

*Welcome to Carmel Friends Church
January 29, 2012*

Today's Scripture

James 5:13-18

Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have sinned, they will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He prayed earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years. Again he prayed, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops.

“The Prayer of Faith”

Theme – The prayer of the righteous heals the body of Christ.

I. Prayer and praise keeps the body of Christ healthy. Vs 13

- a. What does praying do when we have problems?
- b. What does praising the Lord do when we are happy?

II. Sickness hurts the body of Christ. Vs 14

- a. How would you define being sick?
- b. What happens when a person in a family gets sick?

III. God uses the faithful to care for those who ask for help. Vs 14-16

- a. Who prays for the person who asks for prayer?
- b. What seems to be a condition for healing?
- c. How are sickness and sin related?

IV. The prayer of the righteous experiences what only God can do. Vs 17-18

- a. Who was Elijah?
- b. What happened when he prayed?

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Be open to the Spirit's leading and plan on being blessed!!

Today, January 29, 2012

9:30 am Sunday School for everyone

10:30 am Worship Service

Tuesday, January 31st

11:00 am Men's Yokefellow at MCL

1:30 pm Pam Sims' Bible Study—in the Chapel

Wednesday, February 1st

6:00 Men's Bible Study & Meal

"When God's People Pray"

6:30 pm—8:00 pm Youth

Friday, February 3rd

7:00 am Men's Prayer Group

9:00 am Men's Prayer—Lead by Pastor

Sunday, February 5th Super Bowl Sunday

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship Service

Saturday, February 11th

8:00 am Men's Breakfast at Michael's on Main Street

Coming Sunday, February 12th

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30am Worship Service

11:50 am Monthly Meeting Meal

Group #2 will co-ordinate

*(Jerry & Kay Myers, Dick Byrd, Ray Oman, Nancy Childs, Joyce Rogers,
Eric & Kim Moffett, Lucinda Belt, Gayle Cress, Donna Jones)*

12:35 pm Monthly Meeting

Wednesday, February 15th

1:00 pm Ladies' USFW At the church

Wednesday, February 1st

6:00 Men's Bible Study & Meal

"When God's People Pray"

Supporting Carmel Friends In Ministry

Pam Sims, Clerk of Monthly Meeting

Diana Frush, Treasurer

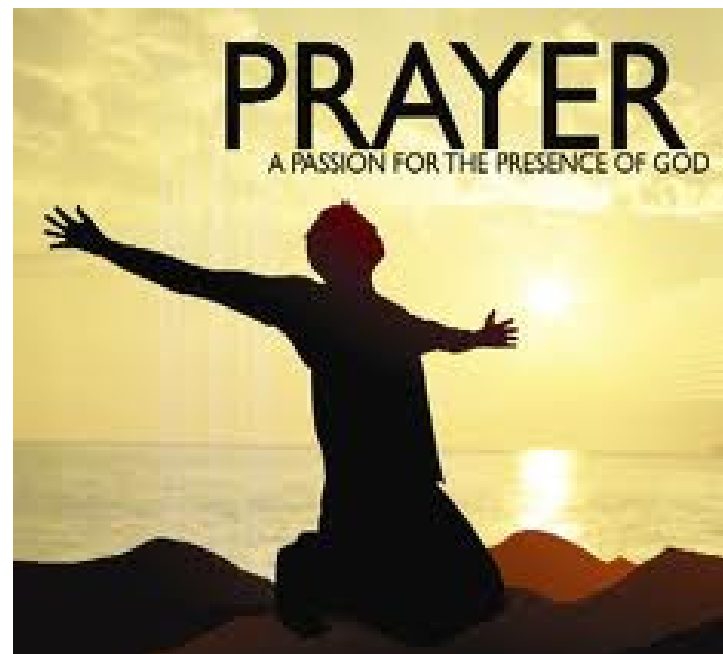
Rhonda Taylor, Director of Vocal Music

Clover Leap, Organist

Dick Leap, Percussion

Sunday, January 29, 2012

"Blessed By Prayer"



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