

Remembering our Past Memorial Day

I. Words from our Past

Do we remember those that died for us?

II. The Importance of Remembering

Memorials kept Israel a nation united and faithful to God.

Ex 12:25-27; Jos 4:1-7; Jos 22:10; Jos 22:24 ff.; Eph 2:14-18

III. Remembering the Greatest Gift of All, God's Son

Let us never forget the great act of love our God has given us in the Son.

1 John 4:9-11: God's great act of Love

1 Cor 11:23-26: Remembering the new covenant made by Jesus' death

Jerm 31:31-34: The new covenant written on our hearts

1 Cor 10:16-17: We who are many are one in the Lord

Gal 3:26-29: We are all children of God, one in Christ Jesus our Lord

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 **Dean Burgett (Jeff Shepherd's cousin)** is recovering from a gunshot wound. **Eunice Conn** will be having eye surgery on June 16th. **David Godby (Jennifer's husband)** is recovering from surgery. **Joe Fruscella (Jane's husband and Freddi's father)** is dealing with health issues. **Avis (Debbie Ankersen's mother)** is recovering from a fall. **Lisa Gonzalez (Samantha and Joey's mother)** is recovering from knee replacement surgery. **Jeff Shepherd's family**: father **Jack**, is recovering from cataract surgery in both eyes, and mother **Nancy** is dealing with heart problems. **Linda Conn** will be having surgery on her neck in the near future. **Joe Ford (Randa's husband)** (many serious health issues) and Randa (taking care of Joe) are in need of prayers for healing and strength. **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. **Sam Meredith** is recovering from hip repair surgery. **Ed Masterson's mother** is suffering from several serious health issues. **Jimmy & Sarah Hines**: many critical medical issues. **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. **Julia Apple**: legal issues. **Rhonda Davis**: new job.

SERVING IN THE MILITARY: **Danny Elsmore (Nancy and Jackie's cousin)** has received a new assignment.

MOURNING/LOSS: Martha Sutton, Margaret Grassman's mother, died recently. Please keep the Grassman family in your prayers.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, SPRING, 2011

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

Singles Happenings

June 3—5, 13th Annual Christian Singles Conference, Glenstone Lodge, Gatlinburg, TN
 June 29—July 1, Lipscomb University, for the whole family!
 For Info: Carol—321-698-1111

Family Happenings

CHURCHES OF CHRIST DISASTER RELIEF EFFORT

Over the past several weeks, there have been devastating tornados across several states in the Southeast and the Midwest. Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort is a charity within our fellowship that responds immediately to any major disaster in the continental United States by sending truckloads of emergency food, water, cleaning, and other supplies to disaster victims. Oceanside recently sent a donation to help with this effort. If anyone in the congregation is interested in sending additional contributions (or are just curious about this organization), please visit their website at: <http://www.disasterrelieffort.org/>

Heartfelt thanks to everyone who came to help load the Honduras container on Tuesday morning. It all went perfectly. Thank you again.

Gayle Davidson and Margaret Wahtera

Margaret Grassman and her family thank you for supporting them during the difficult time following their mother's passing. Your prayers and cards were comforting and special thanks to you for food following the service.

"I am so thankful for my church family! I depend on you in good times and bad and praise God for his perfect plan for his church."

Sincerely,
 Margaret Grassman

May Birthdays and Anniversaries June Birthdays & Anniversaries

5—Connie Fichtl	3—Jim Anderson
6—Mathew Provonsil, Daniel Sutherland	13—Burt Kleckner
8—Virgie McCoy	16—Bill Munro
9—Debbie Ankersen	21—Jeff & Maggie Shepherd
13—Gary Newton, Randa Ford	23—Samuel Woodford
14—Valerie Salie-Barber	24—Jasmin Muriel
16—Julie Clements, Autry Anniversary	25—Kleckner
21—Evelyn Munro	
22—Craig Salie	
23—Jordan Contreras	
25—Jim Conn	
29—Mc Brayer Anniversary	

Memorial Day represents one day of national awareness and reverence, honoring those Americans who died while defending our Nation and its values. While we should honor these heroes every day for the profound contribution they have made to securing our Nation's freedom, we should honor them especially on Memorial Day. President Reagan ended his first Memorial Day address with these words: "An ancient scholar put it well when he wrote: 'Let us now praise famous men . . . All these were honored in their generation, and were the glory of their times. Their bodies are buried in peace; but their name liveth for evermore.' As a tribute to their sacrifice, let us renew our resolve to remain strong enough to deter aggression, wise enough to preserve and protect our freedom, and thoughtful enough to promote lasting peace throughout the world."

