

# THE FAMILY CONNECTION

Romans 15:7

February 16, 2020

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# welcome!

## Think Before You Speak

I thought you might enjoy reading some actual answers from contestants who have appeared on the quiz show “Family Feud”:

- Name something a blind person might use – A sword
- Name a song with “moon” in the title – Blue suede moon
- Name an item of clothing worn by the 3 Musketeers – A horse
- Name something that floats – Water
- Name something you wear on the beach – A deck chair
- Name something red – My cardigan
- Name a famous cowboy – Buck Rodgers
- Name a famous royal – Mail
- Name a number you have to memorize – 7
- Name something you do before going to bed – Sleep
- Name something you put on walls – Roofs
- Name something in the garden that’s green – Shed
- Name something that flies that doesn’t have an engine – A bicycle with wings
- Name something you might be allergic to – Skiing
- Name a famous bridge – The bridge over troubled waters
- Name an animal you might see at the zoo – A dog
- Name a sign of the zodiac – April
- Name a nonliving object with legs – Plant
- Name a domestic animal – Leopard
- Name a part of the body that begins with ‘N’ – Knee
- Name a dangerous race – The Arabs
- Name a way of cooking fish – Cod

The answers sound ridiculous, but you know what the problem is. It’s the pressure of the moment, trying to be the first one to blurt out an answer. And so, sometimes the mouth begins to speak before the brain has had time to completely process the question and the answer.

When you speak without taking time to think, the things that come out of your mouth can be pretty funny. They can also be quite damaging. That’s why James warned us:

“So then, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath.” (James 1:19)

Just a reminder to pause for a moment before you speak today. You just might save yourself some embarrassment.

Have a great day!

## PRAYER LIST\*

### MEMBERS

- Margie Rhodes
- Debbie Kendall
- Drew Meulenberg
- Bill Harty
- Judy Ressallat
- Bonnie Thompson
- Terry Shaw
- Bonnie Stephens     Maria Reategui
- Maggie Rodriguez     Elvis Durity
- Asbill Family     Marjorie Connor
- David & Della Flagg
- Blake Family     Travis Family
- Carla Sledge
- JC Perez's mom, Wilda
- Larry & Di Menoher
- Frieda Rodgers
- Lee Sutton
- Warren & Brenda Werntz

### NURSING HOME / SHUT-INS

- Delbert Mick
- June McCauley
- Mildred Freeland
- Lyle Wheeler
- Dolly Blitch
- Wayne & Bonnie Bucy

### FAMILY & FRIENDS

- Jon Sauer
- Laurie & Danny Osborne
- Maddie Whitlock
- Darinda Paul     Elizabeth Cayce
- Joe Lennon's son
- Mary Ryder
- Jack Dehanas
- Linda Sutton grandson Matt & great granddaughter Jordan
- John Diniro
- Frances Wakeland
- Judy Ressallat's sister
- John Wallace's sister
- George Ballard
- Marsha Hampton
- John David
- Bob Stafford
- Judy Sauer's granddaughter, Magen
- Christina Soriero

### MILITARY

Christopher Lemay     Darrell Martin  
Casandra Prokop     Lee Strong

## Order of Worship

February 16, 2020

<b>Call to Worship:</b> <i>Medley</i>	<b>Joe Lennon</b> "Hallelujah, What a Savior" "Behold Our God"
<b>Welcome:</b> <i>Medley</i>	<b>Lyle Asbill</b> "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" "Great Are You Lord" "I Sing Praises"
<b>Prayer:</b> <i>Screen</i>	<b>Willie Sledge</b> "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross"
<b>Communion</b>	
<b>Leader:</b>	<b>Lyle Asbill</b>
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	<b>Mark 14:22-25</b>
<b>Offering</b> <i>Screen</i>	<b>1 Corinthians 16:1-2</b> "Build My Life" "Humble Yourself"
<b>Bible Reading:</b>	<b>Talor Kelley - James 4:7-10</b>
<b>Message:</b>	<b>Lyle Asbill</b>
<b>Invitation:</b> <i>Screen</i>	"Nearer Still Nearer"
<b>Song As We Enter the Mission Field:</b> <i>Screen</i>	"I Am Resolved"
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	<b>Charlie McCauley</b>

Gluten Free communion is available in a separate tray that has been placed in each communion tray.

