

Those Leading Our Worship

March 6

Welcome/Announcements– Michael Hollis
Scripture/Prayer – Russ Baker
Song Leader – Russ Baker
Preside Communion – Randy Harp
Serving –Willie Green, Henry Avery
Preaching –Alfred Barnes
Closing Prayer – Bob Boykins
Communion Preparation– Marilyn Valentine

March 13

Welcome/Announcements– Michael Hollis
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Song Leader – Evan Barnes
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Be Still And Know

Be still and know that I an God. Be still
and know that I am God. Be still and
know I am God.

My Lord, my God, Exalted on high, I praise
You now and lift You high! I stand in awe and
trust Your love.

R.J. Taylor Jr.

“Following The Son In 21”

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

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Record of Attendance

<u>02/272022</u>	<u>Total</u>
Sun. Bible Study	37
Sun. AM Worship	54
Sun. PM Worship	No service
Wednesday Evening	No service
Contribution	\$3,793.00



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

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

A.M. Bible Class 9:30 am
A.M. Worship 10:30 am

WEDNESDAY

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*“Give unto the Lord,
O you mighty ones,
Give unto the Lord
glory and strength.
Give unto the Lord the
glory due to His name;
Worship the Lord in
the beauty of holiness.”*

Ps. 29:1-2 NKJV

Our Prayer List Farron Whisenant, is home recovering from surgery. Keep Farron & Nancy in your prayers. Nancy Whisenant, is having back and knee problems and enduring some bad pain. Cheryl Richards, continue to pray for Cheryl and Scott as he cares for her. Betty Miller, is now at Laurel Nursing behind Henry Hospital. Her new phone number is: 678-272-7364. Dixie Harp, is having low back problems with sciatic nerve pain. She had a MRI last Tuesday and is waiting on results. Steve Pollard, will have more tests and surgery in the near future. Wanda Pollard, sister-in-law of Steve Pollard, had a CT scan and the chemo is not helping the cancer. The tumors are somewhat larger. She is having some tough days. Maggie Miller, is waiting on a call from Mayo Clinic.. Ivan Gonzales, continues to heal from a fractured toe. He will be able to walk soon. Jim Howell– it was great to see Jim back with us last Sunday. Continue to pray for Jim and Maxine. Continued Prayer List– Myrna McKenzie, mother of Marilyn Valentine, Elijah Mackey, cousin of Angelia Hollis, Betty Miller, Doris Pate, Mozelle Jones, Shannon Deleon, niece of Scott & Cheryl Richards, Judy & Quention Hogan, family of Richard Harp, Steve Carter, son of the late Gail Cheek, Willie Mae Brown - Carla Robison's mother, Alfred and Lenora Barnes, parents of Alfred Barnes, <u>Send Cards, Make Calls, Show your Love and Care!</u>	Activities And Events Today—Sunday morning Bible Classes at 9:30. Today – We will have the morning service. Wednesday night– Bible class is canceled until further notice. This Month-Micheal Hollis will teach the adult class and Alfred Barnes will be preaching.
Watch The Sermon Live Each Week! Go to: tarachurchofchrist.com Scroll to the bottom of the page. Like us on Facebook for more videos Listen To The Sermon Again On YouTube	Continued Prayer List: Donald Allen, cousin of Debbie Lester , He will have surgery on 03/19 for another spot of cancer in his mouth. Martha Lawrence, friend of Debbie Lester, will have one more month of rehab in Tennessee. Jerome & Connie Bingham, send their love and miss everyone at Tara. Jerome will have surgery in March. He has a tumor in his bile duct. He will have this tumor removed. Keep the Bingham family in your prayers.
Watch The Sermon Live Each Week! Go to: tarachurchofchrist.com Scroll to the bottom of the page. Like us on Facebook for more videos Listen To The Sermon Again On YouTube	In Search Of The Lord's Way Sundays - Channel 57 - 7:30 AM. 03/13 "Pleasing God" 03/20 "Overcome" 03/27 "Battles Of The Heart" In Search of THE LORD'S WAY
Elder's Comments We need to help our brethren in Ukraine. Tara supported Gary Workman's work in the Ukrainian for several years. Some may remember him coming and reporting on that work. We have learned how we can help our brethren who are suffering in this war and know our funds will get to them. Some of you may have received an email from Vicki Baker about how we can help. Richard knows the Winfield, Ala. church that will be handling the funds, as well as their preacher, Mark Posey, who makes mission trips there and will see that our money will get to our suffering brethren. The Tara elders will decide on what we are able to send. If you want to help personally, please use one of the white envelopes from the foyer table for your contribution, marked "For Ukraine" and put in the collection. Keep it separate from your regular contribution. Above all, let's pray for these brethren, as well as for all who are suffering in this war.	

WARNINGS ABOUT DECEPTION

Have you ever been deceived by someone in the business world, or by someone you considered a friend, or even by a brother in Christ? Some have been deceived by their spouse. The world is filled both with people and with things that deceive.

The scriptures have much to teach us about the danger of deception, and the consequences of being deceived. Though deception often comes from others, we deceive ourselves more than we realize. Actually, we would not become deceived so often from outside sources if we would not allow ourselves to be deceived. No doubt this is why so many warnings against self-deception are given in the Word of God. From the scriptures let's notice some ways we can be deceived.

We deceive ourselves if we think we can practice sin and still be saved. *"Little children, let no one deceive you. He who practices righteousness is righteous....He who sins is of the devil..."* (1 John 3:7,8) The Gnostics, false teachers of that day, taught that one could practice sin with the body and serve God with the spirit. Some Christians were believing this error, even to the point of thinking they had no sin. This was a threat to the church, therefore the apostle John addressed this issue. In Chapter 1:8, he wrote, *"If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us."*

Many today believe the same thing. Because we serve a merciful, loving God, some believe that He would never condemn someone to an eternal hell because of his sins. So they proceed in their practice of sin, believing that by God's grace they will be saved. Such people are deceived! They need to read carefully this short epistle of 1 John, as well as related scripture. Sin is deceitful. It hardens the heart and causes one to fall away from the living God. (Heb.3:12,13) Paul wrote, *"Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived."* (1 Cor. 6:9)

We deceive ourselves if we think we can sow one thing and reap another. God's universal law that governs our whole life is - we reap what we sow. In the Galatian letter we read, *"Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life."* (Gal.6:7,8) In other words, if we think we can sow one thing and reap another, this would infer a mockery (insult) to God, that is, we would be trying to defy Him by overriding His universal law of sowing and reaping. Many are so foolish and deceived as to think they can do anything they choose, whether it pleases God or not. This great principle of sowing and reaping applies to the whole of life. We all would do well to abide by it instead of deceiving ourselves into believing it does not always apply. Shall we be warned, or shall we ignore the warnings???

Richard

The Word of God is right

all His work is true



Psalm 33:4

To God Be True In 2022

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