



West Broward Church of Christ

“Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.” (2 Timothy 2:15 KJV)

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Grief Recovery

Every now and then families are affected by the death of a loved one or friend. Some deaths result from long illnesses while others are sudden and unexpected. But no matter the circumstance, death can be difficult to handle.

Solomon said, “To everything there is a season, A time for every purpose under heaven: A time to be born, And a time to die ... A time to kill, And a time to heal ... A time to weep, And a time to laugh; A time to mourn, And a time to dance ...” (Ecclesiastes 3:1-9).

Over the past couple of years, many among our West Broward church family have faced the grip of grief. Tears have been shed. Hearts have been heavy. Lives have changed. It’s not easy. But healing, laughter and dancing can return!

On Monday, January 16th at 7:00 pm, I am starting a Grief Recovery Class/Group. This meeting will be designed to help those who have been affected by grief (in whatever form). Bible passages will be studied. Prayers will be offered. Personal stories of healing will be shared. Encouragement, understanding and hope will be offered. It will be a safe place to express and deal with your pain.

This meeting will continue every Monday night as long as it is needed. It is open to anyone. If you have a friend, relative, co-worker who can benefit, bring them along. Together we will learn more about “The God of all comfort” (See 2 Corinthians 1:3-4). Refreshments provide. Babysitting can be arranged (Let me know). Take care.

Terry Casey, D.Min.
Preaching Minister



Terry's Tidbits

Today's Sermons

Sunday Morning

Michael Hursey
“What’s In a Name?”
Genesis 5

Sunday Evening

Chris Radcliffe
“Spiritual Awareness”

Chris' Corner.....



Luke 15:25-32

25 "Now his older son was in the field, and as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. **26** And he called one of the servants and asked what these things meant. **27** And he said to him, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fattened calf, because he has received him back safe and sound.' **28** But he was angry and refused to go in. His father came out and entreated him, **29** but he answered his father, 'Look, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command, yet you never gave me a young goat, that I might celebrate with my friends. **30** But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fattened calf for him!' **31** And he said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. **32** It was fitting to celebrate and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found.'"

What is valuable to you? If you lost that item then later found it, how would you react? You would probably be very excited and joyful because you probably thought you would never see that item again. When people come to Christ, or come back, God also rejoices because they were lost and have been found. To Him this is something to celebrate!

We as Christians should feel the same when someone comes to Jesus. It can be easy to get caught up in how they became lost or how long it took them to be found. Instead, let's rejoice and be happy for their return and that another soul is saved!

Chris Radcliffe

Youth & Family Minister

To be added to the weekly Youth email list, please contact Chris at: cradcliffe312@gmail.com or cell: 352-208-8752



Prayer List

Wilhelmina Gruendel; Marion Newman; Rocio Janer; Jason Kennon; Jeff Williams; Leonor Romero; Joy Jordan & Gary Rowe (loss of Brother); Ben Kemp (loss of wife); Willie Koch (tests); Anthony & Brandon O'Dell families; Rupert French (had open heart surgery); Glenn Pardo (Melanoma); Bonnie McCabe (pancreatic cancer); Inez Leslie; Russ, Dorienne & Alex Garner; Mary Hart; Pat Farris; Janie Duarte; Tom & Demetri Martinez family; Brittany Derenoncourt; Marvin Branch; Shelia Rose; Jackie Johnson family; Shere Eckley's mother/father, (Elena & Paul Eckley); Stephen Watson Family; Massielle Abreu; Paula Johnson; Ethel Bracey; Miriam Donald family; Tangela Jackson; Lauren McAfee; Robert Ball; Yvonne Scouras; Cleve Boothman; Cobham family; Joy Packer; Chris Leslie (Inez' son); Erica Jones; Krystal Sikorski; Dustin Atkinson (Risë's nephew); Victorine Shepherd; Zephyr family; Bozdogan family; Glasmie Lalah; Phil Lark; Steve Smith; Randy Reed; Jim Hicks (John Schulz' uncle); Donna Newman family; Michaela Rival; James Andron; Richard Jordan; Roxanne Galindo (cancer-friend of Diane Koch); Maurice & Maureen Mahfood (L.Bardowell's parents); Keith & Harmuni Chatman family; Lola Modeste family.

Keep in Prayer

Terry Casey, Hosanna Boothman, Jeff Gruendel, Todd Gruendel, Janice Goodpasture, Mark Jordan, Marge Logan, Cindy Long, Irelis Shapple, Frances Salmon, Edna & Henry Salmon, Barbara Waters, Olga Sweeney, Leo Luiburte (W.Gruendel).

In the Military

Jess Aldred, Kenyatta Battle, Marvin Branch, David Cunningham, Levi Danforth, Greg Davenport, Brandon Edelstein, Ryan Henry, Brandon O'Dell, Ciara Ruiz, JoAnn Soero, Naterika Benton-Strickland.



