



West Broward Church of Christ

“Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ’s behalf, be reconciled to God” (2 Corinthians 5:20)

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What Does the Bible Say?-About Being Faithful to God

~Part Four

Today we conclude our discussion about being faithful to God. We have already taken a look at “Walking in newness of life” (Romans 6:4), consistent attendance at all services (Hebrews 10:24-25) and putting on the “New” while putting off the “Old” (Colossians 3:1-17). This article will focus on the necessity to be “Servants” of God.”

Romans 12:1-2 declares, “I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.”

The imperative in this passage is, “Present your bodies as living sacrifices.” I am to be a living, breathing, walking spiritual sacrifice. Essentially, every day, every moment, I’m to present myself to God. I am to serve Him, accomplishing His will all the time, in every situation and regarding every person. I say “Goodbye” to the world and “Hello” to God’s will. This adds new meaning to “I surrender all.” This is the “Reasonable” thing to do considering what He has done for us (“By the mercies of God” – See Romans 5:8).

The question from all four articles about faithfulness is, “Are you and I loyal to God?” Am I walking in a new way? Am I assembling with the church EVERY TIME the doors are open? Am I a servant of God independently (Daily) and collective with the church? Only you and God know the answers to these questions that involve your heart! Take care.

Terry D. Casey
Preaching Minister



Terry's Tidbits

Today's Sermons

Sunday Morning

Terry Casey
“Coming Home” Luke 15:19-31

Sunday Evening

Terry Casey
“A Definite Distinction”
Galatians 5:16-25

Chris' Corner...

Genesis 13:5-9 (NIV)

5 Now Lot, who was moving about with Abram, also had flocks and herds and tents. 6 But the land could not support them while they stayed together, for their possessions were so great that they were not able to stay together. 7 And quarreling arose between Abram's herders and Lot's. The Canaanites and Perizzites were also living in the land at that time.

8 So Abram said to Lot, "Let's not have any quarreling between you and me, or between your herders and mine, for we are close relatives. 9 Is not the whole land before you? Let's part company. If you go to the left, I'll go to the right; if you go to the right, I'll go to the left."

Abram gives us a great example of what it means to be a peacemaker. When faced with a problem and potential argument with his nephew Lot, he went out of his way to keep the peace. Since he was older than Lot he would have had the right to choose the land he wanted first. Instead he is selfless and lets Lot choose first so that there would be peace between them. He didn't play the role of peacekeeper; he was a true peacemaker.

Jesus says in Matthew 5:9 (NIV) "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God." We are to make peace, not just keep it. Most of the time being a peacemaker will cause us to sacrifice something and become humble. Abram was humble and sacrificed his turn picking land. Are you willing to humble yourself to make peace? Will you be able to sacrifice something in order to make things good between you and someone else? If so then you are listening to Jesus and will be blessed.

Chris Radcliffe
Youth & Family Minister



Prayer List

Chris Radcliffe; Elvis Alfonso; Gracetta Wilkins; Olga Sweeney; Carolyn Bell (cataract surgery Monday); Lola Modeste (flu); Paula Johnson; Elizabeth Allen; Willie Blanche Cook (Lola Modeste's Mom-hospice care); Ulbert & Leonor Romero; Rodney Cobham (loss of cousin); Diane Koch (loss of Aunt); Cornelia Watson (pregnancy); Henry Bosch; John & Esther Cormier; Ty Daniels family; Pat Farris; Stuart Giannandrea; Chuck Johnson; Victorine Shepherd; Randy, Ronnie & Rodney Reed; Ruby Phillip; Miriam Donald family; Jean Noel family; Junior Wiggan family; Lauren McAfee; Steve Smith; Semaj Jackson family; Dianne West (Shelia Benjamin); Jacqueline Johnson family; Mary Baskin; Ethel Bracey; Pat Williams; Richard Andy Williams; our college students; Eula Hunt (C. Gibson's sister); Mark Cranston (friend C. Gibson); Vida Allicock family; Codner family; Shelly Nealy (Shelia Rose); Jeff Williams; Donna Newman; those in the Bahamas & South Carolina; Sonya & Serenity Mahon; Vakia Moncrief (K. Hugley's cousin-hospitalized); Paul (Shere Eckley's Dad).

Keep in Prayer

Harrison Waldron; Jeff Gruendel; Terry Casey, James Teague, Hosanna Boothman, Mark Jordan, Todd Gruendel; Janice Goodpasture, Barbara Waters, Irelis Shappley, Marge Logan, Frances Salmon, Cindy Long, Edna & Henry Salmon.

