THE FAMILY CONNECTION

Romans 15:7 September 5, 2021



If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guests. We are very happy you chose to worship with us this Lord's day. We hope your spirits are encouraged and you find us to be a friendly congregation who love God, His Word, each other, and YOU.

We hope that you will visit again soon!

Missions Ministry

God, in His wisdom, saw fit from eternity to establish His church (Ephesians 3:10–11). The church is God's continuing plan for man's salvation and is the place of the saved on earth. It is the hand through which God propagates His message today, we call this evangelism. As the church, we have the sole responsibility to ensure that God's work gets done. The primary work of the church is to save souls and to preach the gospel to the lost (Acts 16:10).

Our Missions Ministry is responsible for the oversight of evangelism and provides financial and spiritual support to missionaries here in Naples, throughout Florida, and the United States.

The Naples Church of Christ also supports:

- Il evangelists in Ghana, West Africa.
- ♦ Two Hispanic Ministries both in Naples and Coral Gables, Florida.
- ♦ Mount Dora Children's Home which was founded in 1945 and has served as a Christcentered haven for children and families who find themselves in need. This is a place where children are loved because every child is a gift from God, made in His image, and deserving of a good start in life.
- ◆ Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort immediately responds to any major disaster in the continental United States. They send truckloads of emergency food, personal hygiene, infant care, water, cleaning supplies, and pallets of additional basic needs, to be distributed to the disaster victims. Every food box, hygiene box, infant care box sent are exactly alike. Donations allow them to purchase needed supplies in large volume, at extreme discounts. More information can be found on their website: http://disasterreliefeffort.org/. If you shop on Amazon, you can direct a donation to be made to the charitable organization Churches of Christ Disaster Relief through

Please reach out to Tom Wriggins, Deacon for Missions if you have a desire to become more involved in any of these missions. Cell: 207-542-5432 Email twriggins@gmail.com

PRAYER LIST* MEMBERS

- Claude Haynes
- Margie Rhodes
- Bonnie Stephens
- Maria Reategui
- Maggie Rodriguez
- Elvis Durity
- Marjorie Connor
- Lew Parks
- Frieda Rodgers
- Doug Fee
- Carla Sledge
- Donna Strong
- Lee & Linda Sutton
- Di Menoher
- Ron Restivo
- Jeff Blake
- Werntz Family
- Glenn Macon

NURSING HOME / SHUT-INS

- June McCauley
- Wayne & Bonnie Bucy

FAMILY & FRIENDS

- Martha France
- Jon Sauer Lexi Carr
- Kasey Dudley Tania Gadbury
- Laurie & Danny Osborne
- Maddie Whitlock
- Joe & Marie Lennon's son
- Mary Ryder Lynn Greer
- Linda Sutton grandson Matt & great granddaughter Jordan
- John Wallace's sister, Beth
- George Ballard Marsha Hampton
- Marco Moros Bob Stafford
- Hussey Family Sally Abbott
- Judy Sauer's g-daughter, Meaghan
- John Werntz
- Robert Champion Michael Presto
- Larry Brown
- Brooke Ruppel Laubel Perez
- Ao Hotchkiss
- Carla Sledge's niece, Audricka
- Carla Sledge's nephew
- Danny Billingsby
- Donia Ciabuca Adrian Ivanov

MILITARY

Christopher Lemay Lee Strong Darrell Martin Casandra Prokop

Order of Worship

September 5, 2021

Welcome: Terry Billingsby

Call to Worship: Dennis Coleman

Song #96 "I Stand in Awe" Song #97 "I Sing Praises" Song #779 "I Love You Lord"

Prayer: Scott Otey

Screen "Only a Holy God"

Song #313 "The Old Rugged Cross" verses 1, 2 & 3

Communion

Leader: Scott Holden

Mark 14:22-25

Deuteronomy 8:18

Song before the Message

Children are invited to go to the worship class during this song*

Screen "Shout Hallelujah"

Song #648 "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

Message: Tim Neal

Invitation:

Song #948 "I Am Resolved" Verses 1 & 4

Closing Prayer: Terry Billingsby

Song #103 "He Has Made Me Glad"

Parents please pick up your child from class

*Children's Worship Class - 3 years of age to 2nd grade - Classroom A8

We will continue to observe Communion every week. Due to the current health concerns, the communion bread has been placed into individual serving cups. Gluten Free communion has been placed within the very center ring of each tray.

Future Events

Every Sunday: Live Stream Worship - 9:00 AM
Every Sunday: Live Stream Bible Study - 5:30 P.M.
Every Tuesday: Men's Prayer Meeting - 6:30 A.M.

Every Tuesday: Girls' Devo - Cancelled until everyone is healthy

Every Wednesday: Wednesday night Bible Classes - 6:30 P.M.

Sept 3rd - 5th: SonQuest Youth Rally
Sept 5th: Smile Boxes are due back
Oct 23rd: Save the Date - Ladies Event

Oct 29th: Trunk-R-Treat

GIVING & ATTENDANCE WEEK ENDED Aug 29th

Weekly Actual \$ 7,931 Weekly Budget \$7,000 Weekly Variance 931 4 Week Average Variance \$ 659 Sunday Worship: Attendance in Building 90 Attendance via views online: 205 Sunday Morning Study: Attendance in Building 40 Attendance via views online: 126 Sunday Evening: Attendance in Building 20

PRAYER SECTION

Attendance via views online:

Attendance in Building/ Teens

Attendance online:

 Claude Haynes, June McCauley, Elvis Durity, & Scott Blake continue to have health challenges.

