Pinellas Park Church of Christ

The Good Sport

Paul was a sports fan. With good reason, Paul equated living the Christian life to competing in a sporting event. In many respects success in both arenas requires many of the same elements.
1 Cor. 9:23-27

1. Get In The Race

2. Run To Win

3. Train To Run

4. Gain the Prize

Are you a part of the team? What are you doing to foster strength in unity, powerful relationships and

3 April 2016

6045 Park Blvd. Pinellas Park, FL 33781

Sunday: AM Bible study 10:00, Worship 11AM, 6 PM

Wednesday: Bible Study 7PM

Prayer Requests

Melissa Niven, is now in hospice care. Lung cancer has spread to her spine.
Michael Grimmer, asked for prayers for a friend in a motorcycle accident.
The Christman family asked for prayers for a friend of the family who was in a bad accident, which caused their child to be placed on life support.
Connie Woods mother is very ill.
Selma McClarigan, Polly's sister, lymphoma is in remission, but she her immune system is compromised. Treatments for it are making her very ill.
Jeanne Coates, had a stroke on January 23rd but is now home recovering.
Evelyn Bohn, grandson Travis Oliver, 39, died of a stomach aneurysm.
Madison Walden will have more testing to see what's causing lesions on her brain.
Michael Grimmer's mother is having serious medical issues.
Bill May's mother, Judy, had surgery, but does not want chemo or radiation.
John Pelley, Carrie's uncle, is having heart trouble and going for testing.
Steven and Brittini asked for prayers for spiritual focus and for financial stability.
Rick Buonoguaro, continues to recover from his recent accident and surgery.
Vicki, that she seeks wisdom in her personal life.
Sandy Christman continues to recover from her recent surgery.
Amma Lou Koon, Polly's sister, cancer has returned and she has a lesion on her face.
Helen Knese, Vivian Brush's sister, had a stroke, but is now in a rehabilitation hosp.
Linda Walden's brother-in-law**,** Bob, had complications with taking Chemo.
Vivian Brush for her friend Claudia Stewart, stage four pancreatic cancer.
Diane Haff, friend of the Phillip Martin family, has brain 2 brain tumors
John Petersen, friend of Diane Martin, is in Hospice care for a heart condition.
Jincy, Jeanne Peterman's friend, is having open heart surgery.
Prayer wall additions – "Pray for my sister in Christ, whose husband is having an affair and moved in with the other woman. Pray for her husband." "My cousin's friend Jimmy has cancer. Pray for healing, good medical care…and coming to the Lord Jesus."

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Prayer Wall Requests
Theo, who is 2 years old, going through Chemo – **Dwight Easterly,** is on dialysis and in a semi-coma – **Jimmy**, who has cancer – **Please pray that my business is successful and I can support my family – Rebecca Skaggs and Tanika Herkert and family,** medical issues - **pray for the safety of Samuel,** who needs to leave Nigeria – **Grace Henderson,** 9 years old, placed on heart transplant list – **Brian Stover** – appeal with go well in court – **Brandon Hadden,** that he draw close to God – **Clare Garaty,** whose mother is in ICU recovery from surgery – **Carol Raycroft,** life-long friend of Carolyn Schlemmer, whose husband passed away.

Announcements

- **Woodlawn** – Once we have completed our War Room series we will begin a series about the challenges of Christian living, using the movie Woodlawn to illustrate the biblical teaching. This series will be accompanied by several events within the congregation.
- **Coffea, Tea and Mexico Missions**. Join us every Sunday AM now through June for coffee and tea to support our Mexico mission team members. Coffee and tea are provided by Starbucks and Teavana.
- **Ronald McDonald House**. April 16 (Team #1) and April 30th (team #2). Soon we will have a meeting to see if team members want to continue for 2016 and / or add new members.
- **Men! Check the service schedule.** Especially during the holidays, when many travel, check and cover your times to serve or call Dennis Folks.
- **Ladies, Don't Forget!** Our ladies class meets every Friday in the youth room at 1PM for Bible study. Their lessons follow our Sunday morning class.
- **Men!** Be sure to check the list of those who are to serve in worship, including the Wednesday evening speaking schedule.
- **Mexico Mission.** Mexico mission team members it is now time to submit your paperwork and fees for the July 11-16 mission trip. Ed has applications and get you all the necessary information.
- **Brian Stover address** – James B. Stover #266262 (S3112L) Columbia Correctional Institution(Annex), 253SE Corrections Way, Lake City, FL 32025
- **Mt. Dora Children's Academy** can drive is well on its way. Pick up your can today from Glenn Duncan and begin saving that loose change. The drive will last until May 1. Cans should be turned in on or before that time.
- **Mt. Dora Dinner.** Get your tickets today from Glenn for the annual Tampa Bay dinner at the Holiday Inn in Tampa. For details see Glenn.
- **Communion Prep.** We need someone to sign up to prepare communion for April and some other months. Check the list today!
- **Ladies Day.** Pick up a flyer today announcing our May 14 Ladies and begin making preparations to not only attend, but also invite ladies from our community and other churches to this day of sharing and learning.

Calendar

April

1 – Potluck dinner

1 – Mt. Dora Chicken dinner and area wide sing

12 – LACE meeting at 7PM

17 – Leadership Meeting /Lunch Bunch meets after our AM services

19 – Men's Ministry Meeting

Our Leaders

Elders – Phillip Martin, Tim Martin, Dennis Folks
Deacons – Glenn Duncan and Keith Sabiel
Minister – Edward Benesh

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Vital Statistics

Contribution **$1756** Budget **$2500**
Bible Class - **61** Worship - **120** PM – **45** Wed. PM Service – **40**

Minute Devotionals

The word *team* is taken from the Old English word *taumaz*, which referred originally to ones offspring or descents and latter then later to animals that were bridled together to do work. The original team is then the family. Thus we often refer to the team that is the church, the Family of God, because they work together.

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