

The Need for Evangelism

John 8:24-36

I. Evangelism Shares what Jesus taught about Salvation

What do we think about evangelism, and who is responsible for it? Mat 28:18; Acts 6:2

II. Jesus taught the need of salvation, John 8:24

Do we think about need of others for salvation? What is a soul worth? Lk 15:3-7; Lk 13:5; Lk 17:26

III. Why did Jesus come to this earth? John 8:25-26

Jesus came to show us God's love. Immanuel, God with us (Mat 1:23) Heb 1:1; Lk 2:10; 28; Acts 10:34

IV. How do we know Jesus is the Son of God? John 8:27-30; 3:14

When you have lifted up the Son of Man then you will know. . . Jn 3:14; Num 21:4 ff.

V. What did Jesus teach we must do to be saved? John 8:31

If Salvation comes as a free gift from God, what must we do to be saved? John 3:5

VI. Do we see the slavery of Sin? John 8:34-36

Do we see Sin as enslaving, Christianity as freedom? Rom 6:23, Eph 3:10

SPIRITUAL NEEDS: Those dedicated to mission work; the leaders of the church, Our **Teen Ministry, Piero and Edita Drago, Clarence LeBlanc (Pat's son):** recovery and renewal. **Emily Madey:** difficult divorce and custody issues.

HEALTH NEEDS **Barbara Newton (Gary's step-mother)** is undergoing breast cancer treatments. **June Vogt:** recovering from cataract surgery. **Joey Montello (Joe and Patti's son)** is undergoing medical tests. **Patrick Wessel (Tyler Anderson's brother):** diagnosed with acute leukemia. **Joe Montello's mother, Peggy** has inoperable pancreatic cancer. **Alice (June Vogt's mother):** recovering from hip replacement surgery. **Jimmy Hines:** has congestive heart failure. **Max Barrett (Suzanne Branard's uncle):** suffering from Parkinson's Disease. **Ruthie Wilson's Uncle Bob, Patty Tarasavage, friend of Ruthie Wilson, co-worker of Bruce Pierce:** diagnosed with invasive breast cancer. **Helen Barham (Julia Apple's mother):** recovering from knee replacement surgery. **Marilyn Salie:** recovering from shoulder surgery. **Jasmin Muriel:** dealing with some medications to control seizures. **Vickie Keller:** healing from a shoulder injury. **Peter (Pat Le Blanc's brother-in-law):** diagnosed with diabetes. **Cressy (Pat LeBlanc's niece):** diagnosed with breast cancer. **Gayle Davidson:** recurrence of cancer. **Jose Gonzalez (Samantha and Joey's dad):** recovering from shoulder surgery. **Nancy Muriel and Jackie Gonzalez' Uncle Herman** has inoperable cancer. **Bob Daubert (June Vogt's friend)** has leukemia. **Liz Ribeiro, friend of Pat LeBlanc. Sandra Vangorder:** diabetes

PIERO AND EDITA SUPPORT

Piero and Edita Drago are currently in two years of training for full-time Spanish ministry. The address and website for TGCBi is Texas Gulf Coast Bible Institute, 1502 Avenue I, South Houston, TX 77587, www.tgcbi.org. If you are supporting Piero and Edita, please send your support money to the TGCBi address.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, WINTER, 2009

Sunday a.m.: New Testament Notables, (Various men, Classroom 6)
Crazy Love, (Suzanne Branard, Thelma Werner, Ladies Classroom)
Wed. p.m.: Strengthening Your Grip (Bruce Pierce, Classroom 6)

FINANCIAL AND FAMILY

NEEDS **Julia Apple:** legal issues. **Melissa Vangorder:** major life changes. The **Newtons:** legal issues in Florida and Massachusetts. **Paul Keller, Gary Newton, Rhonda Davis:** new jobs. **Nancy Muriel** and her family. **Jim Anderson and Jose Gonzalez :** away on work assignments.

MOURNING/LOSS: **Josefa Newman, grandmother of Jackie Gonzalez and Nancy Muriel,** died this past week. Services were Saturday at the Melbourne Church of Christ.

Family Happenings

Teen Devo schedule sign-up after service today. Please stay after service and choose a weekend to host a devotional.



OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Feb 5, 6 CFBC Mother/Daughter Retreat \$20 per person, \$5 discount for early registration (by February 1). See Lyn Newton if you are interested in going.

This year's "Women of Faith" forum is the weekend of Oct. 15 - 16th in Tampa at the



St. Petersburg Times Forum. Tickets to the event are \$99 - \$89 if we can get 10 or more to commit.

Jim Hansen's mother passed Tues. Dec. 29th. Please remember this family with cards and prayers. (Jim and Joanne Hansen 438 Flounder Ave NE Palm Bay, FL 32907-1965, 723-1494) The Hansens were members at Oceanside and now attend the family of Christ at Rockledge.

Sign up to work in Nursery during service in January or February. A sign up sheet is posted on the hall bulletin board



BLANKETS FOR THOSE IN NEED

We would like to begin making knitted blankets for those in need. Right now, the plan is to send them to Honduras, where the mountain nights can get quite cold. The blankets will be made from knitted squares that are then crocheted together. Each blanket will be the efforts of many working together. Freddi Woodford has the dimensions necessary, and a lot of patterns meant to inspire. If you knit, see Freddi for details. If you don't knit, Lyn Newton can teach you. If there is enough interest, we can gather together as "knitting ninnies", enjoy some fellowship and make a blanket or two together! If you do not want to knit for this project, but have yarn to donate to it, see Freddi.



