

WILDWOOD CHURCH OF CHRIST



114 Cleveland Ave, Wildwood, FL 34785/352-748-1040/www.hischurch.faith/November 12, 2017

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Worship Services

Sunday Morning
 Bible Class 9:30 am
 Worship 10:30 am
Sunday Evening
 Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Class 7:00 pm
Tuesday Ladies TLC 9:00 am

Mission Work/Support

Guyana, India (R. Clayton),
Johnstown Pa., East End Preacher
Fund, Faulkner Bible Dept., Child
Haven, Mt. Dora Children's Home.

Attitudes Which Accompany Repentance

1. Convictions of Sins – Acts 2:37-38
2. Restitutions When Possible – Luke 19:8-9
3. Remorse For Having Wronged God Through Sin – Psalm 51:1-12
4. A Spirit of Humility Because of Sin – II Chron. 7:14
5. A Sense of Shame – Jer. 31:19
6. Confession of Sins – Luke 15:18
7. Belief in Christ – Matt. 21:32
8. Turning to God – Acts 3:19
9. Turning from Transgressions – Eze. 18:30
10. Sackcloth, Ashes, Fasting, and Prayer were often used in connection with repentance – I Kings 21:27-29
11. Joy in Heaven Results from it – Luke 15:7, 10
12. It is Evidence by Good Fruit – Isa. 1:16-17

Why Repent?

(See Luke 15:17-18; Rom. 2:4)

Visitors

Welcome Visitors! If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guest. We hope you find our worship uplifting and in accordance with God's word. Please fill out a visitor's card and put it in the collection plate.

Friendship Bread: All visitors are invited to take a loaf of our Friendship bread, made especially for you, as you leave the auditorium. We hope you will enjoy the bread and come back and visit us at every opportunity.

Hearing Assistance System: This facility is equipped with a Hearing Assistance System. Please ask one of our elders or Jerry Adkins for a receiver.

There is a **Nursery** available for your convenience. It is located in the foyer. Our nursery is for nursing mothers and mothers tending to their children.

Church Family News

Welcome Friends Fellowship Meal Group 2 will be hosting our Welcome Friends Fellowship meal today in the fellowship hall after our services this morning. All our visitors are invited to stay and enjoy a meal with Group 2. If you have no other plans, please join us in the fellowship hall.

Holidays: Because of the holiday season, there will be no Welcome Friends Fellowship meal until January 14th (Group 2 hosting).

Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets: If you would like to help with these baskets to provide turkeys and ham, please give your money to David or Sarah Myers. The Thanksgiving baskets will be put together and delivered on November 20th.

Please continue to check and sign up for the Toddler Training Nursery list. We need more people to participate.

Church Christmas Adult Party in the church fellowship hall, December 9th at 6:00 p.m.

Prayer List

Mike Adcock had his TEE test and it has been determined that he has 2 blockages behind his heart. The doctors are not able to do anything to correct his condition.

Lois Babbitt was taken to The Villages Hospital after another fall.

Tragedy's in New York and Texas – Please remember the families of the victims and those still recovering.

Tracy Jones has the shingles.

Linda Grove has been having some pretty rough days of not feeling well.

Mary Costa has an appointment for an MRI and hopefully will soon have some answers and a time scheduled for her surgery.

Mary Lou Jordan Please remember her in your prayers and your visits.

Margaret Hubbs Please remember her in your prayers and your visits.

Leigh Workman continues to recover.

Charity Stambaugh in the loss of her father.

Remember

Lois Babbitt, Beth Hicks, Leigh Workman, Linda Grove, Mary Lou Jordan, Danny & Doris Cartt, Wayne & June Crenshaw, Margaret Hubbs, Jerry Adkins & family, Ricky Baker & family, The Hileman & Pope families, Donald Adcock, Mike and Esther Adcock, Joyce Albert, Rusty & Angie Mertz, Glynda Casteel, Jim & Sue Allison, Kevin Freeman, Chris Barden, Jim Buck, Jean Button, The Stone family, Libbie Summers and daughter, Fred French, Shirley Osgood, Helen Barton, John Ward, Lewis Jarvis, Joyce Freeman.

Remember our **Missionaries** at home and abroad. Pray for all **Law Enforcement** and those in the **Military**, especially those deployed.

Our Military

Logan Duff - Marines Rebecca Baldwin-Army
Kevin Sigler – Army Ryan Sigler - Army
Chance Strickland – Navy Adam Duff - Army
Steven McKay-Air Force

Repentance

Our Lord states in Mark 1:15, "...the time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand, repent, and believe in the Gospel." The Lord proclaimed that the kingdom of God was near; therefore, repent and believe the gospel message. The last part of verse 15, "...repent and believe the gospel," has given many to believe and teach that repentance precedes belief in God's plan of salvation. What is the truth, should be our honest approach to the question "Does faith, as some teach, come after repentance?" Before we answer that question, let's take the time to ask, what does repentance mean? Bible repentance is nothing more than a change of one's mind, prompted by a change of heart, resulting in a changed life. The Greek word for repent in our text is from metaneo (verb), to change the mind (meta, change, as in metamorphosis; and noeo, to think, reason, judge, having to do with the). God wants us to change our minds about sin and our participation in it. Given this definition of repentance, it is very easy to see that a person can't become a Christian unless he or she sees a need to repent of their sins and turn back to God. Like faith, the Bible teaches that repentance is a prerequisite to becoming a Christian. Jesus says in Luke 13:3, "except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish" (KJV). When Paul stood on Mar's Hill as stated in Acts 17, he said in verse 30, "And the time of this ignorance God winked at, but commandeth all men everywhere to repent." God wants all men to come to repentance according to II Peter 3:9. On the basis of these scriptures, can any person doubt the essentiality of repentance in God's scheme of redemption? Would anyone dare say that man can be saved without repentance? As stated above, some believed and have falsely taught that the order of, and conditions essential to, salvation are, repentance and faith. What is the truth? The truth is, faith must precede repentance!