In the Military

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



West Broward Youth
Celebrating Jesus!

Youth Group

Friday, October 30th – Fall Festival - Trunk or Treat 6-9 pm

Friday-Saturday, November 6&7th - IGNITE Youth Rally at Griffin Rd

Friday, November 13th – Parents Night Out 6-9 pm

Thursday, November 19th – Thursday Night Hang Out at Radcliffe's



COME HOME LUNCHEON

Welcome visitors, loved ones and long-time friends! Thank you for being here today for “A Celebration of Family.” Please stay and enjoy the fellowship luncheon after morning worship.

Fall Festival – Trunk or Treat

Here on Friday, October 30th from 6 – 9 pm, safe fun for Toddlers – 5th Graders, including games, snacks and trunk or treating from car to car. Invite friends and neighbors! Wrapped candy donations are needed. Please see the Information Desk to help or sign up to participate with your children.

Coins for Kids Cans

Reminder – It’s time to turn in your *Coins for Kids* filled coin cans to Paula Johnson by November 1st.

Father Daughter Retreat-Love Conquers All

Central Florida Bible Camp will have a November 6-8th Retreat weekend for Dads and Daughters. Cost is \$35/person. Mike Aldrich is Retreat Coordinator. Register at: www.cfbiblecamp.org.

Christian Homes for Children Annual Dinner

Saturday, November 7th at 6 pm
West Broward Church of Christ - Fellowship Hall
Featuring the “The Sensations” and
Speaker Dr. Robert Ball

Buffet Dinner, Entertainment, Gifts, Prizes and Fellowship – Dinner Tickets are \$50. – Donations accepted – please see Terri Hursey for tickets

November Breakfast Meetings

Ladies - Saturday, November 14th at 8:30 am

Men – Saturday, November 21st at 8 am
in our Fellowship Hall

FOOD DRIVE – “Bag the Preacher”

It is that time of year again! – time for our annual Food Drive for our Thanksgiving Baskets and to restock the Food Pantry. Please pick up a grocery bag and Needs List today from the table in the foyer. Fill it up and bring it back on Sunday, November 15th when we will surround the pulpit and “Bag the Preacher.” Note: Canned Goods only this year. No bags, boxed, or dried goods please.



October 25, 2015

Song Leader: Dale Kennon

Song: 103 He Has Made Me Glad

Song: 63 I Will Call upon the Lord

Welcome from the Elders: Russ Garner

Song: 214 Have You Seen Jesus My Lord?

Song: Great Are You Lord

Song: 77 Glorify Thy Name

Opening Prayer: Tom Stone

Song: 349 Ten Thousand Angels

Lord’s Supper & Offering: Roy Forrest

Scripture Reading: Zak Dempsey

Galatians 3:26-29

Song: 570 A Beautiful Life

Sermon: Terry Casey

Song: 768 Jesus, Let Us Come to Know You

Song: In Christ Alone

Closing Prayer: Gary Nix



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Fall Festival - Trunk or Treat 6-9 pm

Saturday, November 7th

CHFC Annual Participation Dinner 6 pm
Fellowship Hall

Saturday, November 14th

Ladies Prayer Breakfast 8:30 am

Sunday, November 15th

“Bag the Preacher” – Food Drive 10 am

Saturday, November 21st

Men’s Fellowship Breakfast 8 am



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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
James Teague

Ministers

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

Secretaries

Risë Smith Anita Pennell

Our Attendance

Bible Class	199	
English		164
Spanish		35
Sunday AM	376	
English		305
Spanish		71
Sunday PM	66	
Wednesday	114	



Living In Faith Every Day

Note: Our Life Group Meetings will take a break for summer and program review. Please watch the bulletin for future announcements. Thank you for your participation in Life Groups.

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.



Check It Out

"In Search of the Lord's Way"

Church of Christ TV Program

7:00 am EST on Sundays on these channels:
WGN America; U Verse 180 or 1180; Comcast 025;
Dish 239 or Direct TV 307

Chris Radcliffe, 12690 W. Broward Blvd., Plantation, FL 33325
(had surgery last week)

Calista Humphreys, 420 Via Firenze Way, Davie, FL 33325
(recently baptized)

Elizabeth Allen, 215 S. Victoria Park Road, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301 (for full recovery)