Summer of Victory—Part 10

# Victory In Jesus!

1 Corinthians 15

- "Victory In Jesus" "He sought me and bought me with His redeeming blood"
- In with the prospect of death, Christians can live in victory

#### I. God's Take on Life and Death

- A. In death, we do NOT cease to exist (Jn 3:16; Re 1:17-18)
- B. Jesus was raised from death! He unlocked eternal life for all who submit to Him for life (Jn 14:6)
- C. In baptism, we go though a sort of spiritual dry run test (Ro 6:3-5) "...baptism into death....raised from the dead"

#### II. Some Fear Death Because It Seems Final

- A. Because of Jesus, the grave has a "back door" (Re 20:13-15) ALL will face one of two eternities
- The rich man and Lazarus show the terrible reality for those who reject God's plan (Lk 16:19-31)

#### III. Some Believe Life Is All There Is

- A. Eternal life is promised for those in Jesus (Ro 6:23)
- B. Sin brings the WAGES of death, God brought the GIFT of eternal life (1 Jn 5:11-12)
- For those who question being raised from the dead, reading 1 Corinthians 15 will give encouragement

# IV. Importance of Jesus' Resurrection

- A. "dead will be raised imperishable" (1 Co 15:52)
- B. There is more! Jesus showed it can be done! (1 Co 15:1-8)
- C. We've all seen resurrection in nature (1 Co 15:36-38)
- D. Victorious living should be known by all children of God (1 Co 15:51-57)

Do You Know Victory In Jesus?



## SUNDAY- 9 AM ADULT CLASSES:

Fellowship Hall & Zoom:

"Study of Romans" - Grant Jackson
Auditorium & Streaming:

Randy Calloway

#### CHILDREN'S CLASSES:

Cradle Roll: 0-24 months (Rm 2)

Tiny Tots: 2- 4 years old (Rm 3)

K-1st (Rm 4)

2nd-3rd (Rm 5)

4th-5th (Rm 202)

6-12th (Rm 7): "Go" Statements" Kenneth Pinckley

#### **WEDNESDAY- 10 AM**

(Resumes in September)

<u>Ladies' Class</u> (Rm 7): Susan Klotz <u>Men's Class (Fellowship Hall)</u>:

#### **WEDNESDAY-7PM**

Adult Class (Fellowship Hall):

"Sermon on the Mount"

Mark Hammitt

Cradle Roll: 0-24 months (Rm 2)

2 yr old-5th Grd (Bible Hr Room) Stephen Charlebois

6-12 Grades (Rm 7): "Disconnected"- Kenneth Pinckley

# **Elders**

Randy Calloway
Grant Jackson
Mike Klotz

#### Ministers

Mark Hammitt (Pulpit) Kenneth Pinckley (Youth-WRYG) Stephen Charlebois (Families For Christ-FFC)

#### **Deacons**

Steven Bailey Jimmy Crowe Bruce Elam Justin Esslinger
Gary Hannah Daniel Honig Russell Hooten Manuel Mungia
Larry Sanchez

## **Missionaries**

Stephen Ankamah (Africa), Sainthuber Felix (Haiti), Will Hanstein (Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies, TN), Sylionor Houpette (Jamaica), Fernando Madrid (Colombia), John Moore (Bible Land Passages), Ilya Muzychenko (Russia), Beaubrun Origine (Haiti), Augustine Tawiah (Africa), World Bible Study

# **Preaching Students**

Raoul Ferris, Jerrod Hammond, Declan McCarn, Ty McClellen, Joshua Schutkowski, Jesse Stuart & BK York

# MEETING SCHEDULE

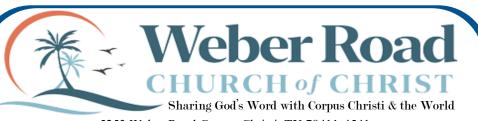
# Sunday

Wednesday

Bible Class – 9:00 AM Worship – 10:00 AM Bible Classes (See above)-7:00 PM



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# Sunday Special Edition

# The Heart of a Servant Kenneth Pinckley

"Lord, make me a servant, Lord, make me like you; You are a servant, make me one, too. Lord, make me a servant, do what You must do To make me a servant; make me like You." (Howard Publishing Co, 1993)

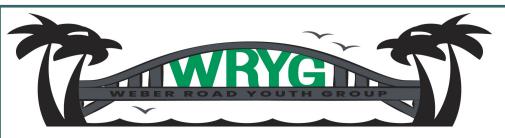
As we sing songs in church, do we reflect on the message or style of song? Do we focus on the enjoyment of singing or finding the right notes and tunes? This song is a beautiful prayer we offer up to God.

Are we becoming like Jesus? Paul writes to the Church in Corinth in 1 Corinthians 11:1 "Imitate me as I imitate Christ." Paul again writes in Ephesians 4: 13, challenging us to measure up to the fullness of Christ. I heard from a great Preacher years ago, that one of Jesus' missions was to give us an example to follow. He showed us how to live faithfully. He should us how to overcome sin. He showed us how to have a deep loving relationship with God. Yet, Jesus also showed us how to serve. In Matthew 20:28 and Mark 10:45, Jesus states that he came not to be served but to serve others. John 13:1-17, records Jesus washing of the Apostles feet. So the question is are we imitating Jesus in our service towards others? Can we truly sing the song above and mean the words that we sing? Are we asking God to mold us and shape us to be more like Jesus?

