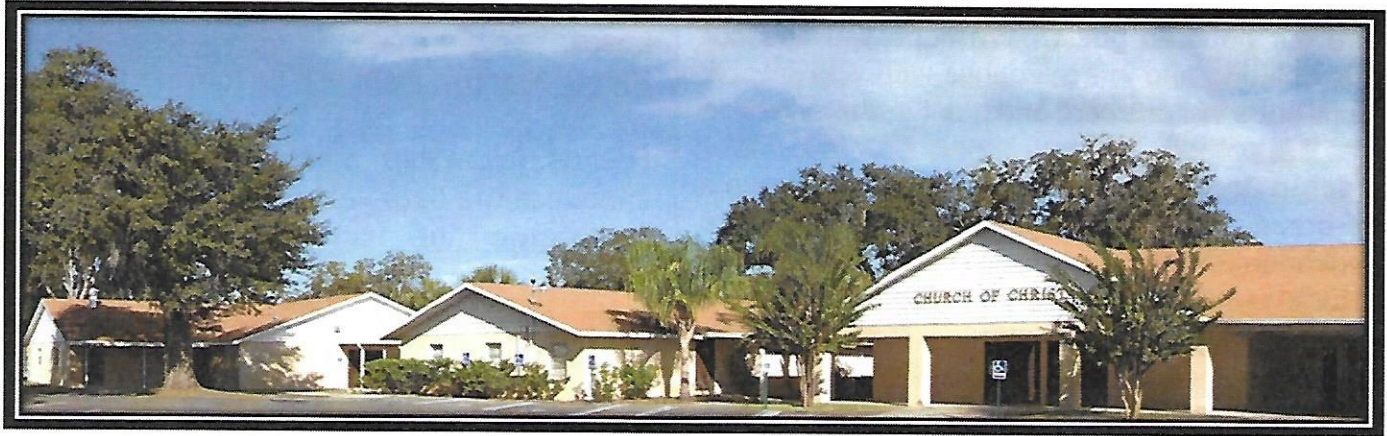


WILDWOOD CHURCH OF CHRIST



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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 6:30 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
Hope Children's Home - Guyana

Jesus,

Our Perfect Example of A Life of Prayer

Luke 11:1-4

Now it came to pass, as He was praying in a certain place, when He ceased, that one of His disciples said to Him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples." **2** So He said to them, "When you pray, say: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done On earth as it is in heaven. **3** Give us day by day our daily bread. **4** And forgive us our sins, For we also forgive everyone who is indebted to us. And do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one."

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 as it is passed.

Friendship Bread: All visitors are invited to take a loaf of 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 for a receiver.

A **Nursery** is available for your convenience for our nursing mothers and mothers tending to their children. It is located in the foyer.

There is a **Nursery Class** for toddlers, ages 1-4. An attendant will meet you in the foyer immediately following the Lord's Supper and contribution.

Church Family News

Thank You! We want to thank everyone for the beautiful Christmas card and note and the gift of money that the congregation gave us. We love all y'all so much and we are very blessed and thankful that we have a wonderful church family as Wildwood to share our lives with. Love David and Sarah

Thank You! Meagan, Kabri and I would like to thank the congregation for your generous gift for Christmas. Since we have arrived, the outpouring of love and support has been overwhelming. We are fortunate to be a part of such a wonderful church family! Our prayers are with you all! God bless and thank you so much!

Christmas Food Boxes will be put together and delivered on **Tuesday, December 17th**. **Thank you so much for all your generosity...We have plenty of money to buy the hams or turkeys!** Just this week the school let Sarah know that they do not have any names of families for food boxes because the Wildwood Chamber of Commerce is taking care of all the needy families this Christmas! This is awesome, but now we need names of families that we can help. Please give David or Sarah names and addresses if you know of someone that could use a Christmas Food Box.

