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	SERVICE	MAY 22	MAY 29
MORNING	Song Leader	Jimmy Snow	Eddie Nuckols
	Announcements	Eddie Nuckols	Tom Davenport
	Opening Prayer	Tom Davenport	Jered Markman
	Scripture Reading	John Davenport	Edgar Markman
	Sermon	Claude Pharr	Claude Pharr
	Closing Prayer	Daniel Forrest	Mark Koontz
EVENING	Opening Prayer	Wesley Frick	Rick Brown
	Sermon	Claude Pharr	Young Men
	Closing Prayer	Matthew Forrest	Jimmy Snow
ш	Lord's Table	Jimmy Snow	Eddie Nuckols
	Wed Song Leader	Tom Davenport	Eddie Nuckols
Center Servers		LORD'S SUPPER	
		Rick Brown	
		Daniel Forrest	
		James Midgette	
		Scott Tesh	
_		Jered Markman	
	Prepare Cleanup	Rick/Cindy Brown	
	Bread	Cindy Brown	

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# PREVENTING A POST-ANTIBIOTIC APOCALYPSE

Economist Jim O'Neill wrote a report about drugresistant infections, "bacteria and other microbes that have become impervious to antibiotics" (The Atlantic, Ed Yong, 5/19/16). Ten million will die yearly by 2050. O'Neill gives ten suggestions to avert this: improve sanitation, a global surveillance network, a publicawareness campaign, better diagnostic tools, avoid unnecessary use of antibiotics in agriculture, promote effective alternatives, improve incentives for workers, adequately fund and reward those working on the problem, and build a global coalition.

I read this in light of the epidemic we are fighting together. It is the most dangerous threat any of us will face. Many of O'Neill's suggestions for fighting microbes are the marching orders God has given us to fight sin. Holiness, unity, improved evangelism, Bible study, avoid unnecessary fights, example, focusing more on eternity, better giving, and increased mission efforts all factor in saving more souls!

We don't *know* that O'Neill's prediction will come to pass. But, the Bible tells us in no uncertain terms that "it is appointed unto men once to die, and then the Judgment" (Heb. 9:27). The majority will be lost (cf. Mat. 7:13-14)! God is counting on us, Christians, to stem that tide as much as possible (Mark 16:15-16). Every individual you and I reach with the gospel is one less who will succumb to this eternally fatal threat!

Neal Pollard

# **WELCOME**

We are so glad you are here. If this is your first time with us, we would like to let you know what to expect. We seek to worship according to the New Testament pattern. We sing without mechanical musical instruments (Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16). We observe the Lord's Supper (Acts 20:7). This memorial is for those who have been baptized for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38, 42), yet we do not have "closed communion". Everyone must examine himself (I Cor. 11: 27-29). An offering is collected from our members (I Cor. 16:1-2). As our guest, you are not expected to make a donation. A Biblical message (Acts 20:7) will be preached and men will lead the congregation in prayer (I Tim. 2:8). We strive to worship God in spirit and in truth (according to the word of God - John 4:24). We encourage you to stay a while afterwards so that we can get to know you and answer any questions you may have.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

May 24 Tuesday JCM Bible Study 7:00pm

May 28 Saturday Spring Fling at the Maurer's at 5:30pm. Hamburgers and buns will be provided. A sign up sheet is posted on the board for sides and desserts. Let the Maurer's know if you are coming so they know how much food to purchase.

May 26 Thursday Mommy & Me Devo 10:30 - 11:30am June 12 Sunday Fellowship Meal celebrating graduates Paul Davenport and Jonathan Johnson.

## **UPCOMING AREA EVENTS**

May 22 Sunday Friends and Family Day at South Stokes church of Christ Bible class 9:30am, worship 10:30, fellowship meal 11:30am, gospel singing 12:45pm

June 4 Saturday CBC Camp Clean Up Day

June 4 Saturday North Carolina School of Biblical Studies 8th Annual Lectureship

**August 27 Saturday 24th Annual Bible Bowl** at the church of Christ in Sanford, NC

## **PRAYER LIST**

Robert Cole continues to feel poorly.

**Paul Condra** underwent heart catheterization surgery this past Friday.

**Logan Contra**, Paul Contra's nephew, has brain cancer. He is undergoing chemotherapy treatments.

**Connor Gaddy**, 4 month old baby at Jana's daycare, has been diagnosed with Spinal Muscular Atrophy. He been moved to Duke to work with a doctor who specializes in respiratory infections with children who have SMA.

Minni Lee Dukes, Belinda's great aunt

Oscar Koontz

Chris McClellan, Jenny Davenport's dad

**Frank Shephard**, preacher at Warners Chapel, has terminal cancer. Please continue to pray for him, his wife Jane.

**Jerry Stanley** had a skin cancer removal procedure and he is recovering.

Tammy Turner, preacher's wife at Fairfield

Penny Austin Timothy Myers
Candice Davenport Bob Scales
Joe Koontz Nick White

## **SHUT-INS**

Vergie Farmer Sadie Rice Wanda Scott Elizabeth Seamon Dorothy Smith Larry Warner

# **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

Ivey Nell & Edwin Boger Monday May 23

Each Thursday night at 10 pm you can watch "**Getting to Know the Bible**" on TCT, channel 43 over an antennae. This program features speaker Ken Forrest.