Let me begin by asking are you allowing God to work in your life? Have we given over the control? We need to step out of His way and allow Him to work. Secondly, are you willing to get out of the comfortable seat? Being a servant will, at times, be an uncomfortable experience. One beautiful passage about Jesus is found in Philippians 2: 1-11. In this passage Paul describes what Jesus gave up. Jesus gave up the splendor of Heaven. He no longer held onto his diety, but emptied Himself as a bondservant. Jesus as God is more important that anyone of us, but did not consider it something to hold dear. Being a servant for God means we need to lower ourselves and consider others more important.

Will you join me in asking God to make me a better servant?

August 15, 2021



# **YOUTH GROUP EVENTS [6th-12th grades]**

**BIBLE BOWL STUDY - August 15 [4:45 PM]** 

**Teachers:** Genesis 27-28 (questions 65-100)

**1st-2nd Grade**Keisha Joshlin

3rd-5th Grade:

MS-HS Boys

**NEED** Trey Fricks

TEENS EAT OUT - August 18 [8-9 PM]

We will head to the mall for dinner, unless it closes early.

GROUP 1 DEVO - August 29 [5-7 PM]



# **FAMILIES FOR CHRIST (FFC)**

POTLUCK DEVOTIONAL - AUGUST 21 [6-9 PM]
Menu TBD. Please see Stephen for details!

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION - AUGUST 22 [11 AM]
Part of the Church-wide potluck

FISH HATCHERY - AUGUST 28 [8 AM- 12 PM] Sign up deadline is August 22. See Stephen for details.

# This week's FFC quiz question:

In Acts 22, who did Paul say was his teacher?

Kids bring your sermon notes along with your answer to Mr. Kenneth for a prize.





# BLOOD DRIVE AUGUST 15 | 11 AM-2:30 PM

Appointments are recommended and walk-ins are welcome. Call the blood center at 361.855.4943 or go to their website at coastalbendbloodcenter.org

# Churchwide Potluck and Birthday Celebration August 22 | 11 AM

Everyone is invited for a potluck meal after Morning Services in our fellowship hall!

Visitors are our honored guests!



# Lightpost

Current Members may have received a welcome email from Lightpost to create a new password. Lightpost is an app we are using that will include our church directory, calendar, prayer request and several other features that we will implement in the coming months. If you are not interested in using the app, just disregard the email. If you did not receive the welcome email and would like to use the app or have questions, please contact Charlene Hooten at office@webercofc.com. Printed directories for current members have been mailed out to those who requested a copy.



## Daily Bible Reading Schedule

August 15-Romans 8:1-17; Psalms 34-36 August 16-Romans 8:18-39; Psalms 37-38 August 17-Romans 9; Psalms 39-43 August 18-Romans 10; Psalms 44-47 August 19-Romans 11:1-21; Psalms 48-51 August 20-Romans 11:22-36; Psalms 52-56 August 21-Romans 12; Psalms 57-61



#### **MEMBER PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please call or email the office if you have any prayer requests that need to be added or updated.

<u>Members</u>: Annie Mungia (recovering from surgery), LeRoy Reyes, Archie Archambault (health), Shelly Brady, YaYa Robison, John Rice, Bea Anderson (husband diagnosed with cancer), Lyonald & Pat Marston, Laura Johnson, Billy Brittain, Kathy Jimenez, Leroy Reyes

<u>Shut-ins</u>: Margie Brown, Ray Blomer, Fae Crowe, Ruth Dailey, Doris Halliburton, Virgil King, Helen Imogene Miller, Judy Morgan, Patsy Reed, Maria Sanchez, Deanie Taylor, Helen Wenger

**Sympathy**: Our Deepest Sympathy to the Dorothy Mosley Family. Long time member, Dorothy passed away last week. Visitation will be on Sunday, August 22nd at 6 PM at Memory Gardens Funeral Home and a graveside service on Monday, August 23rd at 10 AM.

Sympathy to Denise Hammitt & her family on the passing of her aunt, Daphne Lewis.

Friend & Family Prayer Requests: Adam (Bea Villarreal's nephew-hospital with COVID); Joseph (Payton Hammit's friend-hit by a car & in hospital); Bob Hammitt (recovering from surgery); Veronica Ramos (Charlene Bazzy's co-worker-COVID); Adam (requested prayers); Donna Whitehead (Sarah Otto's cousin & family-COVID); Kendall (Aric Blanchard's 13 yr old friend-cancer); James Albright & Family (Ruby Rodriguez's nephew-pneumonia); Elisa Deffendall Creacy Family (Larry Sanchez's former student & a Robstown teacher who passed away); Carla Hicks (Sarah Otto's friend-cancer); Wyatt Wittworth (Elizabeth Elam's brothercomplications after surgery); Delia Garcia & Family (Maggie Hinojosa's sister & her family-COVID); Kenya Armstrong (Ya Ya Robison's sister-waiting on a heart transplant); Selena Hinojosa (Maggie Hinojosa's daughter-in-law-high risk pregnancy); Jerry & Joycie Jefferson (Vanessa Joshlin's sister & brother-in-law (health); Debbie Babcock (previous member-recovering from surgery for malignant brain tumor); Jane (Jean Carpenter's sister-brain bleed, serious condition); Beth Adams (Sandra Montgomery's friend); Paul O'Rear (former Youth Minister at Weber Road-cancer); Amanda Rosales (Rosie Gonzales friend-cancer); Paul (James Lail's uncle-diagnosed with cancer); Terri Thomas's mother (recovering from heart surgery); David Anderson (Bea Anderson's husband-cancer); Otilia Rodriguez (Ruby Rodriguez's mother-in-law); Monique Gardvito (Bea Villarreal's family); Xzavier Delarosa & Family (Julia Lail's former student); Sharon Brooks (Bonnie Petty's friend); Seth (Gavin Blanchard's friend)

