

Wildwood Church of Christ

Theme for 2021

Step By Step: Grow With Jesus

March 28, 2021

Welcome & Announcements

Song #545 A Wonderful Savior
Song #504 It Is Well With My Soul
Prayer
Song #324 Hallelujah! What a Savior!
The Lord's Supper

Song #542 Faith Is The Victory
Song #543 Because He Lives
Sermon: The Resurrection! What A
Difference It Made
Song #What A Day That Will Be
Song #5 Step By Step

What A Difference A Day Makes

M. Norvel Young, in his book, Living Lights, Shining Stars, tells the story of Captain Scott O'Grady who experienced firsthand the profound impact of helping someone in need. When his F-16 was shot down over Bosnia in 1995, the U.S. Airforce captain ejected into the desert. He survived in hostile territory for six days and nights by eating insects and grass and drinking rainwater. Everyone thought he was dead, until Captain Thomas Hanford, a member of the search crew, heard him respond to his radio call sign, "Basher 52".

Scott said, "I felt goose bumps all over, electricity rushing through me. I wanted to laugh and scream and cry and jump for joy, everything short of an Irish jig. Hanford had been flying all night and was finished with his schedule. But he had extra gas and could stay out another ten to twenty minutes. He could have gone home. I'm really glad he didn't go home."

As a result of Captain Hanford's extra effort, Scott was picked up in a dramatic daylight rescue. And he came home with a new resolve to put more balance in his life: "to myself and to do as much as I could for others."

Make-a-Difference-Day is one of the ways Scott tries to help others, out of gratitude for the way he was helped. And we all need to realize what a difference a day may make in the lives of those with whom we come into contact. The Psalmist said in 118:24, "This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." One of the ways we can rejoice and be glad each day is by trying to make a difference with an act of kindness, a good deed.

One suggestion is to take some of the tracts we have available and distribute them to as many people and places we can. Leave one with your trip at the restaurant. Mail one with each household bill when you pay it. Leave some on the tables in waiting rooms of doctors, dentists, attorneys, and other professionals when you are in their offices.

We may never know what impact they might have. That simple act may make a significant difference in the life of another person. Try it! Remember, "doing what is right makes a nation great" (Proverbs 14:34).

~Allan Eldridge

Prayer List

After having tests done, the doctor told **John DaSilva** that he is now cancer free! We thank and praise God for this wonderful news!

We also praise God for **Joan Strickland's** recovery after her surgery and it was great to see her back at worship service with us!

Continue to pray for **Angela Babenko** who came forward March 14th to be restored and to place membership. She stated that she has not been attending worship service for the last year and she wants to return, to worship God with God's people. Her address is: 620 Lee Street, Wildwood, FL 34785 Cell ph.# (810) 775-7378. Let us all get to know Angela and welcome her into the family at Wildwood.

Jeanette Harris is having chemo treatments. **Scott**, her son is having serious health issues as well. **Fred Casteel** is doing some better after having his surgery to remove his cancer. He starts radiation and chemo on April 9th.

Martha Haltaman, Sarah's sister is doing well, recovering from surgery on her broken arm and wrist. Her address is: 286 East Broad Street, Camilla, GA 31730 if you would like to send a card.

Remember: Alicia Barrett; Dale Jones; Linda Grove; Pat Ponsford; Marlin Kilpatrick; Charlotte Martin; Martha Pope; Millie Tudor; Joyce Freeman; Ken Scott; Leigh Workman; Richard Menninger; Joyce Albert; Larry Hyder; Lew Faulkner; Teresa Broyle; Levi Cook; David Deason; Fred Casteel

Announcements

~ The **Easter Egg Hunt** is TODAY for ages 5th grade and under. It will start after morning service, with lunch being provided and will end around 2:00p.m. Parents are welcome to stay.

~ **Ladies Day, May 8th** at the Sanford Church of Christ. The sign-up list is on the table in the foyer. Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided. More details are on the bulletin board.

~ **Change for Children** – there are still a few cans left in the foyer if you would like to take one home and fill it up to turn in the first part of May. You can put change, bills or even a check in your can!

Pantry Items

Cereal and Instant Oatmeal

March Birthdays

Marlin Kilpatrick-1; Don Tudor-2; Judy Glenn-3; Travis Pickron-3; Olivia Dunn-8; Lynn Martin-8; Mikayla Watts-8; Nancy Menninger-11; John Stone-12; Carol Rollins-13; Britny Jones-16; Macey Watts-16; Richard Menninger-18; Janice Hallmark-19; Janet Hyder-19; Ernie Wise-20; Cody Hileman-20; Marilyn French-21; Shirley Threet-23; Don Young-24; Lori Cook-25; Wayne Freeman-28; Beth Hicks-30

March Anniversaries

Joel & Joyce Prather-21; John & Leigh Workman-22

April Birthdays

Michael Hartman-5; Sarah Myers-5; Joyce Yarborough-5; Mary Wise-8; Charity Stambaugh-8; Lorain DaSilva-9

April Anniversaries

Lynn & Charlotte Martin-4; Lew & Dorcas Faulkner-9; Sam & Mary Costa-12



*They waited for Me as for showers and drank in My words
as the spring rain.*

Job 29:23

