

Wildwood Church of Christ

114 Cleveland Ave. Wildwood, FL. 34785

church website: www.hischurch.faith wifi password: John3:16

Sunday: Bible Class – 9:30a.m. Worship – 10:30a.m. Wednesday Bible Class – 6:30p.m.

TLC(Tuesday Ladies Care) – Every Tuesday 9:30a.m. in Fellowship Hall

2024 Theme: “Going Forward, Growing Deeper, Getting Closer”

February 18, 2024

Song #801 How Beautiful Heaven Must Be

Song #835 When He Comes In Glory By And By

Song #887 Kneel At The Cross

Sermon: God’s Plan – Authentic Love

Prayer – Brian Burkert

Song #977 Why Do You Wait

Pass Communion

Song # Trust And Obey

Song #371 When We Meet In Sweet Communion

Closing Prayer – John Workman

Lord’s Supper – David Myers

Sam Blankenship Joe Marshall

Bob Farner Darrel Ponsford

Growing Deeper: Authentic Love

1Corinthians 13

7 Positive Characteristics of Love

#1 – Suffers long, vs.4 – Is so patient with people

#2 – Is kind, vs.4 – It spreads kindness

#3 – Rejoices in the truth, vs.6 – It is glad when truth prevails

#4 – Bears all things, vs.7 – It bears up under anything

#5 – Believes all things, vs.7 – It exercises faith in everything

#6 – Hopes all things, vs. 7 – It keeps up hope in everything

#7 – Endures all things, vs. 7 – It endures the sweat...strain...hardship...tears, sees it to the end

8 “Do Nots” Of Love

#1 – Envy not- vs.4 – It never boils with jealousy

#2 – Does not parade itself – vs.4 It never boasts

#3 – Is not puffed up – vs.4 – It is never puffed with pride (it is humble)

#4 – Does not behave rudely, vs.5 It is not rude...does not run rough shod over the feelings of others

#5 – Does not seek its own, vs.5 – Insists not upon its rights...does not demand

#6 – Is not easily provoked, vs.5 – It is not easily irritated...doesn’t go around looking for a fight

#7 – Thinks no evil, vs.5 – It keeps no account

#8 – Does not rejoice in iniquity, vs.6 – It is never glad when wrong is done

Now you know what you look like to God and others

PRAYER LIST

~ Our hearts are saddened at the loss of our dear sister **Edra Nell Courtney** but we know Edra Nell is at rest and peace with the Lord. She passed away this past Thursday morning. Please keep Reese and the family in your prayers. We will let you know details of the memorial service as soon as plans are finalized.

~ **Basile Summers** continues to recover at home from his surgery.

~ **Fred French** continues to recover from his surgery. He tires easily but overall is doing well.

~ **Tina Lipps** is home but has not been feeling well and is still dealing with some health issues.

~ **Louis Rushmore** – mission trip in Guyana, South America

~ **Amanda George** is weak but is doing better and she is now living with Joan.

~ **Alex Bowers**, Jason & Candee Terry's nephew, was released from the hospital. He is still in need of at least one more surgery and many months of physical therapy.

~ **Cody Grissom** is well on his way to remission after some very aggressive treatments.

~ **Jason Terry's Dad, Tony Terry**, has a mass on his bladder and a spot on his kidney. He will be having surgery on Friday to hopefully remove the mass all in the one surgery.

Remember: Janet Hyder & family, Cut Barco, Pat Ponsford, Charles & Mary Jane Wright, Jack Kyle, Patricia Webber, Ken & Sherry Scott, Steve Hutsenpiller, family of Ricky Baker, family of Tara Strickland, John & Loraine da Silva, Lottie Colton, Ron & Carol Rollins, Shirley Threet, John & Leigh Workman, Jeanette Harris, Taylor Williams & family, Millie Tudor, Tina Lipps, & her mom Sharon, Jim & Sue Allison, Janet Jones, Teresa Broyles, Bill Cefaloni, Tim Sigler, Kathy Cefaloni, Peggy Baird, Kacey Terry, Cody Grissom, Sister Dorothy Colton, Al Alvarez, Fred Casteel, Guy Grove, Julie Welch, Mollie Holley, our search for an Associate/Family Minister.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

~ Our monthly **Pot-Luck Fellowship Meal is today**. We hope everyone will stay and have lunch with us. **We especially invite our visitors** to stay and eat with us so we can get to know you a little better. **Remember**, there are several who want to stay after lunch and play games together.

Everyone is invited to join in and enjoy more time together!

~ **Thank You:** there is a thank you note from Howard Alls on the bulletin board in the foyer. "To my church family, Thank you so much for your expressions of care, concern and prayers during my recent eye surgeries. Sarah and I are truly blessed to be a part of a spiritual family that truly cares and loves one another. Your brother, Howard"

~ **The 41st Annual Boyd Scholarship Dinner** is coming up quickly on **Friday, March 8th** at 5:45. There is a sign-up list in the foyer if you would like to go. We will carpool if we have enough interested. It is always a fun night to be together, hear a great speaker and have a "free" meal! Can't ask for more than that! Please see David for a free ticket to attend.

~ **Wildwood Church of Christ Ladies' Day – April 20th** - mark your calendar now! Ladies, please mark your calendar and set this special time aside so we can all be together for this event. Be inviting your friends and family. We will be sending invitations out soon to area congregations. More details to come.

~**Address Update:** Chris Young, 1320 Spartan Ave. Leesburg, FL 34748

Pantry Items Needed: Canned Beef Stew Creamy Peanut Butter Grape Jelly

February Birthdays: LoisAnne Freeman-4, Bob Grove-6, Keith Jones-6, Reese Meskil-7, Kevin Freeman-16, Lana Vernon-20, Jason Terry-20, Ken Wright-22, Sheila Wright-23, Joan Strickland-23, John Yarborough-23, Alice Keylor-24, Basile Summers-26, Weston Fort-27

February Anniversaries: John & Joyce Yarborough-11, Lana & Lee Vernon-27

Nursery Class: **Feb 18**–Britny Jones **Feb 25**–Cindy Pope **March 3**–Lexy McKay

Greeters: **Feb 18**–Martha Rushmore & Ila Jean Locke **Feb 25**–Dawn Binkley & Cheryl Botts **March 3**–Judy Glenn & Myrna Human

Communion Preparation: **February** – Judy Kyle & Martha Rushmore **March** – Tina Lipps

Security: **Feb 18 & 21** – Keith Jones **Feb 25 & 28** – Joe Marshall

Lock-Up: **February** – Keith Jones