

Pinellas Park Church of Christ



Who You Pray

To whom do we actually pray? Who is the “God” and why would we want to have a conversation with him? The sad truth is that most don’t want to know Him. In reality pray is just a tool to help them feel better about something, vent their frustrations about other people in what they feel is a safe way and uphold the things in their lives that they really have close relationships with...fake deities or idols. We must know Him!

Matthew 6:5-8

I. He Is The Sovereign Who Is

II. He Is The God Who Responds

III. He Is The God Who Blesses

Conclusion – What do you think about when you pray? Is He at the forefront of your thoughts? Prayer is all about relationship with Him. Do you know Him?

24 January 2016

6045 Park Blvd. Pinellas Park, FL 33781

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

Wednesday: Bible Study 7PM

Prayer Requests

Bill May's mother, Judy, came through her surgery just fine and continues to do well. She has opted to forego any type of Chemotherapy or Radiation treatment. **Madison Walden** will be having surgery to remove a lesion on her brain Feb. 3 at All Children's Hospital.

Tom King has been very ill with flu.

Evelyn Bohn's daughter Allison passed away after battling ALS for many years.

John Pelley, Carrie's uncle, is having heart trouble and going for testing.

Madison Walden requested prayers for her dad's family at the passing of his step mother Jean Ann.

Steven and Brittini have asked for prayers to help them stay focused spiritually and for financial stability.

The Christman family requested prayer for a friend of the family, Jennifer Sabo

Rick Buonoguardo, continues to recover from his recent accident and surgery.

Sandy Christman continues to recover from her recent surgery and is currently in rehab for her back. She is regaining some feeling and function in her limbs.

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, asked for prayers for her sister's husband, Bob, who started chemotherapy treatment.

Vivian Brush for her friend Claudia Stewart, stage four pancreatic cancer.

John Klepzyk, nephew of the Stover's, is cancer free. God is good.

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.

Jeanne Coates, has been very ill and is in a lot of pain due to rheumatoid arthritis.

Order of Worship – Who To Pray

15 Step By Step

Announcements/Prayer Wall Prayers

2 We Praise Thee, O God

Opening prayer

Offering

346 He Lives

The Lord's Supper

3 Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah

Sermon – Edward Benesh

390 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

83 God is So Good

Closing prayer

Prayer Wall Requests

John Rossy – Woods family at the loss of Rick's sister Barbara – Max Benesh – Friend of Melissa Folks having a mastectomy, Shari Dirks – Emma Huddleston, ACL surgery – our nation as we choose our leaders – Lee's aunt Sharon and friend Mave – Mike Obrien, friend of Bethlyn, had leg amputated – Subhfan's difficult working situation

Announcements

- **The Power and Priority of Prayer** – beginning today we will start a study of prayer using the movie War Room as illustration. 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.
- **Stepping Up!** The next men's Stepping Up class will be held on January 28th, 7-8:30 in the youth room.
- **Ronald McDonald House.** Will cook Feb. 13 (team #2), March 12 (Team #1), April 16 (Team #2) and April 30th (team #1). 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.
- **Evelyn Bohn new address,** 1125 E. Old Pass Rd., Long Beach, MS 39560. Her cell phone number is 727-433-1342.
- **Men!** There is a new Wednesday evening speaking schedule posted.
- **Mexico Mission Fiesta.** Will be held this year on March 12.
- **WWCC news!** Thanks to all who made it out for the camp dinner last night. Things are looking great for the camp. The new rood is on the mess hall and leftover money may be used to begin work on one of the pavilions. There is an effort on the part of Christian activities in the formation of a new committee to address the future growth of the camp facility. There will be a presentation this evening during our worship about this exciting work. Be sure you make it back to keep abreast of what is happening with our camp.
- **No Sweetheart banquet!** We will not be having a Sweetheart banquet this year, but rather have a regular potluck on the 14th of February and in conjunction with it hold a baby shower for Bethlyn.

Calendar

January

24 – WWCC presentation during evening services

28 – Men's Stepping Up class

31 – Men's Leadership Night

February

14 – Potluck and baby shower for Bethlyn after morning services

14 – Leadership meeting

16 – 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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On the Web at www.pinellasparkcoc.org

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 **\$2417** Budget **\$2500**

Bible Class - **60** Worship - **93** PM – **42** Wed. PM Service – **50**

Minute Devotionals

Our God is in secret? That is what Jesus said in Mt. 6:7. The idea that Christ is trying to get across in this notion of God being in secret is that there must be an unfettered intimacy and honesty in our relationship with God. Prayer should be revealing and intimate before Him.

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