Reception honoring Brother James Moore of the Mount Dora Christian Academy and Children's Home. He is retiring after 30 years of service. It is

a come and go reception on Sunday, January 12, 2020 from 1:00-4:00pm at Lake Receptions in Mount Dora. The information is on the bulletin board.

Sister Martha Polk will be moving in January and we are going to have a congregational Welcome Friends fellowship meal in her honor. We will announce the date next week.

****Change of schedule for Wednesday services:** We will meet **December 24th** (not the 25th) at 6:30 for our midweek service and **December 31st** (not Jan.1st) at 6:30 the next week.

Prayer List

Sister Ila Jean Locke had a stroke this past Tuesday and she has been in the Villages hospital. She is at home now.

Sister Peggy Murphy was taken to Shands and admitted late Thursday night. They are running many tests and hopefully the doctors will be able to find some answers for her health issues.

Esther Adcock has left to go to Georgia to stay with her son for a while, then she will be going up north to stay with her sister. She will be gone until April.

Cliff Rushmore, Louis Rushmore's father who is 88 years old, had surgery this past week in Pennsylvania and he remains hospitalized.

Remember

Cody Glenn, Ron Rollins, Marlin Kilpatrick, Ken Scott, Bill & Jane Howell, Tammy Farner, Don & Joyce Albert, Linda Grove, Cheryl Botts, Dorothea Woods, Dale Jones, Patricia Webber, Esther Adcock, Ricky Baker & family, The Stone family, Jim & Sue Allison, Kevin Freeman, Lois Babbitt, Cliff Rushmore, Molly Holly, Shirley Osgood, Helen Barton, John Ward, Lewis Jarvis, Bill Adkins, Donna Rogers, Amy Perkins, Monroe Haltaman, Levi Cook

Remember our **Missionaries** at home and abroad, our **Law Enforcement**, **First Responders** and the **Military**, especially those deployed. They all continually need our support and prayers.

Our Military

Rebecca Baldwin-Army	Derek Brothers - Reserves
Ryan Sigler - Army	Chance Strickland - Navy
Adam Duff - Army	Devin Brothers - Air Force
Kevin Sigler - Army	Steven McKay - Air Force

Our Law Enforcement

Sam Blankenship	Aaron Myers
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The Theology of Prayer

Title: The Necessity of Prayer – part 2

Text: Luke 11:1-4, 9-10; Acts 1:21,24

In part 1 of the "Necessity of Prayer", it is connected to **devotion**, **determination** and two other aspects that we will study today.

III. The Necessity of Prayer: **Doctrine**

A. Jesus is our perfect example of living the doctrine of prayer.

1. Matthew 14:23; Mark 1:35; 6:46; 14:32,35

Luke 5:16; 6:12; 9:28; see Luke 11:1

2. Jesus gave the disciples a short model prayer – Luke 11:2-4

a. **Gratitude** about the holiness of His name (vs.2)

b. **Righteous** life to live – vs.2

c. **Provision** of life – vs.3

d. **Forgiveness** of sins – vs.4

e. **Protection** from the evil one – vs.4

f. see Luke 11:5-13; John 14:13-14;

15:7,16; Matthew 21:22; James 1:5-7;

1John 3:22; 5:14-15

B. The spirit (attitude) a believer must have when they pray: James 4:10 Luke 18:9-14

IV. The Necessity of Prayer: **Deity**

A. Prayer in relation to Deity

1. "To whom shall we pray?" Can a believer pray to God, and the Son of God in the same prayer?

2. This being a highly debated topic among Christians, consider the following passages:

a. John 16:23-24; John 14:13-14

b. Acts 1:6, 21, 24

B. So this brings us back to the question: Can Christians solicit Christ, ask for help, when they pray?

1. Acts 1:24 (see 1:2), 26. Did the Lord Jesus answer their prayer? vs.26

2. see John 10:30; 8:58; Exodus 3:14; John 20:28

Conclusion: Whatever you conclude, based on the above passages, it is essential that we all agree that we believe our request will land at the feet of Him who sits on His throne, and the Godhead cares for us. **1Peter 3:10-12**

YOUTH CORNER

There have been so many that have volunteered to help with our youth over the past several months. It is a blessing and very much appreciated. As we get ready to close out this year, I hope you will continue to support our youth and the works of the congregation here at Wildwood!

