Announcements and Church News Our Stels Activities

<u>Grace Vogt</u>—Will have knee replacement surgery on May 26th; <u>William McRoy</u>— health issues; <u>Carol Untied</u>, <u>Isabelle Broyles</u> and <u>Dawn McFarland</u> out sick; <u>Alison Harris</u>—Recovering from a fall; and cancer trmt; <u>John Nickl</u>— Home from the hospital <u>Linda Hadsock</u>—for heart cath on June 7th; <u>Sandy Caldwell</u>— for pain <u>Vicky Lube</u>— for cancer trmt; <u>Teresa Broyles</u> for cancer trmt; <u>Ron Sommerville</u>, <u>Jr</u> needs prayers; <u>Joyce Stanley</u>, <u>Kim Taylor</u>, <u>Fran Barclay</u>, & Nancy VanWinkle for health issues.

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR FAMILY/FRIENDS;

<u>Debbie Cooper</u>—for heart issues; The <u>Stewart's</u> neighbor Rich Folger for health issues; <u>The Kozola's</u> son Tim for prayers; <u>Carol Untied's</u>—dad, Tony and friend Janet for health issues and friend Danielle Krebs; <u>Sam York</u>—is home in Missouri; <u>David Sain's</u>—wife Phyllis; <u>Yllka Bejo's</u>—mother; <u>The Bernhardt's</u>—relative Rustin Osburn; <u>Dianne Stewart's</u>—brother, Bobby Goodfield; <u>Van Stewart's</u>—aunt, Linda Parsons/health issues; <u>The Stingles</u>—niece's baby; <u>Paula Davis'</u>—niece/ lupus; <u>Carol Mitchell's</u>—mother, Mary; <u>Darrell Broking</u>—health issues; <u>Samantha Jones</u> son, Joshua for prayers; <u>Ashley Falcao</u>— recovering from leg surgery.

PRAYERS FOR CANCER:

<u>Ranny Reeves</u> neighbor, Linda Wall; <u>Linda Hadsock's</u> niece, June McCray; <u>Carol Untied's</u> stepmother Emily; <u>Debbie Methvin's</u>-coworkers father Vasilos and Michele Fuguero; <u>Deb Adams</u> friends son, Jason; <u>Van Stewart's</u> sister Tracey and cousin Paula; <u>Ronnie Sommerville's</u> dad, Ron; <u>Mattie Simmons</u> friend William; <u>Sandy Caldwell's</u> brother-in-law Larry; <u>Kay Jessup's</u> friend, Lou Fiores.

Inmates: Antwaun Thompson, Willie Newton & Tom George.

Our Service Men: <u>Sam Wagner</u> and cousin <u>Mark Wagner</u> (Navy) <u>Austin Reyes</u> (Marine) <u>Matthew Holleran</u> (Army)

Our Shut-In At Home: Winston Sandlin

NEXT LADIES BIBLE CLASS—Reminder that Ladies Bible class will not meet on May 20th, the next class is Friday, June 3rd at 1:00pm in the small building. See Vicki Herman for any questions.

K-5 CAMP—At Weeki Wachee Christian Camp from July 21st –23rd hosted by the Orange Street Church of Christ. For registration information please pick up a flyer in the foyer.

FOYER TABLE— The latest issue of the Christian Courier just arrived and can be found on the table in the foyer. The Financial Report for March has been prepared and is also on the foyer table.

How About A Pair of Granny's Glasses

A little boy said to a playmate, "When I get older I want to wear glasses just like Granny because she can see much more than most people. She can see when folks are hungry or sorry, and she can see what a fellar meant to do, even if he didn't do it right. I asked her one day how she could see so good, and she said it was the way she learned to look at things as she got older. I want a pair of glasses just like Granny's so I can see good too!" If it would help, and I believe it would, all of us need to find a pair of Granny's glasses.

REMINDER—Weekly sermons are available on CD, our website and livestream on Facebook and YouTube Sundays at 10:30 & 5:00pm and Wednesdays at 7:00pm. If you need the Bulletin, Christian Service List, Calendar or Directory call the office at (727) 446-4808.

