

MEN WHO SERVE

November 5

November 12

Morning Service

Song Leader *Phil Forrest*
 Announcements *Eddie Nuckols*
 Opening Prayer *Jered Markman*
 Scripture Reading *Rick Brown*
 Sermon *Claude Pharr*
 Closing Prayer *Mark Koontz*

Morning Service

Song Leader *Eddie Nuckols*
 Announcements *Tom Davenport*
 Opening Prayer *Phil Forrest*
 Scripture Reading *Scott Tesh*
 Sermon *Claude Pharr*
 Closing Prayer *Jerry Stanley*

Evening Service

Opening Prayer *Matt Maurer*
 Sermon *Young Men*
 Closing Prayer *Paul Davenport*
 Lord's Table *Phil Forrest*
 Wed Song Leader *Phil Forrest*

Evening Service

Opening Prayer *Rick Brown*
 Sermon *Claude Pharr*
 Closing Prayer *Matthew Forrest*
 Lord's Table *Eddie Nuckols*
 Wed Song Leader *Eddie Nuckols*

Lord's Supper

Center *Matt Maurer*
 Servers *John Davenport*
Matthew For-
Paul Davenport
Edgar Markman
 Prepare/Clean *The Boyds*
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The Candy Give-Away

Last Tuesday evening some of our people participated in the local "Trick or Treat" event. Some of you have asked me about it so I thought I would at least report on the results and say a word or two about the rationale.

First, let me say that to start with I was not big on the idea though I did not think there was anything wrong with it. Here's what happened and you can evaluate it for yourself. A few of our people gave out 1800 plastic bags containing a few small pieces of candy and two small tracts: one introducing the church and another advertising the Dull's Monday Evening Bible class. Of course, the tract was not for the kids but for their parents. We have no way of knowing how many of the parents will read the tract but the hope is that some will. This means that 1800 people at least had the opportunity to learn about the church. Then after the candy supply ran out a young couple approached our group and said that they were not interested in the candy but wanted to know about the church. So at the very least two people were interested and received some information about us.

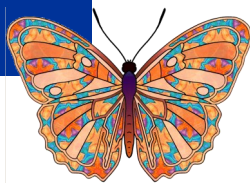
Now for the rationale. Jesus and the apostles seem to have taken every opportunity that presented itself to tell the gospel message. Paul, for example, stood in the city of Athens, a city filled with pagan idols, and spoke in the same arena as the pagan philosophers. On the same principle churches of Christ often setup booths at county fairs to distribute tracts and sign up people for Bible Correspondence Courses. This even though at such fairs there are things going on in which Christians would not participate. The point is that anytime and anyplace as opportunities present themselves so long as we are not engaged in wrong doing and so long as it is expedient. These are the two basic criteria.

Claude

Welcome Visitors

You are our honored guests! Please fill out a visitor card and put it in the collection plate. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to have you as a part of our family. If you would like a visit or have some other need, please let us know.

We hope you will worship with us again!



Upcoming Events

November 5 Sunday Laura Kinder wedding shower at 2:00pm at Deborah Dulls house

November 6 Monday JCM Bible Study at 7pm in the mission house

November 18 Saturday Bulls and Barrels at the Lone Hickory Arena in Yadkin County. Lady's do the barrel horse racing and the men do the bull riding. Gates open at 5pm, show starts at 7pm. Tickets will be sold at the event. See Tom for more information.



Area Events

November 5-8 Gospel Meeting at Warners Chapel church of Christ

Prayer list



Kathy Cranfill, Carol Capps' mother, is experiencing heart problems

Sandy Keller, friend of Betty Godbey, is recovering from triple bypass surgery.

Nancy Koontz fell and is in a lot of pain

Estelle Kluttz is recovering at home

Sara Koontz

Sylvia White

Susan Clapp
Deborah Dull
Glenn Koontz

Joe Koontz
John Koontz
Russ La Chapelle Sr

Jay Stanley

Shut-ins

Robert Cole
Vergie Farmer
Estelle Kluttz

Sadie Rice
Wanda Scott
Dorothy Smith



Scott Tesh
Andrew Johnson
Carly Howard

Wednesday Nov 8
Friday Nov 10
Saturday Nov 11