

WELCOME VISITORS

MESSENGER FOR CHRIST



BRUNSWICK CHURCH OF CHRIST

March 1, 2020

Are We Scared...or Comforted?
By Adam Faughn

A 71-year-old resident of England named Edie Pope recently had enough with reckless driving in her rural neighborhood. She noted that there had been two recent accidents very near her property since a recent change in the speed limit, so she figured out a way to try to combat the issue herself.

By the road on the edge of her property, Edie placed a scarecrow, but it was not dressed in the way you might think. Instead, she outfitted the mannequin with a yellow outfit, very much like a traffic cop. She even placed a grey object in one of the "hands" that resembles a radar gun. So, as people come near her property, they are led to believe that an officer is checking speeds; all the while, it is just what she is jokingly referring to as a "scare-cop." (1)

Have you ever been driving and passed what you thought was a police officer checking speeds? How did it make you feel? If we are honest, it probably depended upon how fast you were driving!

Is the same thing not true of how we react to the knowledge that God is watching over us at all times? For some, that knowledge is almost too frightening or unnerving to bear. They basically hate the idea that God is right there, seeing all that they do. So, they either tune that message out and just live however they wish, or they live nervously all the time, frightened by the prospect of making any misstep.

However, there is a better way to handle that knowledge, is there not? For those who are law-abiding citizens, the presence of a police officer is typically a reassuring thing. In an infinitely more important way, for those who are striving to live for the Lord, the knowledge that He is present and seeing what we do is a wonderful blessing that touches our soul with comfort.

Our reaction to the knowledge that God is near and watching us may say
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The presence of Jesus in the gathering of His people is the sweetest blessing we enjoy when we meet. We pray that you will find peace, comfort, and power for living today.

A visitor's card is provided in the book rack, to give us a record of your visit.

SUNDAY

Bible Study 10:00 AM

Worship 11:00 AM

Evening 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 6:30 PM

Fellowship Meal 12:30 PM

(Every 1st Sunday)

Men's Meeting 5:00 PM

(Last Sunday of every month)

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

Morning Worship 37

Evening Worship 12

WEDNESDAY 15

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TO OUR FRIENDS:

“...The Churches of Christ salute you.” Romans 16:16

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more about us than we care to admit. Does that knowledge often frighten and unnerve us, or does it regularly comfort and reassure us? For those who are faithful in their walk with the Lord, there should be far more peace with that knowledge than fear.

May we live our lives in such a way that the knowledge of His presence fills us far more often with comfort than dread and fear.

Where shall I go from your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from your presence? (Psalm 139:7)

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Fellowship Meal

We will have our fellowship meal today following the worship service. During this time, we will recognize the ones with birthdays and anniversaries in March. Everyone is invited to stay and enjoy a delicious meal with us.

Birthdays in March

John Bowling	22 nd
Hannah Garner	29 th



GOD'S PLAN FOR MAN

HEAR GOD'S WORD

Heb. 11:6; Rom. 10:17

BELIEVE IN JESUS

Jn. 8:24

REPENT OF SINS

Lk. 13:3; 2 Cor. 7:10

CONFESS JESUS' NAME

Mt. 10:32-33; Rom. 10:9-10;

Mt. 16:15-16

BE BAPTIZED

Mk. 16:15-16; Mt. 28:18-19; Acts 2:38, 41; Acts 22:16;

Rom. 6:3-4

LIVE FAITHFUL UNTIL DEATH

Mt. 10:22; Rev. 2:10

The Bible study topic for Wednesday night:

The Holy Spirit

Bible study starts at 6:30 PM.



Carolina Men's Fellowship
Saturday, March 14th, 2020, 9:00 – 3:00

Gold Hill Rd. Church of Christ
1055 Gold Hill Rd
Fort Mill, SC

Additional details are on the bulletin board

Opportunities to Serve

Welcome Song Leader Opening Prayer Communion Scripture Reading Speaker Closing Prayer Evenings Nursery	Today Don Lockey Willie Gore Tom Walsh *Lee Shepherd Dick Phillips Lynn Means Tom Walsh Rick Massey Don Lockey Devotion/Singing Carolyn Bowling	03/08/20 Lee Shepherd John Bowling Jim Hobbs *Willie Gore Lynn Means Bob Stanley Don Lockey Rick Massey Lee Shepherd Jim Hobbs Lelia Gore
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The nursery will be open following the communion for children 3 years and under.

Please remember to pray for the sick, lonely, and especially anyone outside Christ.

Health

Abigail Holshall	Doris Mueller
Jim St Marie	Paula Peele
Guy Roberson	Isaac Etheridge

Deaths

Vivian Wright Family

The complete prayer list is on the bulletin board.

James 5:16

Therefore, confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.



The Ladies bible study will be held Tuesday, at 10:30 am in the fellowship room. We are studying "Study of Song of Worship". Our time together will include prayer and songs of praise. You are welcome to join us.

Myrtle Beach Church of Christ Ladies' Day
Saturday, March 28, 2020

Theme: 20/20 – Seeing Gods Perfect Vision.
Professing Godliness through Good Works

Speakers

Vickie Hoots, Ginny Ward, Danielle Dunnagan,
Michelle Rail, and Blanchie Bellamy
Ladies from the Myrtle Beach Church of Christ

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