



# 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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## HIGHWAY EXIT

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it.

— MATTHEW 7:13 NIV

In the early 1900s, the idiom “A picture is worth a thousand words” began to be used all over the country. The expression indicates that an entire message can be conveyed through a single image. In many cases this is certainly true.

About ten or so years ago, I attended a seminar designed to instruct church leaders on how to effectively use graphics (Illustrations or pictures) and/or videos to communicate God’s word. Ever since that class I have sought quality illustrations that are aimed at accomplishing this mission. It is my belief that in our ever-growing media culture, we need to adapt our methods in order to be relevant with the eternal message of God.

For example, consider the cartoon above. The profound message of Matthew 7:13-14 is presented very simply and clearly. There is little doubt that someone glancing at this would indeed get the meaning. If a person continues down the “Wide” road or pathway of sin (Violating God’s will – 1 John 3:4), then destruction is the end result (See Romans 6:23). However, if one were to exit on to the “Narrow” road that leads back to God (Repentance – Luke 13:3), he/she would avoid destruction!

What road are you on? Take care.

Terry Casey, D.Min.  
Preaching Minister



*Terry's Tidbits*

## Today's Sermons

### Sunday Morning

Terry Casey  
“When the Church is Set on Fire”  
1 Corinthians 12:1-11

### Sunday Evening

Devotional

## Chris' Corner...

### Philippians 4:8-9

**8** Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things. **9** The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.

Have you ever seen someone do something crazy or ridiculous, and say to yourself, "What were they thinking?" Have you done something that has caused you to ask the same question of yourself? More often than not, our actions are reflections of our thoughts. If someone does something evil, there is a good chance they were thinking evil thoughts. If someone does something nice, most likely they had nice thoughts. In Philippians we are told where our minds and thoughts should be—on things true, noble, just, pure, lovely, good, things of virtue, and praiseworthy things.

This might take time and discipline, but as Christians we should strive to only think on these types of things. Things that are important to God should be important to us. If we get our minds, and ultimately our hearts, in the right place then our actions will follow. We will start to act in truth. Our actions will become noble and just. We will become more pure and lovely. Our deeds will be good. We will do virtuous and praiseworthy things. Through our actions God will be glorified, and hopefully others will be drawn to Him. Then the God of peace will be with us. Isn't that something to think about!

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Youth & Family Minister

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West Broward Youth  
Celebrating Jesus!

**July 21** Thursday Night Hang Out at the Radcliffe's 7-9 pm

**July 22** Paddle boarding at Dania Beach 9:30 am -1:30 pm

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### Prayer List

Gene Dempsey; Janie Duarte; Rocio Janer; Ellie Radcliffe; Connie Casey; Ashley Aldrich; Chuck Johnson; Scott Patton; Mirna Paz; David Bozdogan family; Ronnie Reed; Michael Newman; Allen Bitting; Becky Middleton; Shelia Rose; Charles Clark; Jack Reynolds (Dorothy Clark's brother-heart); Maureen Mahfood; Cobham & Boothman families; David Rodriguez; Willie Brown; Mary Baskin; Ethel Bracey; Beverly Benson; Miriam Donald family; Semaj Jackson family; Jacqueline Johnson family; Junior Wiggan family; Pat Williams; Ruby Williams family; Steve Smith; Lauren McAfee; Joyce & Vishnu Persaud; Gilberta Jachim & Shirley Sapp (W. Daniels); Sabrina Gustave; Debra Cruz (Myss Jean-Louis); Allicock/Soero family; Brandon O'Dell family; Jordan & George Newman; Nosa Agbogun & family; Krystal Sikorski; Paul Eckley & Montesano family (S. Eckley); Anika Gomez; Sammie ( E. Jean-Louis); Steve Smith; Stephanie Flourmay family; Josephine Good (Pearlie's friend); Yvonne Scouras; Cleve Boothman (Cobham family); Lena Zarhasa (Mary Gosnell family).

### Keep in Prayer

Terry Casey, Hosanna Boothman, Chuck Johnson, Jeff Gruendel, Todd Gruendel, Janice Goodpasture, Mark Jordan, Marge Logan; Cindy Long, Irelis Shappley, Frances Salmon, Edna & Henry Salmon, Barbara Waters, Olga Sweeney, Pat Farris.

