

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/>

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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: Rev. 2:10.

There is no other way!



Rendon's Prayer List:

Sophia Kersten, Delpha Pearce, Brandy Smith, Edith Smith, Debby Smith, Kay Johnston, Larry Lallance, Johnny Graham. Geneice and Derral, Robbie and Edwina, Tip and Phillis. Edith Smith is home. Cameron Cole has Covid.

Family and Friends:

Ashleigh Martinez, the granddaughter of Darlene Scott, April Lidell and Richie Reeves. Jeff Reeves (Frank and Sherra's nephew) and Todd Reeves will have surgery in the near future. Todd Reeves tested positive for Covid which may postpone his MRI. Doris Hughes Melissa Cole's grandmother has been diagnosed with cancer.

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.

Today's Sermons

AM: Let Not Man Put Asunder (Matt. 19:6).

PM: Questions & Answers.

A man is rich according to what he **IS**, not according to what he **HAS**.



In the Military:

Keith Pilgrim and Justin Cormier.

LIVING SACRIFICES

Toney L. Smith

Every Christian is to be a living sacrifice for Christ (**Romans 12:1-2**). In this challenging call to Christian living, Paul is emphasizing the need to be set apart from all ungodly living. He is saying, “live differently than the world.” Someone once said, “Total sacrificial living is life indeed.”

The saint is to be a living sacrifice. The Old Testament required the bloody sacrifice of animals (**Hebrews 10:1**). In the New Testament we are not admonished to make these animal sacrifices, however we are called upon to make a daily sacrifice of ourselves. We must lay down our lives for the Lord (**Matthew 16:25**). We must be willing to give up anything to be a disciple of Christ (**Luke 14:33**). The Macedonian Christians gave liberally of their money and goods to the Lord, but we must understand they “first gave their own selves to the Lord” (**2 Corinthians 8:5**).

All of this means that the Christian is to keep himself from the things of the world which would take Him away from God. The temptations of that lifestyle can be overcome if we are willing to make a sacrifice. I have heard some say, “Do I have to give up everything to be pleasing to God?” Or some say, “That’s too restrictive.” Truth is, we must all make a sacrifice if we are to be holy in His sight.

AMERICA—ABOUT TO DIE?

Thomas B. Warren (8/1/1920 – 8/8/2000)

A nation is a lot like a person. It is born. It lives. It grows old. It dies. Many great nations have arisen during the history of the world. Some of them experienced a pattern somewhat like this: They began with strong spiritual and moral conviction, followed by the growth and eventual dominance of materialism, eventually to be destroyed by moral decay, apathy, and anarchy. Sounds all too familiar, doesn’t it?

America began with spiritual conviction, and at least a great many people who meant it when “In God We Trust” was stamped on its money. Then came the industrial revolution, the agricultural revolution, the glorification of materialism in general, and a people who began to trust more in money than in God. Now we see signs of decadence and apathy, the next-to-last-stage. As one of the Nobel Peace Prize winners pointed out several years ago, not just in America, but in the rest of the world, our moral fiber is unraveling rapidly.

Is it all over? Is it the end? Is America about to die? Well, that depends upon America. It depends on what we Americans decide. God gives us the choice, both as individuals and nations to follow our way or His way (**Matthew 7:13-14**). It is up to us. He wants us as willing followers, not as robots with no freedom of choice (**Matthew 11:28-30**).

Centuries before Christ, Nineveh, much like America today, was faced with a choice. Nineveh could pursue either its own self-centered course or turn back to God. In what must have been one of the greatest spiritual revivals in history, Nineveh heard God’s warning. Its citizens believed God, proclaimed a fast, turned around from wrongdoing, and were saved from destruction (**Jonah 3:5-10**).

The same thing can happen in America today. America has been great. It can be even greater. Our permissiveness, violence, and overindulgence can be either the beginning of the end or the crisis experience that gives us rebirth in God’s will. It is up to us which of the two it will be.

A THOUGHT OR TWO...

Blessed is the man who refrains from speaking until he knows what he is talking about.

Every minute of life that is lost is gone forever. Use your time wisely.

Don’t wait for six strong men to take you to church.