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Goals For 2020
Theme
 A Church With 2020 Vision
Attendance: Sunday Bible Study: 40;
Sunday AM: 50
Sunday PM: 40; Wednesday Bible Study: 30

Giving: Meet Our Yearly Budget

Invitations: 130

Every Member Committed To Daily Bible Reading

Every Member Committed To Daily Prayer

Every Member Committed To Be At Every Service

Hold a "Bible Basics" Class
Hold A Men's Training Class

Hold One Gospel Meeting

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We are now in the 31st week of our Bible Reading.

Prayer List
 Sharon Nale
 Les & Novema Dunn
 Debby Spears (Roseann's sis)
 Sharon Thompson
 The Wards
 Dale Kahl
 Beth McFarland
 Brooke Thomas

Love: John 13:34-35,
 I Jn 4:7-8, I Cor. 13:1-7

Who Have You Invited To Services This week?

Lord's Supper Reading
 Matt. 26:26-29

Scripture Reading
 AM: John 13:34-35
 PM: Luke 12:16-21

Encouragement Tally
 Invites this month: 2
 Invites last month: 110
 Visitors last year: 48
 Visitors YTD: 8

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Love

Welcome!
 If you're visiting with us today, we want you to feel welcome and we want you to feel like our honored guest! We also want you to know that all we're interested in here at the Clarksville Church of Christ is the Truth. Jesus said, "You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32. The truth He's talking about is God's word. Jesus said, "Sanctify them by thy truth, Thy word is truth." John 17:17. Therefore we hope you'll appreciate that we'll give you book, chapter and verse from the Bible, the word of God, for everything that we say or do here today, so that everything that we do may bring glory unto God, I Pet. 4:11.

Read John 13:34-35. Love is the great commandment. Let's take a look at the idea of Love as taught by the Bible this morning.

I. Love Is A Command

Matt 22:37-40, I Jn 4:19, 11

II. The Importance of Love

I Cor. 13:2-3, 13, I Pet. 4:8, I Jn 4:8, Col. 3:13, Eph 4:2

III. Love As Jesus

-Humility

Phil. 2:5-8, 3

-Service

Mk 10:45, Jn 13:14, Gal. 5:13

-Action

Jn 10:19, Lk 19:10, I Tim. 1:15, I Jn 3:18

-The Undeserving

Rom. 5:7-8, Eph. 2:4-8, Lk 6:27ff

But God

Read Lk 12:16-21. I'd like to look at that little phrase that Christ uses in this parable. "But God." Notice,

I. •Says, " _____ "

Lk 12:20, 13-15, Eccl 5:10, Mt 6:19ff

I Tim 6:6-11, Prov. 11:4, Mt 13:32

II. _____

Lk 16:14, Mt 23:27, Gal. 6:7, Mt. 23:14

III. Will Provide A _____ of _____

I Cor. 10:13, I Jn 2:15-17, Prov. 4:14ff

I Cor. 6:18, 2 Tim. 2:22

IV. _____ You So Much

Rom. 5:7-8, Eph. 2:3, Rom. 3:23; 6:23

Jn 3:16

Notes:

How Am I Supposed To Love?

Multiple times in the New Testament, Christians are commanded to love one another. In fact, children of God are charged to "increase and abound in love to one another" (1 Thess. 3:12) and to "love one another fervently with a pure heart" (1 Pet. 1:22). How can we properly and effectively develop this attitude and express it "in deed and in truth" (1 John 3:18)? Wouldn't you know it! God tells us how in 1 Corinthians 13:4-7. Look at those verses closely and see how they are further developed in other passages.

To love one another, we must be patient! "Showing tolerance for one another" (Eph. 4:2).

To love one another, we must be kind! "Be kindly affectionate to one another" (Rom. 12:10).

To love one another, we must not envy! "Not become conceited...envying one another" (Gal. 5:26).

To love one another, we must not seek the center of attention! "Through love serve one another" (Gal. 5:13).

To love one another, we must not be arrogant! "Submitting to one another" (Eph. 5:21).

To love one another, we must not behave rudely! "Have the same care for one another" (1 Cor. 12:25).

To love one another, we must not seek our own way! "Giving preference to one another" (Rom. 12:10).

To love one another, we must not be irritable! "Having compassion for one another" (1 Pet. 3:8).

To love one another, we must not store up resentment! "Forgiving one another" (Eph. 4:32).

To love one another, we must not rejoice in wrong-doing! "Edify one another" (1 Thess. 5:11).

To love one another, we must rejoice in the truth! "Consider one another" (Heb. 10:24).

To love one another, we must bear all things! "Bearing with one another" (Eph. 4:2).

To love one another, we must believe all things! "In harmony with one another" (Ro. 12:16).

To love one another, we must hope all things! "Encourage one another" (1 Thess. 5:11).

To love one another, we must endure all things! "Bear one another's burdens" (Gal. 6:2).

Loving one another is beautifully depicted in 1 Corinthians 13, then further emphasized with "one another" verses throughout the New Testament. May God help us to remember that we are "members of one another" (Rom. 12:4-5).