

## Coping with Up and Down

Mark 9:2-29

### I. The High of the Mountain top, Mark 9:2-13

Consider the traditional marriage vows – what do they imply? 2 Peter 1:16-18

### II. The Low of the valley, Mark 9:14-27

How do we handle defeat, when we are less than we should be? Mark 8:38: what is a faithless generation?

Everything is possible for him who believes!

### III. The Answer is depending on God, Mark 9:28-29

What does depending on Jesus really mean? John 11:41-42; Prov 3:3-6

### IV. Summing up the Prophets.

Mat 7:12 Do we ask the Lord, do we depend on him?

Mat 7:7-12 – ask, seek, knock

Mat 7:12 – SO: The Golden Rule, the way God treats us! Prayer, let us remember to pray!

**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** **Ray Withers:** knee replacement surgery February 23. **Chuck Handley (co-worker of John Branard):** recovering from triple bypass surgery. **Joe Ford (Randa's husband)** suffered a fall. **Barbara Newton (Gary's step-mother)** is undergoing breast cancer treatments. **Patrick Wessel (Tyler Anderson's brother):** diagnosed with acute leukemia. **Joe Montello's mother, Peggy** has inoperable pancreatic cancer. **Jimmy Hines:** has congestive heart failure. **Ruthie Wilson's Uncle Bob. Patty Tarasavage, friend of Ruthie Wilson, co-worker of Bruce Pierce:** diagnosed with invasive breast cancer. **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. **Nancy Muriel and Jackie Gonzalez' Uncle Herman** has inoperable cancer. **Bob Daubert (June Vogt's friend)** is post bone-marrow transplant. **Liz Ribeiro, friend of Pat LeBlanc. Sandra Vangorder:** diabetes

**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.

**SERVING IN THE MILITARY:** **Daniel Elsmore (Jackie's cousin), Frankie Cardona (Juan's nephew):** in the army in Iraq. **Nick Acevedo and Abel,** in the army in Afghanistan.

**MOURNING/LOSS:** **Jack Tomlinson,** longtime elder at Melbourne, died this past week. Services were Saturday.

### ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, WINTER, 2010

Sunday a.m.: New Testament Notables, Various men, Classroom 6  
Crazy Love, Various women, Ladies Classroom

Wed. p.m.: Galatians , Bruce Pierce, Classroom 6

**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](http://www.tgcbi.org). If you are supporting Piero and Edita, please send your support money to the TGCBi address.

# Family Happenings

## World Bible School

During the year 2009, 80 new souls were won in Nigeria. Since Kathleen has been keeping records of baptisms in Nigeria, 792 people have come to know Christ through World Bible School!

### 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*  
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.

**This week's Activity Report:** 63 came to the pantry for food, serving a total of 202 people.

This coming week (February 15–20) the floors will be repaired and cleaned. With the exception of mid-week service, please do not plan to use the building for any events.



**Save the Date!** The next Ladies Night Out will be Thursday, February 25, 6:30 p.m. in the private room at the Panera on Eau Gallie in Indian Harbour Beach.



### OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

**Spiritual Impact Day, 2010** On Saturday, February 27, 2010, the Maricamp Road Church of Christ (Ocala) will be hosting a program for men. The program theme is "Becoming God's Man in Today's World". There will be a full day's program of speakers, with lunch provided. The cost of the event is \$10. There is a flyer and sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the main hallway

**Spiritual Growth Workshop**—July 29–31 at the Rosen Center. Theme: "God Almighty Reigns." The Orange Avenue Church of Christ located at 1511 E. Orange Avenue, Eustis, FL 32726 is in charge of this year's workshop.

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.



### February Birthdays & Anniversaries

2—Jeff Sheperd  
10—Marlene Shirley  
11—Loren Hackman  
14—Monica Baloga & Bruce Furrow  
15—Gary Apple, Jr., Lori Hackman  
16—Nancy Muriel  
18—Cindy Kleckner  
21—Sarah Hines  
26—Collin Munro



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

### 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.



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**Counting People because  
 People Count**

**Sunday Evening  
 Small Groups**

**February 7, 2010**

	Location	Leader	Time
Bible Study.....	Building	Conn	6:00 p.m.
Worship.....92	Palm Bay	Bryant@Clarke	6:00 p.m.
Contribution.....\$2,971.74 (Budget, \$1916.85)			

**SERVING AS WORSHIP LEADERS**

	February 21	February 28
Song Leader	CJ Salie	John Wahtera
Opening Prayer	Chris Ankersen	John Branard
Scripture Reading	Tyler Anderson	Matt Provonsil
Closing Prayer	Bryan Pierce	Eugene Foreman
Communion	Willie Bryant	Bruce Pierce
Sermon	Jim Conn	Jim Conn
Lord's Table	Chris Ankersen, Gary Apple, Jr, John Branard, Willie Bryant	Chris Ankersen, Gary Apple, Jr, John Branard, Willie Bryant
Prayer Warriors	Mallnee Allen, Julia Apple, Rita Meredith, Sam Meredith, Margaret Wahtera, Kathleen Withers	Eugene Foreman, Marilyn Salie

# Celebrations

*Worship and Family News for the Church of Christ Oceanside*

CJ Salie, **Song Leader**  
 Welcome, Scott Clements  
**Scripture Reading**, Matthew 7:7—12,  
 David Woodford, Jr.  
**Opening Prayer**, Bob Grassman  
**Communion/Offering**, John Branard  
 Dismiss Children  
**Message**: "Coping With Up And Down"  
 Jim Conn  
**Invitation Song**  
**Closing Comments**, Bill Werner  
**Closing Prayer**, Chris Ankersen

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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

"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened. Which of you, if his son asks for bread, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets."  
 Matthew 7:7—12

**Prayer Warriors**  
 Bob Grassman  
 Paul Keller  
 Diane Kromko

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