Wednesday:

- Pray for the families affected by COVID-19. This time has taken its toll on everyone physically, financially, emotionally, and spiritually.
- John Wallace left this week for his mission trip to Ghana. He will send updates when he can.
- A few families are traveling home today from SonQuest.
- Kathy DiNiro will have surgery on September 7th.
- Paul France reports that Martha has covid. She is in the ICU on a ventilator to help clear up a bacterial infection and inflammation. Cards may be sent to: 1522 Sir Henry's Trail, Lakeland, 33809. Paul sends his thankfulness for the prayers.
- Bonnie Stephens called to say that she misses everyone & can't wait until she can worship in person again.

Bible Study Times & Locations

Sunday morning classes:

Adults will gather in the Auditorium for a class with Tim Neal. 3-5 year old's will meet in Classroom #2 - teacher Pam Macon $K-2^{nd}$ grades will meet in Classroom #7 - teacher Susan Meulenburg $3rd-5^{th}$ grades will meet in Classroom A-11 - teacher Kristin Cipolla Middle School and High School meet out in the Grey House with Zak and Jordyn Dempsey

Sunday night:- Auditorium - Tim Neal - 5:30 PM

Wednesday night:

140

50

Adults / Youth - Main Auditorium - 6:30PM

Teens - Grev House - 6:30PM

Our virtual options via Facebook & YouTube, @ the times listed above. We hope you will join us in one of these Bible study opportunities.

Directory Update

Glenn & Pam Macon have a new email address. Please update your directory and email lists. Macongp81@gmail.com. They are no longer using their Embarqmail email addresses.

Smile Boxes

Our annual Smile Boxes for Christmas drive is completed! Today is the last day to give your donation to Terry or Pam Billingsby.

Angels Rejoiced!

After study on Wednesday night we witnessed as Joann King was baptized into Christ. Joann has been studying with her neighbors, Dennis and Amanda Coleman. Cards may be sent to: 4380 27th Ct SW Apt 212, Naples, 34116.

Volunteers Needed

We need to re-build our list of men who will volunteer during our worship service. If you are available to say a prayer, serve communion or lead communion, please let Marvin Donis know today in person, via email at: marvin.coc70@gmail.comn or (941) 204-5197. If you know you will not be available during the next month when scheduled, please let Marvin or Alan Glazier (239-273-2794)know ASAP.

Ladies Class Book

The Wednesday night ladies class will be discussing the book: Trustworthy. If you would like to lead one of the discussions, please let Carla Sledge know. Books (\$18 each) are available from Diane Otey.

Birthday's & Anniversaries

5 - Mikaela West 12 - Judy Sauer 12 - Carolyn Estes 7 - Christy Duirty 8 - Cameron Rimmer 12 - Miji Neal 9 - Glenn Macon

15 - Brandon & Mikaela West

9 - Joe Lennon 16 - Susan Shelly 10 - Symi Neal 17 - Della Flagg

SHEPHERDS

Terry Billingsby:423-943-8999Barry Brown:239-777-7248Ben Gyimah:239-449-6339Scott Otey:239-253-9640Hugh Travis:239-450-1445

STAFF

Tim Neal: Lead Minister Zak Dempsey: Youth Minister Kathleen Brown: Office Admin

DEACONS

Adult Education Jeff Blake: Marvin Donis: Worship Roberto Escobar, Jr.: Daycare Cmte. Alan Glazier: Worship Glenn Macon: Youth Education Building & Grounds Larry Menoher: Drew Meulenberg: Finance Benevolence Marc Rimmer: Missions Tom Wriggins:

MINISTRY LEADERS

Dennis Coleman: Building & Grounds Haris Domond: Social Media &

Advertising

Givelify

George Fetzer: Security
Scott Holden: Visitation
David Wakeland: Involvement

Online Giving:

LIVINGSTON ACADEMY

Becky Harty Director

USA MISSIONS

Roberto Escobar, Sr. [Naples] Christian Home & Bible School Mauricio Yegros [Coral Springs]

GHANA MISSIONARIES

Emanuel, Peter, Gideon, Mark, Amos, Anthony, James, Valentine, Evans, Jacob, Prosper

WORSHIP SERVICES

Streaming begins 2 minutes before the times that are listed below

SUNDAY

Worship - 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Bible Classes - 10:15 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. Hispanic Service - 1:00 PM Evening Study - 5:30 PM

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes - 6:30 -7:30 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS

M, W, F - 10A.M. - 5:00 PM



MISSION STATEMENT

To Glorify God By:

Leading people to know God through Jesus Christ.

Equipping members for ministry and spiritual service.

Assisting members to grow in love, holy living and fellowship with the community of Christ.

Declaring God in spiritual and truthful worship.

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SERVICE SCHEDULE

Sept 5th

Welcome: Terry Billingsby
Song Leader Dennis Coleman
Preaching: Tim Neal
Opening Prayer Scott Otey

Communion:

Leader Scott Holden

Servers & Ushers:

Marc Rimmer, Cameron Rimmer Marvin Donis, Bill Strong

Closing Prayer: Terry Billingsby Computer: David Wakeland

Sound:

Media: Zak Dempsey

Next Week

Welcome: Scott Otey
Song Leader Dennis Coleman
Preaching: Tim Neal
Opening Prayer
Communion:

Leader Hugh Travis

Servers & Ushers:

Roberto Escobar, Jr., Symi Neal Jeff Blake, Marvin Donis

Closing Prayer: Dennis Coleman
Computer: Cameron Rimmer
Sound: Kathleen Brown
Media: Zak Dempsey
Communion Prep: Pam Billingsby
Please meet in Classroom #11 10
minutes before services begin. If
you are unable to serve, please call:
Alan Glazier or Marvin Donis
[Worship], Kathleen Brown [Sound]