaven—9K.

## We encourage our visitors to fill out one of the blue cards and place it in the collection plate.

*IN OUR PRAYERS:* Jerry & Erma Endly, Cathy Jackson, Gary & Debbie Jones, Kathy Mayo, and Flavil Miller

SHUT-INS: Audrey Burns, Jack Mitchell, Shirley Patterson and Marge Rothwell

FAMILY AND FRIENDS: Nellie Bichard, Alec Blake (grandson of Wilma Roe), Weston Boulet, (great-grandson of Shirley Patterson), Larry Chips (friend of the Starrett's, Kenneth Crookshank (son of Dannelle Gilmore), Dan Doudna (Wilma Roe's relative), Bob & Patty Eddy, Tom Eddy (Betsy Cook's brother), Carmie Green (Flavil Miller's sister), Doris Hall, Herb Hamilton (friend of the Starrett's), Bob & Donna Henthorn (Laura Jamiel's parents), Collene Keister, (Mo Smith's sister), Les McCollum (friend of Deb McGath), Erica Rich, Shirley Roe, Mona Stoffer (Flavil Miller's daughter), Mitch Vick, Bob & Marge Watson, Kedra Wyatt and remember to pray for one another.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Our **Summer Series** continues this Wednesday with **Roger Rush** from the *Sixth & Washington Streets* congregation. He will be speaking on <u>Confession as it Relates to God's Plan of Salvation</u>. Please plan to be here and invite a friend.

#### **REMINDERS**:

- ✓ Wordwigher will meet tomorrow.
- ✓ If anyone would like to take a turn creating a bulletin board for the entry, please sign up on the board in the foyer.
- ✓ Be sure to check the bulletin board for upcoming area events.
- ✓ We still need a teacher to take over **Brendyn Herald's** class.

#### **TODAY'S LESSONS**

AM: Exposing False Teachers (Rom. 16:17-18). PM: A Christian is Holy (1 Pet. 1:13-18).

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