

Schedule Of Services

Sunday

Bible Study 9:30 A. M.
 Worship 10:30 A. M.
 Worship 4:00 P. M.
 2nd Sunday Potluck following the morning service. At 1:15 we will have a singing service.

Tuesday:

Ladies Class -- 10 A. M. (Sept. – June)

Wednesday

Midweek Services: 7:30 P. M.

Our Preacher:

Toney L. Smith – (817) 483-1240

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Live Broadcasts

We are broadcasting our worship services over the Internet.

Our website address:

<https://rendonchurchofchrist.com/>

Also find us at OABS.org - Go to Congregation>Rendon>Website

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You can find us on both
YouTube and Facebook

Check out this web site:

BIBLEWAYMEDIA.ORG

(We help support this work.)

Works Rendon Supports:

Chuck Northrop: OABS Director.
 Online Academy of Biblical Studies.
 Oologah, OK Internet Radio.
 Cherokee Children's Home.

God's Plan For Salvation

Hear: Rom. 10:17.
 Believe: Mark 16:16.
 Repent: Luke 13:3, 5.
 Confess: Rom. 10:9-10.
 Baptism: Acts 2:38.
 Be Faithful: 1 Cor. 15:58.

There is no other way!



Prayer List:

Delpha Pearce, Sophia Kersten, Brandy Smith, Edith Smith, Sherra Reeves, Kay Johnston, Geneice and Derral, Robbie and Edwina. Tip and Phillis are still struggling with their health issues.

Family and Friends:

Curtis Lallance, Leanna Shafer, Chuck Northrop, Robert Taylor, Galen Anderson, and Jennifer Davis.

3 John verse 2 "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth"



In the Military:
 Keith Pilgrim and Justin Cormier.

Welcome to Our Visitors

Thank you for choosing to worship with us. We would like to have a record of your attendance. Please fill out a visitor card. We look forward to seeing you again.

Sermon Titles for today:

AM: They Wanted A King (1 Sam. 8:1-6).

PM: He's My King (1 Tim. 6:13-16).

BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE:

If you would like to take a Bible Correspondence course, please let us know. Call or email us and we will enroll you in our Bible study program.

ARE WE JUST TOO BUSY?

(Adapted)

We live in an age when everything is changing at an incredible pace. We are always hearing about the advances in medicine, space exploration, and computer technology, just to name a few. We are even changing the way we carry out our everyday activities. We are able to do more now in less time than ever before in history. But are we really getting more done now than ever?

Maybe we need to ask ourselves, “How busy am I?” Are we so busy that we miss a social function? Are we so busy that we don't spend time with our children? Are we so busy that we are tempted to miss a church service or two, Gospel Meetings or Bible studies? If we answer “yes” to either of these, we need to rethink our priorities and come up with a solution that will take away the temptation to miss a gathering of God's people.

When preparing this lesson, I was thumbing through the maps in the back of my Bible and I noticed the journeys of the apostle Paul. This was truly a busy man. If we think about the amount of effort he put into these journeys, we must be impressed. Remember that he did not have a car, an airplane or a train by which to travel.

Some of his trips covered vast distances for travel in those days. Today, we have cars to take short trips and jets to make our long trips seem short.

Microwave ovens have shortened our meal preparation time and the dishwasher has made cleanup much faster and easier. Yet, very often we still find there aren't enough hours in a day to study our Bibles or to prepare ourselves for the next lesson in our Bible class.

This is where we are tricked by Satan into believing there is just not enough time to do God's will or to study His word. When this happens, our soul is in grave danger and of course that is exactly what Satan wants.

Again, we need to ask ourselves, in the light of God's truth, how busy are we? We must be honest with ourselves and change whatever it is that is hindering us from serving Him as He would have us to do. We must be

willing to devote a portion of our time to God rather than give to Him the leftover minutes. And sometimes we are so busy we do not have any time for Him.

Let's remember what Paul wrote in **1 Thessalonians 5:14-22** “Now we exhort you, brethren, warn them that are unruly, comfort the feebleminded, support the weak, be patient toward all men. See that none render evil for evil unto any man; but ever follow that which is good, both among yourselves, and to all men. Rejoice evermore. Pray without ceasing. In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you. Quench not the Spirit. Despise not prophesyings. Prove all things; hold fast that which is good. Abstain from all appearance of evil.”

That sounds like a full-time job to me!

We must dedicate our lives to these efforts and to all the others found in God's word. To do this we must spend time learning His will for us through Bible study and meditation. And when an opportunity presents itself, such as Bible studies, worship services, Gospel Meeting and such like, we must be ready and willing to make ourselves available for these occasions.

I would like to close by challenging each one of us to sit down with a pencil and paper and write down how much time we are currently spending in God's work. Then write down how much time we spend on ourselves. Remember that He has promised us eternity as the reward for a life of service. What could we possibly be spending our time on that would compare with that promise?



They said the weather was just too bad to attend worship services. We usually do what we want no matter the circumstances. Priority is a must in our service to the Lord. Be careful that we don't become too busy to serve Him.