## Future Events

<b>February 19th:</b>	Ladies class - "Everything You Need"
<b>February 21 - 22:</b>	Mental Health Seminars Community Event
<b>February 26th:</b>	Youth @ Starbucks 6:30PM
<b>Feb 28 - Mar 1st:</b>	Family Camping Retreat
<b>March 4th:</b>	Rack-N-Stack after Bible study
<b>March 7th:</b>	Ladies Day
<b>March 15th:</b>	1/2 Rack-N-Stack after Bible study
<b>March 21st:</b>	Youth on Everglades Safari Trip 9AM
<b>Tuesday Men's Prayer Meeting:</b>	6:30AM @ building
<b>Jail Ministry:</b>	Feb 22nd - Scott Otey

**GIVING & ATTENDANCE**  
**WEEK ENDED Feb 9, 2020**

Weekly Actual	\$ 8,806
Weekly Budget	10,500
Weekly Variance	\$ <1,694>
4 Week Average Variance	\$ <1,205>

**Attendance**

Worship:	228
Bible Study Attendees:	108

**PRAYER UPDATES**

- Mildred Freeland, Lyle Wheeler, Darinda Paul, June McCauley, Elvis Durity, Bonnie Thompson, & Scott Blake continue to have health challenges.
- Keep our new elders and all those in leadership positions in your prayers.
- Keep Sheri & Emily Glazier in your prayers as they continue to be self quarantined.
- Pray for the family that we & Barron Collier Company employees have been helping. "I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase." 1 Cor 3:6 NKJV.

**Birthday's & Anniversaries**

- 18 - Adwoa Gyimah
- 18 - Elvis & Hazel Durity
- 19 - Maggie Rodriguez
- 20 - Mary Grace Macon
- 21 - Eleanor Paul
- 24 - Barbara Bryant
- 24 - Zak & Jordyn Dempsey
- 25 - Jorge & Margie Rhodes
- 27 - Gary Hampton
- March 3 - Dot Piper
- 4 - Drew Meulenberg
- 8 - Ron & Nan Restivo
- 11 - John Carroll
- 15 - Chelsea DiNiro
- 17 - Marsha Hampton
- 18 - Wendi Darragh
- 18 - Wayne & Bonnie Bucy
- 19 - Zoë Dempsey
- 20 - Terry Shaw

**Bible Classes This Week**

**Sunday Bible Classes:**

Auditorium - Ben Gyimah - "The Christian Atheist"  
 Classroom A8 - Joe Lennon - Song Class

**Youth classes include:**

Cradle Roll - Room #2A - Kim Osborne  
 Pre-School - K - Room#2 - TBD  
 1st - 3rd Grade - Room # 3/4- Susan Shelly  
 4th - 5th Grade - Room #1- Nora Vitiello & Susan Meulenberg  
 Middle School & High School -Room # 11- Zak & Jordyn Dempsey

**Wednesday Night:**

Auditorium - Lyle Asbill  
 Truth Talks / Singing - Classroom #11 - Zak & Jordyn Dempsey  
 Preschool class - Room #2 - Kim Osborne  
 Youth classes 1st - 5th Grade - Room #1 - Tiffany Mitchell

**Life Forming Groups**

Life Forming Groups are small group Bible studies that meet in homes. Everyone is welcome at any of the locations. Communion is available during each of the studies. Meeting hosts, times, locations, and topics (if known) for this week are:

David & Marcella Wakeland - 5PM - 1929 Imperial Golf Course Blvd.  
 Barry & Kathleen Brown - 6PM - 2610 White Blvd - the book of Acts  
 Phil & Cindy Osborne - 6PM - - Unshakeable

**New Elders**

Our elders are happy to announce that four men will be added to our eldership. As announced on Wednesday night during Bible study the four men are Terry Billingsby, Tim Osborne, Scott Otey and Hugh Travis. They are officially our new elders as of that night. Please keep all of our elders and their families in your prayers as they guide this congregation.

