

## Confidence in Christ Col 1:1-14

Introduction: What threatens our eternal life? Col 2:8

I. Valuing the Truth, Col 1:1-8

How do we value things, how do we value the Gospel? Heb 4:2  
Their faith and love came from their HOPE!

II. What do we do with the power of Prayer? Col 1:9-14

What is the substance of our prayers? Rom 12:2

III. Living a life that is Worthy of the Lord, Col 1:9-10

Do we reflect the Lord with our lives? 2 Chr 17:3-4

1. Will it bring glory to the Lord? 1 Cor 10:31
2. Will it lead to temptation? Mat 6:13
3. Will it enslave me? John 8:34; 1 Cor 6:12; Tit 3:3,
4. Will it defile me? 1 Cor 6:18-19
5. Will it damage my influence on others? Rom 14:21
6. Does it create doubt in my own mind? Rom 14:23

IV. Qualified for Heaven, Col 1:11-14

What does being qualified for Heaven mean?

Two Foundations of our faith: Hope of Eternal Life: gives us the strength to persevere though hard times; Forgiveness: qualifies us for Heaven!

**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** Kristna Anderson's niece, Megan and her 3 month premature baby, -. Jimmy and Sarah Hines: many critical medical issues. Jim Anderson: additional kidney stone removal surgery July 22. Patrick Wessel (Tyler Anderson's brother): diagnosed with acute leukemia. Mary Beard (Dennis Beard's mother) is recovering from a broken pelvis. Tyler Schultz is recovering from a broken right leg. Karen Durham (Suzanne Branard's friend): breast cancer. Barbara Newton (Gary's step-mother) is undergoing breast cancer treatments. Joe Montello's mother, Peggy has inoperable pancreatic cancer. Jimmy Hines: has congestive heart failure. Patty Tarasavage, friend of Ruthie Wilson, co-worker of Bruce Pierce: diagnosed with invasive breast cancer. 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. Gary Newton, Rhonda Davis: new jobs. Nancy Muriel and her family. Britany Wilson-Weza: husband's job transfer to Florida.

**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. George Gayle (Marilyn Salie's brother) is serving in Kuwait.

**MOURNING/LOSS:** Judy Lintz, Kristina Anderson's aunt, died recently. Barbara Terry died recently.

### PIERO AND EDITA UPDATE

For the past two years, the Dragos have been attending the Gulf Coast Bible Institute in order to go into the ministry. They will be graduating next month and have extended an invitation to anyone who would like to attend. The invitation is posted on the hall bulletin board.



### ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, SPRING, 2010

Sunday a.m.:	1st Century Church, Various men, Classroom 6 Lord I Want to Know You, Various Women, Ladies Classroom
Wed. p.m.:	Galatians, Bruce Pierce, Classroom 6 <b>Teens:</b> "Crazy Love"

# Family Happenings

## TEENS LEAVE FOR HONDURAS TODAY

This afternoon a group of teens from Oceanside and Melbourne will be leaving for two weeks of service in Honduras. Keep them in your prayers as they travel and work. It is possible to participate with them in part of their spiritual and physical journey by logging on to the following websites:

### Web Devotionals

Join them for evening devotionals at

[www.ustream.tv/channel/torch-devo](http://www.ustream.tv/channel/torch-devo)

Devotionals will be between 8pm-9pm at night (6-7 pm EST). No promises that they will happen on time every night, and some of the devotionals will be off site.

### BLOG

It will be updated when internet is available, you can check their progress at [www.torchmissionshonduras.blogspot.com](http://www.torchmissionshonduras.blogspot.com)

Lyn has all contact information if you need it.

## PANTRY PONDERINGS...

Plastic and paper bags are always needed. It's a big help to us if you have time to double bag plastic bags before bringing them in. Thank you so very much.

**Pantry Report for week ending June 9**  
**100 people came to the pantry, serving a total of 315 people.**

## GOOD CAR FOR SALE

Juan Gonzalez has a 1999 Buick Le Sabre for sale for \$1700. Juan says it runs well and has about 162,000 miles on it. Interested? 321-917-0595.