We need to always remember the price paid for our freedom, for our Nation. Each Sunday, when we participate in the Lord's Supper, we remember the price paid for our freedom from sin and death. Paul wrote "You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

T.O.R.C.H. Mission trip,
 June 13—26

Dinner on
 the Grounds
 next week—
 June 5

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.

Pantry Report for week ending May 25—101 households visited the pantry, feeding a total of 322 people.

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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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**

May 22, 2011

Bible Study.....35
Worship.....78
Contribution.....\$2,303.70(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

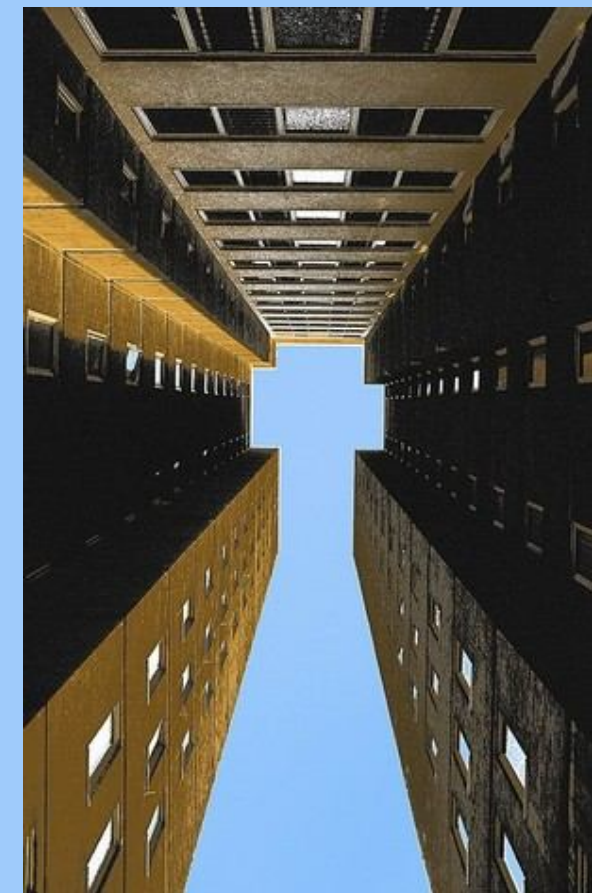
	June 5	June 12
Song Leader	John Wahtera	CJ Salie
Opening Prayer	Michael Clarke	Willie Bryant
Scripture Reading	David Woodford, Sr.	Bryan Pierce
Closing Prayer	Willie Bryant	Michael Clarke
Communion	Dennis Beard	John Branard
Sermon	Jim Conn	Jim Conn
Lord's Table	Joe Montello, Jeff Shepherd, David Woodford, Sr., Samuel Woodford	Joe Montello, Jeff Shepherd, David Woodford, Sr., Samuel Woodford

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Celebrations

Worship and Family News for the Church of Christ Oceanside

Song Leader, Tyrone Carter
Faith of Our Fathers
Prince of Peace
Welcome, Scott Clements
My Jesus I Love Thee
Ancient Words
Scripture Reading, Romans 5:6—11, Jeff Shepherd
Opening Prayer, Michael Clarke
Thank You, Lord
Dismiss Children
Wonderful Story of Love
Message: **"Remembering Our Past"** Jim Conn
I Will Sing the Wondrous Story
By Christ Redeemed
Communion/Offering, John Branard
Closing Comments, Bill Werner
Just Over in the Gloryland
Closing Prayer, David Woodford, Sr.



You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God's wrath through him! For if, when we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life! Not only is this so, but we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Romans 5:6—11

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