**Remember raisins for Ghana**

**Mental Health and the Church**

February 21st - 23rd, 2020 we are hosting a mental health seminar. Topics for the seminar include Behavioral Health / Healthy Aging with a focus on memory and cognition as well as stress and anxiety. Tough topics such as self imposed isolation, parenting, substance abuse, domestic violence, anger management will also be discussed. Then, we will conclude on Sunday morning with a lesson on "Hope".

**Table Hostesses**

Please sign up for Ladies Day, March 7th. If you haven't attended one before, you want to make sure that you don't miss this one. We have so much fun and it is always a wonderful day of encouragement and fellowship. If you haven't signed up to be a Table Hostess, please consider doing so. We need several more ladies that are willing to decorate a table.

**ELDERS**

Terry Billingsby 423-943-8999  
 Barry Brown: 239-777-7248  
 Ben Gyimah: 239-449-6339  
 Claude Haynes: 239-450-0715  
 Tim Osborne 239-293-3259  
 Scott Otey 239-253-9640  
 Hugh Travis 239-450-1445

**STAFF**

Lyle Asbill: Minister  
 Kathleen Brown: Office Admin  
 Zak Dempsey: Youth Minister

**DEACONS**

Jeff Blake Adult Education  
 Alan Glazier Worship  
 Glenn Macon Youth  
 Larry Menoher Building / Grounds  
 Drew Meulenberg Finance  
 Marc Rimmer Benevolence  
 Tom Wriggins Worship

**MINISTRY LEADERS**

Dennis Coleman Visitation  
 Haris Domond Social Media &  
 Advertising  
 George Fetzer Security  
 David Wakeland Involvement

**USA MISSIONS**

Roberto Escobar, Sr. [Naples]  
 Christian Home & Bible School

**LIVINGSTON ACADEMY**

Bailey Murrell Daycare Director

**GHANA MISSIONARIES**

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

**WORSHIP SERVICES****SUNDAY**

Bible Study— 9:00 A.M. - 9:45 A.M.  
 Worship— 10:00 A.M. - 11:15 A.M.  
 Spanish Worship— 1:00 P.M.  
 Life Forming Groups—6:00 P.M.  
 Meeting in various homes

**WEDNESDAY**

Bible Study —6:30 P.M.

**OFFICE HOURS**

Monday & Friday: 10A.M.—4P.M.  
 Wednesday: 11 A.M. —6:30 P.M.

**SERVICE SCHEDULE**

Today	Next Week
<b>Song Leader:</b>	
Joe Lennon	Joe Lennon
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	
Willie Sledge	Drew Meulenberg
<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	
Talor Kelley	Scott Holden
<b>Communion Leader</b>	
Lyle Asbill	David Wakeland
<b>Servers:</b>	
Easton Davis	Glenn Macon
Rick Taft	Scott Otey
Marc Rimmer	Tim Osborne
Bill Strong	Charlie McCauley
Garrett Macon	JC Perez
Logan Rimmer	Kevin Mak
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	
Charlie McCauley	Ben Gyimah
<b>Computer:</b>	
Scott Holden	Cameron Rimmer
<b>Sound Booth:</b>	
Zak Dempsey	Kathleen Brown
<b>Nursery:</b>	
Shelby Macon	Marcella Wakeland
<b>Greeter:</b>	
Brenda Martin	Kathy Diniro
<b>Ushers:</b>	
Glenn Macon	Garrett Macon
Wayne Neese	Tom Wriggins
<b>Visitor Center:</b>	
Lisa Hare	Mary Blake

**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.

Please meet in Classroom #11 10  
 minutes before services begin. If  
 you are unable to serve, please call:  
 Alan Glazier or Tom Wriggins  
 [Worship], Kathleen Brown  
 [Nursery, Sound Booth], Lyle Asbill  
 [Visitor, Usher, Greeter]

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