### 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.

## Youth Group



**Summer Series – Wednesdays at 7 pm**

Thank you to Rex Morgan, Missionary to Latin America who came our way last Wednesday evening. This week we look forward to hearing from Jim Holway from the Sunset Church of Christ who will speak about What Does Jesus Say About...“Loving Your Enemies?”

**Men’s Fellowship Breakfast**

Saturday, July 23rd at 8 am in the Fellowship Hall. Men please sign up at the information desk or see Nathan Boveda with any questions.

**Employment Bulletin Board**

A reminder that if you are looking for an employment opportunity, please be sure to check our *Employment Board* regularly. New jobs are posted as received each week. The board is located on the foyer wall near the Fellowship Hall entrance.

**LOCAL EVENTS**

On our website *Members Page* a section called **Local Events** is featured to advertise other nearby congregational meetings. Check it often at [wbcoc.com](http://wbcoc.com). Here are a few events coming up that might be of interest to you:

**Impact 2016: Conquering for the Kingdom** to be held on Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup> 9 am – 1 pm hosted by 15<sup>th</sup> Street Church of Christ at the E. Pat Larkins Center in Pompano Beach. Theme: Equipping men and women to impact the world for Christ.

**Ladies Day at Miami Gardens Church of Christ** on Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 8 am – 1 pm – RSVP by 8/1/2016. “Preparing and Packing for the Trip”

**21<sup>st</sup> Annual South Florida Lectureship** hosted by the Palm Beach Lakes Church of Christ on the weekend of November 3-6, 2016. Theme: “Wait on the Lord” – 16 lessons to build faith and deeper trust in God.

Full details of these events are posted on our website and our foyer bulletin board.



**July 17, 2016**

- Song Leader: Jay Vitarelli
- Song: 800 What a Friend We Have in Jesus
- Welcome from the Elders: Edwin Davis
- Song Medley: 831; 852; 851; 854; 864; 837
- Opening Prayer: Frank Washington, Jr.
- Song: 844 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
- Lord’s Supper & Offering: Lester Wolfe
- Children’s Bible Hour
- Scripture Reading: Doug Horton
- Romans 12:1-8
- Song Medley: 870; 869
- Sermon: Terry Casey
- Song: 918 Out of My Bondage
- Song: 885 How Beautiful Heaven Must Be
- Closing Prayer: Terry Brown



**Wednesday, July 20**

Summer Series – Jim Holway  
Loving Your Enemies

**Saturday, July 23**

Men’s Fellowship Breakfast 8 am  
Fellowship Hall

**Wednesday, July 27**

Summer Series – Terry Casey  
Heaven and Hell



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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 Peoples Warren Smith  
James Teague

**Ministers**

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

**Secretary**

Risë Smith

**Our Attendance**

Bible Class	166	
English		141
Spanish		25
Sunday AM	389	
English		304
Spanish		85
Sunday PM	102	
Wednesday	121	



**Living In Faith Every Day**

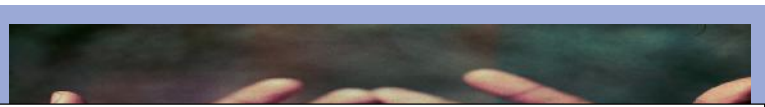
**Note: Our Life Group Meetings will take a break for program review. Please watch the bulletin for future announcements.**

**OPPORTUNITIES**

Please check the Employment Board located in the foyer on the west side hallway for new job postings. New listings are posted each week as they come in.

**FOOD PANTRY**

**We are low on meats (other than tuna), deodorant, conditioner & shampoo in the Food Pantry. A reminder we now have a canned goods only pantry. Thank you.**



**Check It Out**

***“In Search of the Lord’s Way”***

**Church of Christ TV Program**

**7:00 am EST, Sundays on these channels:**

**WGN America; U Verse 180 or 1180; Comcast 025; Dish 239 or Direct TV 307**

**Connie Casey**, 1350 SW 70 Terrace, Plantation, FL 33317 (knee rehab)

**Ashley Aldrich**, 210 SW 159 Terr., Sunrise, FL 33326 (spine surgery recovery)

**Shelia Rose**, 2138 Bahia Lane, Weston, FL 33327 (chemo therapy)

**Janie Duarte**, 7781 NW 15<sup>th</sup> St. Pembroke Pines, FL 33024 (chemo treatments/pregnancy)