

Maintaining Our Christianity

2 Peter 1:8—21

I. Lest We Forget

Ever remember something trivial and forget something really important?

II. Growing as Christians, 2 Peter 1:8—11

Do we think about growing as Christians

III. On What do we base our lives? 2 Peter 1:12—15

What have you forgotten lately?

IV. The Certainty of the Gospel, 2 Peter 1:16—21

Can we be sure of what we believe?

Mark 9:2—8, Acts 1:21—22, 10:37—41, John 21:18—19, Acts 9:15—16, Acts 17:2—3, Romans 1:2, 1 Cor 15:2—3

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 . **Sam Meredith** is dealing with health issues. **Ray Withers (Kathleen's husband)** needs prayers and encouragement regarding his health. **Lori Hackman** is dealing with several serious health issues. **Sally Derrick (Scott and Julie Clements' neighbor)** will be having cancer surgery in the near future. **Billie Branham (Jennifer Godby's sister)** has been diagnosed with colorectal cancer. **Pat Dixon's mother** is dealing with heart problems. **Merrill Stevens (Michelle Bethea's sister-in-law)** is dealing with a recurring jaw infection. **Christine (Diane Kromko's sister)** is awaiting biopsy results. **Marlene Shirley** will be undergoing medical consultation for scar tissue on her corneas. **Dick Crowell (father-in-law of Lenelle Crowell from Palm Beach Lakes)** is dealing with several health issues. **Kevin Keating (Rhonda Davis' cousin)** has terminal cancer. **David Godby (Jennifer's husband)** is recovering from surgery. **Joe Fruscella (Jane's husband and Freddi's father)** is dealing with health issues. **Janelle (Julia's friend)** is undergoing chemo and radiation treatments. **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, Margie LeCavelier, and Laura Imhoff** all need new jobs. **Gary Newton:** possible promotion to full time.

SERVING IN THE MILITARY: **Danny Elsmore (Nancy and Jackie's cousin)** has received a new assignment. **Marlene Shirley's grandson** is stationed in Korea.

MOURNING/LOSS: **Sylvia Gonzales (Diane Kromko's aunt in San Antonio, TX)** died recently.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, FALL, 2011

Sunday a.m.: **Ephesians**, Adults, Auditorium

Evangelism, Ladies Clssrm

Wed. p.m.: **Hebrews**, Bruce Pierce. Fellowship Hall

Teens: **Selected Lessons**, CJ Salie

*Dinner on the Grounds
TODAY...Please plan to stay.*

Family Happenings

Ladies Night Out!!! Tuesday, October 18, 6:15 at Nikki's Rainbow Restaurant, 570 A1A, Satellite Beach. Sign up today! The list is on the board, of course. Contact Suzanne with any questions.

Central Florida Bible Camp will be hosting a ladies' Fall Encampment on October 7—8, 2011. This year's theme will center around our blessings. Cost is \$20.00. There is an informational flyer posted on the main hallway bulletin board

World Bible School September 2011 baptisms in Nigeria
Akwa Ibom State: 2
Anambra State: 20
Lagos State: 2
Praise God for 24 new brothers and sisters!

If you use Hawaiian Punch in the gallon bottles, please save your bottles for dinner on the grounds. The ones we had been using lost all their caps and we need some more. Thanks!

FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR OCEANSIDE LADIES

The Florida Avenue Church of Christ of Palm Bay will be hosting a Ladies' Inspirational Day program October 15, 2011. The day begins at 8:30 a.m. with registration and continental breakfast, The program begins at 9:00 a.m. The Theme for this year's program is "Ain't Nothing Stopping Me Now: A Christian Woman on a Move" based on Proverbs 16:9. Dynamic speakers from all over the sisterhood will be featured in order to uplift, inspire, and motivate every sister in attendance. Please contact Linda Conn if you are interested in attending. There is a sign-up sheet on the main hallway bulletin board.

HURRICANE IRENE DISASTER RELIEF

Hurricane Irene was extremely destructive along the mid-Atlantic and northeastern states, as well in the Bahamas, where roughly 90% of all homes were damaged by the storm. Oceanside will be sending relief money to assist both areas. For the U.S., we will be sending funds through Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort, Inc. (Nashville, TN). For the Bahamas, we will be sending donations through the Gulf Coast Church of Christ (Fort Myers, FL) and David Caskey, longtime missionary to the Bahamas. If you would like to made a monetary donation, please make your check out to the Church of Christ Oceanside and mark the "memo" line "US Disaster Relief" or "Bahamas Disaster Relief". We will collect monetary donations until the end of September.

October Birthdays and Anniversaries

1—Kristina Anderson
2—Suzanne Branard, TC Wilson, Kristen Vangorder
5—Sara Davis
6—Dennis Beard
14—Will Werner, Sandra & Lester Vangorder
15—Veronica Bazile
17—David Meredith
18—Margaret Grassman, Jackie Gonzalez
28—Edita Drago, Jenny Meredith
29—Loren and Lori Hackman
30—Rhonda Davis

Sermons are recorded. If you are ill, in the nursery or out of town and wish to hear one you missed, please see Jim Conn or go to our website: cofcoceanside.net

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 September 28
124 households visited the pantry, feeding a total of 405 people.

Singles Happenings

Oct 14-16, Palmetto Bible Camp, SC
Nov 4-7, Panama City Bch, FL
Nov. 18-20- St. Augustine Lights
Dec 2-4.- Christmas in Savannah
Feb 17-19, Satellite Beach, FL

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DEACONS
 Scott Clements, Worship
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Bruce Pierce, Adult Ed
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David Woodford, Sr., Teens/Youth
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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**

September 25, 2011

Bible Study.....40
 Worship.....90
 Contribution.....\$2859.65(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

	October 9	October 16
Song Leader	CJ Salie	Tyrone Carter
Opening Prayer	Eugene Foreman	CJ Salie
Scripture Reading	Mark Vangorder	David Woodford, Jr.
Closing Prayer	David Woodford, Sr.	Bruce Pierce
Communion	Scott Clements	Michael Clarke
Sermon	Jim Conn	Jim Conn
Lord's Table	Dennis Beard, CJ Salie, Rhett Willingham, Bill Werner	Dennis Beard, CJ Salie, Rhett Willingham, Bill Werner

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Celebrations

Worship and Family News for the Church of Christ Oceanside

Scott Clements, Song Leader
Welcome, Bill Werner
Scripture Reading, Bruce Pierce
Opening Prayer, Chris Ankersen
Communion/Contribution, CJ Salie
Dismiss Children
“Maintaining Our Christianity” Jim Conn
Closing Comments, Bill Werner
Closing Prayer, Bob Grassman

So I will always remind you of these things, even though you know them and are firmly established in the truth you now have. I think it is right to refresh your memory as long as I live in the tent of this body, because I know that I will soon put it aside, as our Lord Jesus Christ has made clear to me. And I will make every effort to see that after my departure you will always be able to remember these things. We did not follow cleverly invented stories when we told you about the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when the voice came to him from the Majestic Glory, saying “This is my son; with him I am well pleased” We ourselves heard this voice that came from heaven when we were with him on the sacred mountain. 2 Peter 1:12—18

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