



Welcome

Welcome to the assembly of the church of Christ that meets at Georgia Avenue, where we strive to follow God's plan for the New Testament church as closely as possible. Thank you for coming. We are encouraged by your presence and invite you to search the scriptures with us.

Sermon Text & Title

AM: "Homosexuality:
A Sin Against Nature"
Romans 1:24-27

PM: "The Christian and
Civil Authorities"
Romans 13:1-7

Schedule of Services

<i>Sun Bible Study</i>	9 AM
<i>Sun AM Worship</i>	10 AM
<i>Sun New Converts</i>	4 PM
<i>Sun PM Worship</i>	5 PM
<i>Wed Bible Class</i>	7 PM

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FROM THE MINISTER'S DESK:

"My Theology of Preaching" Pt. 1

I. My Privilege, Responsibility and Limitations in Preaching

As a preacher, I stand as God's spokesman to declare His word, His will and His way to those who are in darkness as well as those who have come into the light of His Son, King Jesus. As God commanded Jonah, "Arise, go unto Nineveh, that great city, and preach unto it the preaching that I bid thee" (Jonah 3:2), and Jesus commanded His apostles, saying, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature" (Mark 16:15), so I go and speak on God's behalf. This understanding gives the work utmost importance and pre-eminence in my life. It is a great honor and privilege to be an ambassador for the Creator, Judge and Deliverer of all men.

In light of the privilege that I have to plead with people in Christ's stead, I must be ever ready to do so, no matter the time, place or audience. Paul wrote to the Roman saints affirming his readiness to preach to them (Rom. 1:15). He wrote to the young evangelist Timothy charging him to preach whether the gospel message was popular amongst the hearers or not (2 Tim. 4:2). There are, and there will always be, times when some or all of God's word is rejected by men. Yet, my job is to preach it fully and accurately. My goal is to declare God's entire counsel to men to the end that they might be saved (Acts 20:27).

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Stay tuned for Part 2 next week

“RIGHTLY DIVIDING THE WORD”

BIBLE STUDY TOOLS - TESTAMENT SURVEYS

#12 Surveys are good, concise tools to use in preparing to study particular books of the Bible. Generally, surveys focus on either the old or new testament and are intended to be an aid to steer your own study. They provide a little background about each book and author and point out key people, themes, words, time lines and events that a careful reader should notice. Most include outlines and discussion questions as well. The best surveys do not spoon feed information; instead, they prepare one’s mind to extract and comprehend the most vital aspects of a particular book as they study through it for themselves.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nursing Home Visitation, Today, 2PM. Washington Center for the Aging (2601 18th St. NE). If you plan to attend, please see Sis. Mosby.

Marriage Ministry Gathering, Fri., 7/11, 7PM.@ the Eatons’ home.

Door Knocking, Sat, 7/12, 9:45AM-noon. Your help is appreciated.

Singles’ Min. Quarterly Mtg., Sun, 7/13. Immediately following AM worship.

Women in the Word, Sat, 7/12 & 7/26, 12:30-1:30PM.

Youth Min. Fireside Chat, Sat, 7/12, 1-3PM. Parents, please make arrangements for your children to attend. See Bro. Williams for details.

Singles’ Bible Study, Fri, 7/18, 7:30PM. “Dealing with Divorce.” Facilitator: Bro. Otey. @ the Otey home. For more details, see Bro. Crutcher.

Summer Series/VBS, 7/21 - 7/25. Please plan to be in attendance each night and invite as many young people as you can.

Go-Kart Racing; Singles’ Min, Sat, 7/26. Stay tuned for more details.

PRAYER REQUESTS

STATISTICS

June 29, 2008

Sunday Class: 33 AM Worship: 44 PM Worship: 34 Wed Class: 31

WORSHIP LINE-UP

AM

Usher	M. Davis
Song Leader	M. Williams
Announcements	M. Otey
Invocation	L. Clemons
Scrip Reading	L. Clemons
Message	M. Otey
Lord’s Table	C. Bingham
Assist	M. Klesta
	D. Rogers
Giving	C. Bingham
Benediction	W. Ford

PM

Usher	M. Davis
Song Leader	B. Crutcher
Announcements	M. Otey
Invocation	A. Johnson
Scrip Reading	A. Johnson
Message	M. Otey
Lord’s Table	I. Thompson
Assist	O. Eaton
	J. Green
Giving	I. Thompson
Benediction	O. Eaton

God’s Plan of Salvation

Hear the Gospel. Rom 10:17
Believe in Jesus. John 8:24; Heb. 11:6
Repent of Sin. Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30
Confess Christ. Rom. 10:9-10
Be Baptized. Mk. 16:15-16; Acts 2:38
The Lord adds you to the church.
 Acts 2:47
Live Faithful Unto Death. Rev. 2:10

Clean Up This Month:

G. Cooper and J. Gibson

Communion:

D. and P. Armstrong