

Being Discerning and Merciful

Matthew 7:1-12

Introduction: Is it ever OK to criticize?

I. What goes around comes around, Mat 7:1-2

How often have we seen the principle play out in our or others?

Galatians 6:7; James 2:13; Romans 14:4, 10, 13

II. Learning to be a brother or sister instead of a Judge, Mat 7:3-5

What are the qualification of a judge?

Galatians 6:1; Ephesians 4:15-16

III. Learning to value the truth in meekness, Mat 7:6

How do we dishonor the Gospel of Jesus by our own arrogance?

Matthew 10:14; Proverbs 23:9

IV. Learning the Golden Rule, Mat 7:7-12

How does this apply to all our actions in life?

How do we want God to treat us?

So In Everything - this sums up the entire matter

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

HEALTH NEEDS **Joe Ford (Randa's husband)** is hospitalized at Wuestoff. **Janelle (Julia's friend)** is undergoing chemo and radiation treatments. **Barbara (Margaret Grassman's friend in England)** is undergoing radiation treatment for breast cancer. **Jimmie Bucher (friend of Joe and Patti Montello)** has an aggressive form of prostate cancer. **Rhonda Davis** has been suffering from disc related neck pain. **Sam Meredith** is recovering from hip repair surgery. **Margaret Grassman's mother, Martha Sutton** has entered hospice care. **Ed Masterson's mother** is suffering from several serious health issues. **Jimmy & Sarah Hines:** many critical medical issues. **Patrick Wessel (Tyler Anderson's brother):** diagnosed with acute leukemia. **Cressy (Pat LeBlanc's niece):** recurrence of breast cancer. **Nancy Muriel and Jackie Gonzalez' Uncle Herman** has inoperable cancer.

FINANCIAL AND FAMILY NEEDS **Nancy Muriel:** legal issues. **Jim Anderson** is looking for a new job. He is waiting to hear about another possibility. **Julia Apple:** legal issues. **Rhonda Davis:** new job.

SERVING IN THE MILITARY: **Marlene Shirley's grandson, Keith Michael,** serving in Afghanistan. **Danny Elsmore (Nancy and Jackie's cousin)** has received a new assignment.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, SPRING, 2011

Sunday a.m.: *Survey of the Book of Acts*, Adults, Auditorium
The Lord is My Shepherd, Ladies Classroom
 Wed. p.m.: *Galatians*, Jim Conn, Fellowship Hall
 Teens: *Selected Lessons*, CJ Salie

TEEN DEVOTIONAL SCHEDULE

May 7	Joe and Patti Montello's home
May 14	M'Oceanside @ Oceanside
May 24	Bazille at Oceanside
May 28	Memorial Day Weekend

T.O.R.C.H. Mission trip, June 13—26

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Family Happenings

Dinner on the Grounds TODAY!

If your name is Vangorder, Vogt, Wahtera, Werner, Wilson, or Woodford, please help with set up or clean up. Thanks

The work is simple and fun—it involves taking grocery bags from the Postal Workers and sorting the contents into bins (cans, boxes, bottles). Anyone can help! Sign up today!

One of our most beneficial food drives



Saturday, May 14
 Sign-up list on bulletin board
 Any help is great

The Space Coast Flute Orchestra is presenting a Spring Concert, "Flutes de la Danse" on Sunday, May 1st, at 3:00 p.m., at the Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 106 N. Riverside Drive, Indialantic, FL. Admission is FREE (No tickets needed). A flyer is posted on the main hallway bulletin board.

Ladies Night Out this week!

Thursday, May 5 at 5:45 p.m.
 (Early Bird Special)
 Shells Restaurant, 1490 New Haven Road (192) in front of the Melbourne Square Mall
 Sign up sheet and menu on hallway bulletin board YUM!!!