West Broward Youth
Celebrating Jesus!

Youth Group

January 12 – Thursday Night Hang Out 7-9 pm in the Youth Room

January 13-16 – Wintercamp at CFBC in Eustis, FL

February 10-12 - Girl's Teen Retreat Weekend

Chris Radcliffe - cradcliffe312@gmail.com or cell: 352-208-8752



A New Year, A New Start

A new feature in our bulletin each week is a Daily Bible Reading Schedule for morning and evening to take you on a journey to complete the Bible in one year. See the back page. Enjoy!

Ladies Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, January 14th 8:30 am
Fellowship Hall – RSVP at the desk

January 15th & 22nd

Class Schedule Change

On these two Sundays all Adults, Teens and 20s & 30s will meet in the Auditorium please at 9 am for special classes.

Grief Recovery Class Coming Soon

Terry Casey will begin a Grief Recovery Class on Monday evenings starting Monday, Jan. 16th from 7-8 pm to be held in the East Building. A sign-up sheet is at the desk.

Church Picnic

Saturday, February 4th at Plantation Heritage Park, 11 am – 2 pm, “Fish Fry”
See flyers and sign up sheet at the desk

3rd Annual Teen Girl’s Retreat

The Teen Girl’s Retreat is rescheduled here for the weekend of February 10,11,12. Invitations are out to congregations and flyers are available at the desks. This event is for middle and high school girls. Invite your friends now. Register online at wbcc.com.

Here Am I – Send Me...

Needed are individuals to prepare the communion trays each month. The 2017 sign-up sheet is now posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Only three months have been selected so far. Can you help? Thank you!



January 8, 2017

Song Leader: Matt Vitarelli

Song: 63 I Will Call Upon The Lord
Welcome from the Elders: Tom Stone

Song: 300 Praise Him! Praise Him!

Song: 870 Beyond This Land of Parting

Song: 351 He Bore It All

Song: 647 Soldiers of Christ, Arise

Opening Prayer: Ken Key

Song: 382 Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

Lord’s Supper & Offering: Steve Bails

Children’s Bible Hour

Scripture Reading: Doug Horton

Proverbs 25:2; John 5:46

Song: 77 Glorify Thy Name

Sermon: Michael Hursey

Song: 574 Oh, How I Love Jesus

Song: 490 It Is Well with My Soul

Closing Prayer: Rob Johnson



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Assemblies

English

Sunday Bible Study 9:00 am
 Sunday Worship 10:00 am & 6:00 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Spanish

Sunday Bible Study 11:00 am
 Sunday Worship 12:00 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Shepherds

Edwin Davis Russ Garner
 Michael Hursey Gary Nix
 Tom Stone Jay Vitarelli
 Lester Wolfe

Deacons

Mike Aldrich Luis Alfaro
 Allen Bitting Terry Brown
 Rodney Cobham Doug Horton
 Michael Dow Roy Forrest
 Dexter Hamilton Dale Kennon
 Bill Peeples Warren Smith

Ministers

Terry D. Casey, D.Min. English Pulpit
 Ulbert Romero Spanish Pulpit
 Chris Radcliffe Youth & Family

Secretary

Risë Smith

Our Attendance

Bible Class	126	
English		101
Spanish		25
Sunday AM	301	
English		245
Spanish		56
Sunday PM	86	
Wednesday	105	

JANUARY

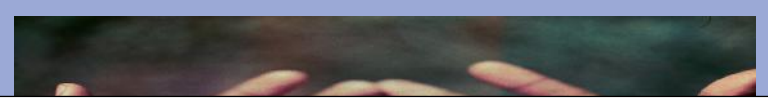
MORNING

EVENING

1	Matt. 1	Gen. 1,2,3
2	2	4,5,6
3	3	7,8,9
4	4	10,11,12
5	5	13,14,15
6	6	16,17
7	7	18,19
8	6:19-34	20,21,22
9	7	23,24
10	8:1-17	25,26
11	8:18-34	27,28
12	9:1-17	29,30
13	9:18-38	31,32
14	10:1-20	33,34,35



Daily Reading



12550 West Broward Blvd., Gary Rowe, 5110 Sheridan Lane, Hollywood, FL 33021

Ben Kemp, 1448 SE 7th Street, Deerfield Beach, FL 33441
 (recent loss of wife-June)

Rupert French, 16522 NW 23 St., Pembroke Pines, FL 33328 (had open heart surgery)

Brandon & Anthony O'Dell, (loss of father) **Brandon**, 950 Pacific Hills Pt, Apt. C 308, Colorado Springs, CO 80906;
Anthony, 1130 SW 47th Ave, Plantation, FL 33317