

Pinellas *Park* Church of Christ

Devoted to Prayer

Today we continue our series on prayer and the devotion that we have to it. Most people have a good idea of what it means to pray and even pray with some frequency, but very often the attitude or perspective we attach to prayer is incorrect. We must:

Colossians 4:2-6

1. Pray with Devotion

2. Pray with Watchfulness

3. Pray with Thankfulness

May your prayer life be blessed and may the attitude you couple with it be both a blessing and blessed.

6 March 2016

6045 Park Blvd. Pinellas Park, FL 33781

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

Wednesday: Bible Study 7PM

Prayer Requests

Bud Mierkey, has been very ill.

Connie Woods is very ill.

Donna Brush, has been having difficulty with a cough for some time.

Jeanne Coates, had a stroke on January 23rd but is now home recovering.

Evelyn Bohn, requested prayer for her daughter Patt and family at the loss of Evelyn's grandson Travis Oliver, 39, to 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.

Betty Perry, will have knee replacement surgery on March 8th.

Bob Weyandt fell this past week at home. He is a bit bumped and bruised, but well.

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

Tom King has been very ill with flu.

Everett Hopper former elder at Pinellas Park passed away.

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 Buonoguardo, 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, started radiation treatment last week.

Shirley Dooley asked for prayers for her friend Heidi, for intestinal issues.

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.

Melissa Niven, continues treatment for cancer. Keep her in your prayers.

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.

Order of Worship – Devoted to Prayer

171 Call to worship

Announcements

552 & 553 – Live For Him Medley

Opening prayer

Offering

395 – Follow Me

The Lord's Supper

71 – As the Deer

Sermon – Edward Benesh

669 – Take My Life, and let it be

417 – Where he leads I'll follow

Closing prayer

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

- **The Power and Priority of Prayer** – We have begun a new Sunday morning series using the movie War Room. The study should last a little over a month and will encourage you to have richer and fuller prayer life. Be sure to take advantage of all that is being offered. We encourage you to complete the weekly notes, journal and post your prayers on our prayer warrior wall hanging in the foyer. Be sure to pick up new notes each week. You should have completed the homework for lesson.
- **Ronald McDonald House.** Will cook March 12 (Team #2), 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. We want to do our best to approach the worship mindfully and prepared. If you will be unable to be here for your appointed time please be courteous and either get someone to take your spot or let Dennis Folks know in advance. Thanks for your service.
- **Mexico Mission Fiesta.** Will be held this year on March 19th. This is a change from previously announced dates. Due to conflicts it needed to be moved to promote participation in several upcoming, encouraging works. Be sure you take a handful of flyers and help us advertise this event.
- **Brian Stover new address** – James B. Stover #266262 (S3112L) Columbia Correctional Institution (Annex), 253 SE Corrections Way, Lake City, FL 32025
- **Mt. Dora Children's Academy** can drive starts today. 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.
- **Ladies Retreat at WWCC, March 11-13.** Ladies, see Joanne Duncan or Diane Martin for details and let them know if you plan to attend.

Calendar

March

- 11-13 – Ladies Retreat at WWCC
- 12 – cooking at Ronald McDonald House
- 13 – Leadership meeting at 5:30
- 15 – Men's Ministry Meeting
- 19 – Mexico Mission Taco Fiesta

Our Leaders

Elders – Phillip Martin, Tim Martin, Dennis Folks

Deacons – Glenn Duncan and Keith Sabiel

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 **\$2920** Budget **\$2500**

Bible Class - **59** Worship - **88** PM – **44** Wed. PM Service – **55**

Minute Devotionals

Often prayer is let about what you say and more about what you do not even know how to express. Paul tell us in Romans 8 that the Spirit of God intercedes with groaniings, expressing those things that come from great humility and a loss of words, perhaps due to confusion, or desperation or the realization of how short we fall and how deep a pit we create for ourselves.

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