

# *Pinellas* *Park* Church of Christ

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## **TLC - The Courage to Stand for Truth**

It is one thing to stand against the tide of immorality in our culture and refuse to participate in such riotous living. It is a whole different matter to stand up for the truth and boldly proclaim it, though both are essential to our faith. Having the courage to stand means you...

### **1. Must Know Who You Are**

### **2. Must Know What You Believe**

### **3. Must Know What You Must Do**

### **4. Must Know for Whom You Are Doing It**

### **Conclusion:**

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**15 January 2017**

**6045 Park Blvd. Pinellas Park, FL 33781**

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

*Wednesday: Bible Study 7PM*

## Prayer Requests

**Chris and Britanny Brush**, preparing to leave for missions in the Dominican.

**Sandy Christman's Cousin, Robin**, was in a car accident and had a stroke.

**Joyce Senf**, former member at Pinellas park, had hip surgery.

**Reese and Nick**, brothers in a family we met through Ronald McDonald House, will both be having surgery at All Children's Hospital.

**Ralph Senf**, had a detached retina and received news that it has not healed. He is to get lots of rest and return to the Dr. this Tuesday.

**Shirley Dooley**, requests prayers for her neighbor Joan and a friend, Mary Ellen, who has blood cancer. Treatment will not cure it, but may extend her life.

**Amma Lou Koon**, Polly's sister, had a stroke and is in need of prayer.

**Aliet Machado**, 15 year-old, has an inoperable brain tumor.

**Wiley**, recently tested in a medical program. Pray that he passes those test.

**Alex Craig**, has joined the Navy and will be undergoing training for the SEALs.

**Sandy Christman** Sandy's pain is improving as she recovers from surgery.

**Jonathan Farnham**, is in need of our prayers.

**Homer Johnson**, has a brain tumor and is not expected to make it much longer.

**Ed's uncle Bill** still has CHF, but his condition is much improved.

**Carol Axe**, at home recovering from bleeding issues.

**Pam G.** cousin David Chafin, who needs lung transplant, has the flu and not doing well

**Subhfan Fontanills**, requests prayer for her brother and nephew, Lakaro and Alex.

**John Hedge** requested prayers for Jason Spooner and SarahJo Fuentes.

**Wayne Shearer**, Chemotherapy has had positive results.

**Melissa Niven**, passed away last week after a long battle with cancer.

**Bill May's mother, Judy**, had surgery, but does not want chemo or radiation.

**Helen Knese**, Vivian Brush's sister, had a stroke, but is now in a rehabilitation hosp.

**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.

## Order of Worship – TLC – Courage to Stand for Truth

Quiet song

Announcements

Opening Song

Opening prayer / Offering

Lord's Supper Song

The Lord's Supper

Sermon song

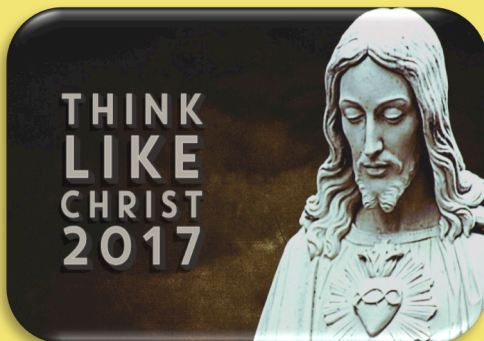
Sermon – Edward Benesh

Invitation Song

Closing Song

Closing prayer

Song leader - TBA



# Announcements

- **Ladies of LACE** – there will be a LACE meeting on January the 24<sup>th</sup> at our building at 7 P.M. to discuss the upcoming banquet dinner for Weeki Wachee Christian Camp.
- **Alex Craig** – will be graduating soon from basic training. Alex's new address will be posted on the bulletin board in the auditorium.
- **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. If you are not able to make it then please get someone to fill your slot and let Dennis Folks know.
- **Brian Stover address** – James B. Stover #266262 (S3112L) Columbia Correctional Institution(Annex), 253SE Corrections Way, Lake City, FL 32025
- **Jesus Take The Wheel** – We have had a great response to this. Keep it up!
- **Pantry Needs** – We are in need of items for our pantry. Please do not bring any items that are expired, near expiration, dented or perishable items. Please check the dates and cans for dents. At present we do not need veggies.
- **WWCC needs funds** – A lot of spectacular work has taken place in the past few months at WWCC. If the great work of the camp is to continue to have spiritual impact we must be good stewards and invest. See Phil, Glenn or Melissa for one time and/or continual giving opportunities.
- **Think Like Christ!** That is our theme...our challenge for the year. Each month we will focus on a different characteristic of our savior and his life. In most months we will also be issuing a challenge for you to adopt that month's characteristic. For instance, this month's Christ-Like Thinking is "Courage." The challenge is listed on the back of the bulletin in the "minute devotional" section. We will also, in most months, have a week where you can ask questions and have them answered in a sermon. There will be a box in the foyer for these questions. February's theme will be "Show Me the Love." Questions about love can be submitted in the foyer.
- **Sweetheart Banquet** – please let Tim and Beth Martin know as soon as possible whether or not you will be attending the sweetheart banquet so they can order the appropriate amounts of food. Thank you!

## Calendar

### January

- 15 – Lunch Bunch meets after services, place to be announced
- 25 – Men's Ministry Mtg.
- 28 – WWCC appreciation dinner in the annex
- 29 – Men's Leadership Night

## Our Leaders

**Elders** – Phillip Martin, Tim Martin, Dennis Folks

**Deacons** – Glenn Duncan, Keith Sabiel and Sam Halstead

**Minister** – Edward Benesh

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Search for us as well on Facebook – get Ed's "Monday Moorings" and "Friday Footing" by email – Watch our live feed on Ustream

## Vital Statistics

Contribution **\$2597** Budget **\$2500**

Bible Class – **59** Worship - **108** PM – **42** Wed. PM Service – **54**

## Our Monthly Challenge

The Theme for this month is courage, namely the courage stand our as a Christian in a world of darkness. Your challenge is to:

1. List those fears that hold you back spiritually
2. Act each day for 30 days to overcome just one of those
3. Start small, but think big

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