Last Sunday, I made an announcement about our upcoming mission trip to Jamaica this summer. I have asked the young people that are going with us to get a portion of their support. You may receive a letter or be asked directly for help. If you want to contribute to this good work, you can give the money to Brother Larry of myself. A deposit is due on January 19. Please consider giving to help make this trip a success for everyone!

Our retreat date is quickly approaching. I hope everyone of our youth group will plan on attending. We need some chaperones to volunteer to help! If you would be available January 31- February 2, please let me know.

We are making plans for youth events for the next year. If you have an event or would like to host something special, please let me know!!

DECEMBER 15

TODAY

Lads to Leaders / Leaderettes work day. This will be the time to work on all pre-convention events. Be at the building at 4:30 pm.

January 31-February 2

Retreat at CFBC. Mark this date on your calendar!!

Privileged to Serve

Contact Elder: Bob Grove
Announcements: Charles Wright

Sunday, December 15, 2019

Bible Study

Lead Singing Doug Andrews
Lead Prayer Sam Costa

Worship

Lead Singing Mike Whisenant
Opening Prayer John Workman
Lord's Table Bob Grove/Larry Hyder
Jim Routzhan/Ronnie Strickland
Closing Prayer Lynn Martin
Contribution Larry Hyder/Jamie McCartney
Lock Building Joel Prather/David Myers
Security Howard Alls

Sunday Evening Services

Lead Singing Mike Whisenant
Opening Prayer Jimmy Glenn
Lord's Table Wayne Crenshaw
Closing Prayer Dwain Locke, Jr.

Wednesday Bible Class – December 18

Lead Singing Bob Grove
Opening Prayer Ron Rollins
Closing Prayer Joel Prather

Greeters

Dec 15 – Reida Glenn/Tina Glenn
22 – Sam & Mary Costa
29 – Wayne & June Crenshaw

Make Friendship Bread

Dec 15 – Martha Polk
22 – Kelley Whited
29 – Barbara Barden

Hand Out Friendship Bread

Dec 15 – Martha Polk
22 – Alma Young
29 – Irma Bottorff

Toddler Training Class

Dec 15 – Destiny Whited
22 – Britny Jones
29 – Sydni Fort

Communion

December – Joan Strickland/Peggy Murphy

Monthly Activities

Every Tuesday at 9am – TLC: Tuesday Ladies Care group - join us for a time of devotional and prayer then send cards to the sick and those needing encouragement.

Birthdays

December

Flossie Sands	4	Wayne Crenshaw	5
Whitley Strickland	7	Emmett Williams	7
Sydni Fort	8	Tina Glenn	8
Kelsey Mikeals	8	Easton Williams	8
Raygen Fort	12	Fred French	15
Kristen Williams	21	Larry Hyder	22
Hattie Byers	23		

Anniversaries

December

Wayne & June Crenshaw	15
Dale & Linda Jones	20
Steve & Lois Hutsenpiller	20
Basile & Libbie Summers	21
Bill & Jane Howell	28
George & Alicia Barrett	30
Charles & Mary Jane Wright	31
Robert & Harriet Yeager	31

Please let David or Sarah Myers know if your birthday or anniversary is left off or incorrect.

Weekly Record

The week of December 8, 2019
Budget 2019: \$5930 Contribution: \$7296

Sunday Bible Class	107
Sunday AM Worship	158
Sunday PM Worship	85
Wednesday	102

Pantry

Christmas Food Boxes

Items Needed:

Jiffy Corn Muffin Mix	Peaches
Creamy Peanut Butter	Grape Jelly/Jam
Green Beans	Sweet Potatoes
Instant Mashed Potatoes	Corn

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Sermons on church website: (www.hischurch.faith)