NICOLE WYSCARVER MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER

Nicole Wyscarver, one of our college students (USF in Tampa) will be going on a mission trip to Paris, France, this summer. She will be involved in outreach and discipleship ministries during her trip. Nicole has sent a flyer with information about her trip and some of the expenses she is hoping to have covered through donations (e.g., transportation, room and board). If you are able to contribute towards Nicole's trip, please let Nicole know of your intentions to help by sending her an email (nwyscarv@mail.usf.edu) or by calling her at 321-474-3339. Nicole's information flyer, as well as instructions for getting monies to Nicole are posted on the main hallway bulletin.



May Birthdays and Anniversaries

6—Mathew Provonsil, Daniel Sutherland
 9—Debbie Ankersen
 13—Gary Newton, Randa Ford
 14—Valerie Salie-Barber
 16—Julie Clements, Autry Anniversary
 21—Evelyn Munro
 22—Craig Salie
 23—Jordan Contreras
 25—Jim Conn
 29—Mc Brayer Anniversary

PANTRY PONDERINGS...

Plastic and paper bags are constantly needed, and shoe boxes can always be donated, too.

When you shop, if you ask for bags to be doubled, it's already done when you are ready to donate! Otherwise, it's a big help to us if you have time to double bag plastic bags before bringing them in. Paper bags are also needed. They do not have to be doubled.

Thank you so very much.

Have you tried a shampoo, conditioner, lotion, or cleaning product and found it wasn't really what you wanted? Instead of throwing it out, bring it in to the pantry. It can be passed on to someone who might use it.

Pantry Report for week ending April 20
 94 households visited the pantry, feeding a total of 283 people.

Singles Happenings:

May 14, Carol's House—3rd Annual Pot Luck and Jam!

For Info: Carol—321-698-1111

ELDERS
 John Branard 454-4145
 Bill Werner 254-0283

EVANGELIST
 Jim Conn 676-7954

DEACONS
 Scott Clements, Worship
 901-831-2832

Bruce Pierce, Adult Ed
 777-9823

David Woodford, Sr., Teens/Youth
 773-1850

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 bulletin information*

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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. Service

Pantry Hours

*Available to the neighborhood,
 community, and members*
 Wednesday, 2:00–4:00 p.m.
 Saturday, 9:00–11:00 a.m.
 In case of emergency, contact the Wahteras
 259-6253

**Counting People because
 People Count**

April 24, 2011

Bible Study.....43
 Worship.....105
 Contribution.....n/c (Budget, \$1985.44)

**Sunday Evening
 Small Groups**

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

SERVING AS WORSHIP LEADERS

	May 8	May 15
Song Leader	Scott Clements	John Wahtera
Opening Prayer	Jeff Shepherd	Bruce Pierce
Scripture Reading	Matt Provonsil	DJ Salie
Closing Prayer	John Branard	Chris Ankersen
Communion	David Woodford, Sr.	Michael Clarke
Sermon	Jim Conn	Jim Conn
Lord's Table	Dennis Beard, CJ Salie, Bill Werner, Rhett Willingham	Dennis Beard, CJ Salie, Bill Werner, Rhett Willingham

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Celebrations

Worship and Family News for the Church of Christ Oceanside

Song Leader, CJ Salie
 Welcome, Scott Clements
 Scripture Reading, Matthew 7:1–6, 12, David Woodford, Jr.
 Opening Prayer, David Woodford, Sr.
 Communion/Offering, Chris Ankersen
 Dismiss Children
 Message: "Being Discerning and Merciful", Jim Conn
 Closing Comments, Bill Werner
 Closing Prayer, Jeff Shepherd

"Do not judge, or you too will be judged. For in the same way you judge others, you will be judged, and with the measure you use, it will be measured to you. Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? How can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when all the time there is a plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye. Do not give dogs what is sacred; do not throw your pearls to pigs. If you do, they may trample them under their feet, and then turn and tear you to pieces. . . . So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets."
 Matthew 7:1–6, 12