Those Serving Today

Announcements—James George Song Leaders—Matt Pryor/James George Opening Prayer—Joe Bonelli/Van Stewart Lord's Table—Max Herman Closing Prayer—Bob Hadsock/John Benson

BirthdaysThis Week

Charlotte Bytheway—May 20th





Gospel Broadcasting Network http://gbntv.org YouTube

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TV Channel 44 (WTOG) at 7:30am Sunday **YouTube** watch & hear *Phil Sanders*



YouTube (24/7) to hear <u>Jeff Archey</u>





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Max Herman Van Stewart

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Sunday Bible Study—9:30AM

Charles Broyles

Major Prophets: Ezekiel-Chap 10

Sunday Worship—10:30AM
Charles Broyles

Taking A Tour Of Hell

Revelation 20:10

Sunday Worship—5:00 PM
Charles Broyles

The Importance Of Telling People About Jesus

John 1:35-37

Ladies Bible Study—Friday
June 3rd at 1:00pm

Wed. Bible Study—7:00PM
Charles Broyles

The Bible—How We Got It

All of our services are available on Facebook Live and



YouTube Live!

From the Preacher's Pen

MIRACLES, WONDERS AND SIGNS

Dan Jenkins

On Pentecost, Peter talked about "miracles, wonders and signs" which Jesus did as evidence that He was truly the Son of God (Acts 2:22).

These words can be used to refer to the same event, but each of them emphasizes a unique aspect to those events. Take a moment to consider them.

They are described as miracles for they are not natural events which can occur and can be explained by mortals. They are far above this level and demand a super-natural explanation. When Jesus cured the cripple man the response was so graphic. "So that all were amazed and glorified God, saying, 'We never saw anything like this" (Mark 2:12). There was no natural explanation that any mortal could give. It was SUPER-natural!

These miracles are described as wonders. This word emphasizes the impact they had on those who saw them. It was truly a sense of "wonderment." When Jesus stilled the tempest, the apostles "...were greatly amazed in themselves beyond measure, and marveled" (Mark 6:51). It was God's way of calling attention to His Messenger in an awesome way.

They are called signs because they bring another message when they happen. As seen above, they gave confirmation to the One who did them. They bear witness, and they testify. They are a message from heaven authenticating the one who performed them. This is why the apostles were empowered for each miracle, as sign of authority from heaven.

What is remarkable is that those in the first century understood some signs but failed to see the most important one. When they asked Jesus to give them a sign, He pointed out a grave situation in their lives which had an eternal consequence. The color of the clouds helped them decide about the coming weather. We express it this way in America, "Red sails at night, sailors' delight. Red sails at morning, sailors taken warning."

Jesus rebuked them saying, "Hypocrites! You know how to discern the face of the sky, but you cannot discern the signs of the times" (Matt. 16:3). Think of the hundreds, perhaps thousands, they had seen Jesus heal, but they ignored these signs of the time when the Messiah was in their midst.

This is why He refused to give the "performance" they asked for. They had seen the myriad of signs already given. He then called their attention to the ultimate sign—His resurrection after being in the grave for three days and nights. How did they respond to this event? They ignored it like they did all the other miracles, wonders and signs. Imagine being them on the Day of Judgment. However, do our lives show that we too can by faith see these signs and ignore them?

HUSBAND'S TEN FAULTS

Even the most devoted couple will experience a stormy bout once in a while. A grandmother, celebrating her golden wedding anniversary, once told the secret to her long and happy marriage. "On our wedding day, I decided to make a list of ten of my husband's faults which for the sake of the marriage, I would overlook," she said.

A guest asked the woman what some of his faults were which she had chosen to overlook. The grandmother replied, "To tell you the truth, my dear, I never did get around to listing them. But whenever my husband did something that made me hopping mad, I would say to myself, Lucky for him that's one of the ten" (Carl D. Windsor).

"Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil; Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things" (1 Cor. 13:4-7).

Author Unknown

THE MEANING OF LIFE

How do you look at life? Is it a drab and dull existence? Is it a life filled with the sense of compulsion and drudgery? Or is it a life that is exciting, challenging and full of real joy, peace and power? Jesus said, "I am come that they might have life" (John 10:10). Many try to separate themselves from the things which pertain to life and godliness. Far too many think that joy is coupled with worldly pleasures. The Bible teaches contrary to that notion. First John 2:15- 17 plainly states that we are to "Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world." What a great tragedy when men try to separate religion from the life that they live! Many look upon religion as a system that really has no joy or excitement. Therefore, they put human desires in place of faith and trust. When this occurs, life really does lose its true meaning. A person's life is empty and sad without Christ.

The good news of real living is found in Christianity. It is this that will bring real joy and true peace to our lives. In Christ we are never anxious for anything, because "we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose" (Rom. 8:28).

Author Unknown

Think About It...

Some folks don't need a bushel under which to hide their light—just a thimble!

There is a bigger fool than the fellow who thinks he knows it all. It's the person who will argue with him.