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9 Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. 10 Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves. 11 Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. 12 Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. 13 Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. Romans 12:9-13

One of my favorite chapters in the Word of God is Romans chapter twelve. It seems to me to be as bold as the sermon on the Mount and challenges us to live like Christ because of God's great's mercy for us, to grow in Christ and in the knowledge of our Creator, and urges us to desperately use the gifts each one of us has to build relationships with one another.

Just in this short passage above is filled with challenges for us. The first challenge is recognizing the importance of our relationship with one another. Are we growing in our relationships? Do I know my brothers and sisters in Christ? Do I know of any needs they may have? Is there any encouragement I can give? Am I taking time to build relationships with those whom I will share eternity? We sing songs like "Blest be the tide that bonds" and "Love one another". Songs that communicate to us what we have in Christ and who we have it with. My prayer is that we all get to know each other better and grow in Christ together. The question is "How does that happen?" Look to the passage above. It says to be devoted to one another in love, honor one another about yourselves, share with the Lord's people who are in need, and practice hospitality. This means it takes work and we have been called to do this.

The second challenge is to do it. It takes work, it takes time, and it means going out of your comfort zone. Use some time to make new friendships while building on the ones you already have. Josue, a dear friend of mine, and I would note how when it came to Sundays we generally would not be talking to each other because we were using that time to talk and encourage others while having our time at some other time of the week to encourage one another. Never be lacking in zeal, talk and encourage someone from church that you do not know so well. If we really look at this verse; we can understand to keep our zeal (to keep fired up) it is directly related to serving. The more we serve and practice the one another passages creates this zeal and spiritual fervor we have for the Lord. And what if they don't respond to the way I am serving them? The passage it is above all the Lord you are serving. Keep on serving the Lord whether they do or do not notice which leads to the third chal-

The third challenge after loving one another, after serving the Lord with zeal, is to do all that you do with love. The passage says that our love must be sincere. We remember 1 Cor. 13 when talking about love and states the importance of this point to its maximum. There is absolutely no ulterior motive but to love/serve /live for the Lord with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength. May people see in us and may we see in one another a love that is simply because of what God has done for us that we want to love others. This extends to loving our neighbors, which is extending our love to those who are in need. May we be actively be looking for these opportunities.

In everything, let us all be joyful in the hope we have of eternal life, let us be patient in times of affliction from however that comes our way, and let us be faithful in prayer. Are you concerned about your brother or sister in Christ? Are you concerned about the lost and want to reach them? Are you concerned about the church here in Daingerfield? Are you concerned about the life you live in Christ? As it says here in this verse, BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER. Never stop praying for the church, for evangelism, and for yourself to be molded into the image of Christ. Let's keep fired up and cling to what is good, I love you brothers and sisters! God bless, Mark White

#### **PRAYING FOR THE SICK**

Ois Kennington had knee replacement on Monday in Tyler. He did well and was dismissed on Wednesday. Angie Helms continues to recuperate from bypass surgery at home. Sue Sloan will have a biopsy on Tuesday in Longview. Please pray for her. Melba Williams remains in Long Term Specialty Care at Good Shepherd. She will soon be moved to another part of the hospital for more rehab. Emma Martin continues to need our prayers. Alan Powell is undergoing more chemotherapy. Please pray for Dallas Andrews, father of our Chris Andrews. They found a spot on his lung and he will have a biopsy next Wednesday in Longview. Marlene Bohr will be finishing her rehab soon and will possibly be able to go home. Please continue your prayers for the following: Faye Alford, Thelma Awtry, Nelda Banks, Carla Barnes, Marlene Bohr, Bettye Brantley, Shyne Bright, Jean Cook, Desiree Corbello, Colby Cox, Maggie Cox, Sue Cox, Terry Cox, Jill Fender, Becky Fountain, Dee Frankford, Faye Galloway, Kenia Gibbs, Scarlett Gibbs, Betty Grainger, Laura Hill, Patti Holt, David Ingram, David Ingram, Jr., Corrine Jacobsen, Barbie Kirkland, Laverne McCurdy, Emma Martin, Janiece Miller, Diann Mueller, Will Parks, Will Pendergrass, Colleen Prahl, Don Prahl, Lloyd Puckett, Wanda Purdy, Sue Sloan, Jo Speck, Jeffery Sweet, Jeremy Sweet, Julia Sweet, Royce Sweet, Jimmy & Bobbie Walker, & Mark White.

#### MATTHEW 12:30 NIV

Whoever is not with me is against me, and whoever does not gather with me scatters.

#### **JAIL MINISTRY**

<u>Henry Buckner</u>, who is over our Jail Ministry, baptized <u>Crystal Johnson</u>, on September 12. Congratulations Crystal!

#### **CHURCH RETREAT**

This year's theme for our retreat will be "Getting Your Ducks in a Row". It will be held at the Daingerfield State Park on Saturday, October 5, 9: 30-2:00. Bring donuts etc. for breakfast if you wish. Hot dog & hamburgers will be served for lunch. There will be a time of singing, learning, praying & fellowship. There will also be activities for the kids. Sign the list in the foyer if you plan on attending.

#### PRAYER SISTERS

This coming Sunday, September 22, is the deadline for you to participate in the Prayer Sisters. Please have your questionnaire in by Sunday night. If you have a question see <u>Rita Veale</u>.

#### **VISITORS**

We had the following visitors with us on Sunday, September 15: Darrell Ethridge, Jefferson; Keith Russell & Jamie Atkinson, Gilmer; Tina Squyres, Longview; Rocky & Kim Thomasson, Daingerfield; Lilly & Micah Weatherford, Omaha.



Our church family has received a card of thanks from <u>Misty Andrews</u>. The card is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.



# BEGINS SEPTEMBER 231

## AREA EVENTS

- September 29-October 2, Avery Church of Christ, Gospel Meeting
- September 21, Ladies Day, Graceton Church of Christ,
- September 28, Ladies Day, East Cotton Church of Christ
- October 5, Ladies Day, Gilmer Church of Christ

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Oct. 5-Church Retreat@ the State Park

OCT. 6-1st Sunday Fellowship

Oct. 7-Elders Meet

Oct. 26-Ladies Day

## "Youth Stuff"

Devo this week hosted by <br/>
Karla Dublin. Alex Wooten will be supervising the <br/>
devo!

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# NETSYS FALL RETREAT

Nov. 2-3 at

Lakeview Encampment in Lone Star

Jam still gone! <u>Dennis</u>

<u>Hill</u> will be teaching the

High School class on Sunday, 22nd. J still miss
y'all.