COMMUNION PREPARERS NEEDED FOR 2010

This is a vital behind-the-scenes serving opportunity that is simple enough for anyone to help with. Please choose a month during the year to set up and clean up the communion trays and prepare the coffee pot for service. The total commitment for the month is less than 6 hours. See Margaret Grassman with any questions.

STAMPS FOR WBS—box in the WBS office

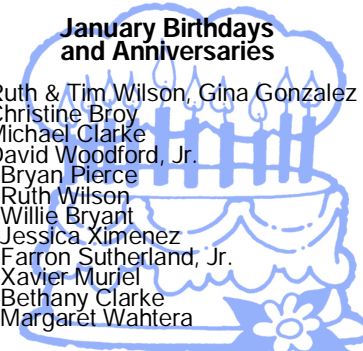
PANTRY PONDERINGS...

"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink....whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:35, 40

Do you have any of those twist-tie sheets that come with garbage bags? Well, the pantry can use them! Also, please keep bringing in your plastic and paper grocery bags! The need is ongoing. Please leave them on the kitchen counter. Thank you so much.

January Birthdays and Anniversaries

3—Ruth & Tim Wilson, Gina Gonzalez
4—Christine Broy
7—Michael Clarke
9—David Woodford, Jr.
10—Bryan Pierce
12—Ruth Wilson
15—Willie Bryant
19—Jessica Ximenez
21—Farron Sutherland, Jr.
24—Xavier Muriel
26—Bethany Clarke
27—Margaret Wahtera



CAMPBELLS LABELS AND BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION

If you do not have a school to collect these for, collect them for Mt. Dora! Give yours to Rita Meredith.

CANS FOR HABITAT

The boxes are back in the hall—teens are collecting empty, rinsed out, soda cans.

RECYCLING MINISTRY

Bring old ink cartridges, cell phones and lap top computers to the box in the fellowship hall and they will be redeemed for cash. This cash will be applied to our children's ministry.

Sermons are now being recorded. If you are ill, in the nursery or out of town and wish to hear one you missed, please see Jim Conn

SINGLES HAPPENINGS

10th Annual LAUNCH SINGLES WEEKEND at Walt Disney World, January 29-31. Registration \$60/\$50 for 3 or more, (Please register as soon as possible as \$1500 deposit is on my card).

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sunday:

Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Kids Kingdom
 Children's Bible Hour
 10:30

Sunday Evening

6:00 p.m.
 Bible Study at the building
 and in homes (communion
 available at all locations)

Wednesday Evening

7:00 p.m.

Pantry Hours

Available to the neighborhood,
 community, and members
 Wednesday, 3:00–5:00 p.m.
 Saturday, 9:00–11:00 a.m.
 In case of emergency, contact the Wahteras
 259-6253

**Counting People because
 People Count**

**Sunday Evening
 Small Groups**

January 3, 2010

Bible Study.....
 Worship.....88
 Contribution.....\$1,327.40 (Budget, \$1916.85)

Location	Leader	Time
Building	Conn	6:00 p.m.
Palm Bay	Bryant@Clarke	6:00 p.m.

SERVING AS WORSHIP LEADERS

	January 17	January 24
Song Leader	CJ Salie	John Wahtera
Opening Prayer	Bruce Pierce	Bill Werner
Scripture Reading	Bryan Pierce	David Woodford, Sr.
Closing Prayer	David Woodford, Sr.	Aron Krischel
Communion	Gary Newton	Chrs Ankersen
Sermon	Jim Conn	Jim Conn
Lord's Table	Tyler Anderson, Dennis Beard, Juan Gonzalez, David Woodford, Jr.	Tyler Anderson, Dennis Beard, Juan Gonzalez, David Woodford, Jr.
Prayer Warriors	Malinee Allen, Julia Apple, Rita Meredith, Sam Meredith, Margaret Wahtera, Kathleen Withers	Eugene Foreman, Marilyn Salie

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Celebrations

Worship and Family News for the Church of Christ Oceanside

I told you that you would die in your sins; if you do not believe that I am the one I claim to be, you will indeed die in your sins." "Who are you?" they asked. "Just what I have been claiming all along," Jesus replied. "I have much to say in judgment of you. But he who sent me is reliable, and what I have heard from him I tell the world." They did not understand that he was telling them about his Father. So Jesus said, "When you have lifted up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am the one I claim to be and that I do nothing on my own but speak just what the Father has taught me. The one who sent me is with me; he has not left me alone, for I always do what pleases him." Even as he spoke, many put their faith in him. To the Jews who had believed him, Jesus said, "If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." They answered him, "We are Abraham's descendants and have never been slaves of anyone. How can you say that we shall be set free?"

prayer warriors

Bob Grassman, Paul Keller, Diane Kromko

John Wahtera, **Song Leader**
 Welcome, Scott Clements
Scripture Reading, John 8:24—36, Juan Gonzalez
Opening Prayer, Willie Bryant
Communion/Offering, Scott Clements
 Dismiss Children
Message: "The Need for Evangelism,"
 Jim Conn
Invitation Song:
Closing Comments: Bill Werner
Closing Prayer, Bill Werner

Jesus replied, "I tell you the truth, everyone who sins is a slave to sin. Now a slave has no permanent place in the family, but a son belongs to it forever. So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. John 8:24–36

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