

Direct From The Minting House

By Mike Riley

After studying thoroughly the Scriptures John Bunyan went on to be a preacher and an author of more than sixty books, including his classic allegory, “The Pilgrim’s Progress”

Regarding Bible study, Bunyan once stated:

“Although you may have no commentaries at hand, continue to read the Word and pray; for a little from God is better than a great deal received from a man. Too many are content to listen to what comes from men’s mouths, without searching and kneeling before God to know the real truth. That which we receive directly from the Lord through the study of His Word is from the ‘minting house’ itself. Even old truths are new if they come to us with the smell of heaven upon them”.

John Bunyan knew that the Word of God has the power to “mint” us into God’s own (Romans 1:16; 1 Peter 2:1-10), “if” we take the time to study His Word (2 Timothy 2:15 KJV).

The question is, “Are we spending the necessary time in the study of God’s word — the Word that comes direct from the minting house?”

Brethren and friends, today (and every day) in prayer, let us ask the Lord to give us an understanding of His Word (Colossians 1:9-11; cf. Ephesians 1:15-19; Ephesians 3:1-6). Then along with the Psalmist, we can declare, “Oh, how I love Your law! It is my meditation all the day” (Psalm 119:97; cf. Psalm 1:1-2).



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Sunday Morning Bible Classes - 9:30 AM
Sunday Morning Worship - 10:30 AM
Sunday Evening Worship - 5:00 PM
Wednesday Evening Classes - 6:00 PM.

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Welcome Visitors

If you are seeking a church home, we hope that you will consider joining with us. We are a growing congregation, dedicated to worshipping in truth and spirit. Please fill out the Visitor's Card and place it in the collection plate!

Elders:

Todd Chapman
Paul Simpson

Deacons:

Wayne Fowler David Garris
Billy Granger Buddy Hollis

Preacher:

Don Delukie

Those to Serve

Today

Announcements- Charles Fricke **Lord's Table-** Don Delukie
Opening prayer- Paul Simpson **Closing Prayer-** Ronnie Hayes

March 6th

Announcements- Paul Simpson **Lord's Table-** Wayne Fowler
Opening prayer- David Reppond **Closing Prayer-** Lyle Russell

- Communion will utilize self-contained, sealed cups available in the foyer. **Please pick one up upon arrival.**
- Giving is available at a central collection container in the foyer or online at www.sterlingtonchurchofchrist.com.

Announcements

—**Question & Answer Series:** March 6th will be our next Question and Answer Series. Please submit your questions via the church email address SCOC2006@att.net or to Don.

—**Men's Retreat:** The Naff Avenue Church of Christ is hosting a Men's Retreat on March 18-20. Please see the flyer in the Lobby for more details.



Please Pray For:

Jerry & Joyce McDonald, Billy Granger, Leah & Tracy DeWitt, Jordan North, Deb McInturff, Debbie Cook, Joanne Randolph, Frank & John McDaniel, Dustin Jordan, Lori McDonald, Ashley & Boyd Dalrymple, Katherine Hebert, Trey Havens, Amy Tinsley, Connie Grenfell.

Bereaved: Families of John DeHart, Clyde Wilson, Sharon Simpson, Gerald Kilpatrick.

Continue to Pray For:

Shirley Goodwin, Bobby Barker, Trey Jennings, Debbie Walker, Virginia Royal, Renita Thomas, Elizabeth Hollis, Cyndi Powell, Heath Ray, Terrance Dawson, Ann Bolden, Jamie Ross, Charlie McDaniel Jr, Lewis Bedele, Adam White.



February Birthdays

- 1 - Jay Anthony McDaniel
- 8 - Ed Haltom
- 13 - Alex Townsend
- 15 - Ronnie White
- 22 - Sybil Binford



March birthdays

- 8 - Miriam Russell
- 18 - Billy Granger
- 18 - Lyle Russell
- 21 - Sadie Kate Scharf
- 25 - Ashley Dalrymple
- 25 - Nelia Chapman
- 29 - Sharon White-Ross
- 29 - Chellie Wells

March anniversaries

- 9- Tommy & Glenda Wells