Paul states in Romans 10, "Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God" (v.17). What does this mean? Faith enables the sinner to repent, because he heard the message and reasons with his own mind that the words that were spoken are true. Why would a sinner be prompted to repent of something that he does not believe in? AS one writer states on this matter, "This would be illogical, unscriptural, and psychologically impossible." One the day of Pentecost in Acts 2, 3000 plus souls were added to the Lord. The reason why was because they

first heard the message presented by the apostles concerning Christ and Him crucified. In verse 37, they believed what was said, and asked, "Men and brethren, what shall we do?" The first thing they were told to do was repent (v.30). In essence they were told to change their minds about sin and turn back to God. The next thing they were told was "to be baptized for the remission of sins" (v. 38b). Their faith in Christ moved them to repent of their sins and obey the Lord in baptism, which made it possible for them to be added to the Lord (v.41,47). As seen in the example above, hearing, believing, repentance, and baptism are all prerequisites to becoming a Christian. When an honest person fulfills those conditions (along with confession that Christ is the Son of God (Rom.10:9-10), they will be transferred (translated) into the ever present Kingdom of God's beloved Son (Col.1:13).

YOUTH CORNER

-----Upcoming Events-----

November 12th SNAC devotional for 6th grade and under at Gloria Murphy's house after evening services.

November 18th Park Park Weekend for 7th grade and up with Pine Castle church of Christ. We will leave Saturday morning and come back that evening. Some can ride with me. Let me know if you are going ASAP.

December 2nd Stocking Stuffing, singing, and delivery. Please join us on this Saturday at 9am in the fellowship hall to get all the stocking ready, write cards, and enjoy each other's company. We will go around to people's homes after we get everything ready.

December 3rd Christmas Party for Under 7th Grade after morning worship services. This will be held in the fellowship hall. Please let Pam Brown or Jennifer Mikeals know if you can help.

December 16th Progressive Christmas Dinner with the Congregation. Mark your calendars and I'll try to give more details on this soon. We should be going to 3 or 4 homes for this event and end up doing the white elephant gift exchange at the last stop.

Privileged to Serve

Contact Elder: Bob Grove
Announcements: Charles Wright

Sunday, November 12, 2017

Bible Study

Lead Singing Doug Andrews
Lead Prayer Joel Prather

Worship

Lead Singing Chad Brown
Opening Prayer Bob Grove
Lord's Table John Stone/Howard Alls
Assist Table David Myers/Jere Trotter
Closing Prayer Dwain Locke, Jr.
Contribution L. Hyder/Doug Andrews
Lock Building J. Prather/Chad Brown

Sunday Evening Services

Lead Singing Richard Menninger
Opening Prayer Lew Faulkner
Lord's Table Keith Jones
Closing Prayer John Mikeals

Wednesday Bible Class-Nov. 15

Lead Singing Michael Hartman II
Lead Prayer Charles Wright
Closing Prayer Rusty Locke

Greeters

Nov 12 – David and Sarah Myers
Nov 19 – Ron & Carol Rollins

Hand Out Friendship Bread

Nov 12 – Martha Polk
Nov 19 – Ila Jean Locke

Make Friendship Bread

Nov 12 – Marilyn French
Nov 19 – Ila Jean Locke

Toddler Training Class

Nov 12 –
Nov 19 – Judy Glenn

Communion

Nov – Joan Strickland/Peggy Murphy

Bulletin November – Pam Brown

Monthly Activities

Every Tuesday at 9am – TLC Tuesday Ladies Care - all ladies are invited and welcome to send cards to the sick and those needing encouragement.

Ladies' Night Out: The 3rd Thursday of the month; November place tbd.

Birthdays

November

Alma Young	1	Glynda Casteel	6
Eugenia Grove	6	Ryan Mikeals	8
Harold Kirby	10	Lexy McKay	17
Chuck Stambaugh	18	Chad Brown	22
Ron Rollins	23	Guy Grove	28
Patricia Webber	28		

Anniversaries

November

Larry & Janet Hyder	1
Cody & Shelbie Hileman	2
Keith & Tracy Jones	16

Weekly Record

The week of November 5, 2017

Budget 2017: \$6,312	Contribution: \$5962
Sunday Bible Class	95
Sunday AM Worship	138
Sunday PM Worship	86
Wednesday	116

Pantry

Items Needed:

Beef/Chicken broth, mashed potatoes, canned yams

We appreciate all your donations!

Wi-Fi Password for Auditorium: [Relevant7](#)

Sermons on church website: www.hischurch.faith