## COMMUNION PREPARERS NEEDED FOR 2010

*The first 6 months are taken. Let's get the rest of the year filled!* 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.



## A CHANGE TO THE PRAYER MINISTRY

We are making a change in how the Prayer Ministry is conducted. For the past several years, Prayer Cards that have been placed in the collection plate have been copied and distributed to designated Prayer Warriors on a weekly basis. Starting immediately, Lyn will be sending out the various prayer requests via email to the congregation (i.e., folks that currently receive the bulletin electronically). This is a more efficient process which allows much more of the Oceanside family to be involved in prayer for each other. We would like to thank Randa Ford for handling this ministry for the past couple of years, as well as each person who has served as a Prayer Warrior. NOTE: If you would like to participate in the Prayer Ministry and have not previously provided Lyn Newton with your email address, please do so.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT DOLLAR DINNERS!!!!

Dollar Dinners before Wednesday Bible Study have started! We will be serving a light supper from 6:15 until 6:45 p.m. We will stop serving in enough time to begin Bible Study at 7:00. A \$1 donation per person is requested. Please use the sign up sheet on the hall bulletin board to make planning easier. Any questions, or if you would like to help, contact Jim and Linda Conn, or Hy and Annette Reed.

We could use 2 crock pots for the Wed. night dinners. If you have one that you would like to donate to this effort, please bring it in and tell Linda or Jim Conn.

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

**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.

**"Women of Faith"** forum—Oct. 15 - 16th, Tampa, at the St. Petersburg Times Forum. Tickets to the event are \$99 - \$89 if we can get 10 or more to commit.



## 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.

## June Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 3—Jim Anderson
- 7—Mary Gayle
- 13—Burt Kleckner
- 16—Bill Munro
- 21—Jeff & Maggie Shepherd
- 23—Samuel Woodford
- 24—Jasmin Muriel
- 25—Kleckner

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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**

**June 6, 2010**

Bible Study.....  
Worship..... 92  
Contribution.....\$1,892.00 (Budget, \$1916.85)

**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 20	June 27
Song Leader	CJ Salie	Scott Clements
Opening Prayer	Eugene Foreman	Gary Newton
Scripture Reading	Scott Clements	Juan Gonzalez
Closing Prayer	Willie Bryant	Eugene Foreman
Communion	David Woodford, Sr.	Michael Clarke
Sermon	Jim Conn	Jim Conn
Lord's Table	Juan Gonzalez, Joe Montello, Matt Provonsil, David Woodford, Jr.	Juan Gonzalez, Joe Montello, Matt Provonsil, David Woodford, Jr.

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# Celebrations

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

A group of teens and adults from our congregation and the Melbourne congregation leave today for TORCH Mission work in Honduras.



Entrance to Clinica de Esperanza in Honduras



The mountainous Honduran countryside



Country road in Honduras

Song Leader, John Wahtera  
Welcome, Scott Clements  
Scripture Reading, Colossians 1:9—14, Bryan Pierce  
Opening Prayer, Scott Clements  
Communion, Chris Ankersen  
Dismiss Children  
"Confidence in Christ", Jim Conn  
Closing Comments, Bill Werner  
Closing Prayer, Dennis Beard

For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you and asking God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all spiritual wisdom and understanding. And we pray this in order that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and may please him in every way; bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, and joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the kingdom of light. For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.  
Colossians 1:9—14

We are blessed to have  
Piero Drago (Texas International Bible  
Institute, Houston, TX) and Ken Lewis (Continent  
of Great Cities Ministry, Dallas, TX) with us this morning.

As most of you know, we have been supporting Piero and Edita over the past two years as they train for full-time Spanish ministry. Piero and Edita will be graduating from TIBI on July 16, 2010.

Piero is here today to give us an update of what has been going on recently in his studies; he and Ken will also be sharing some future plans they have for ministry. Please plan on staying and hearing their presentation at the end of today's services..

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