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## TUESDAY

6:00 Pastor's Bible Study  
at the Church

The Community Group  
will not be meeting over the summer months.

## WEDNESDAY

6:30 Worship Team Practice  
6:30 Youth Group  
at Libby & Jon's Place  
1276 44th Ave., VB

## SATURDAY

8:00 AM - Ladies Reflective Walk  
Memorial Island

## SUNDAY

Informational Emmaus Meeting  
right after Service



*Faith*

Don and Dorla Randall  
Dave & Gloria Thomas  
Ken & Celeste Freeman  
Lynn Lindsey  
Kristi DeGroat  
Billie Brooks  
Jim Graves Family  
Pam Bjorkman

**Update:** Matt Napier's physician is very pleased with his progress and has released him and says that he can resume most of his normal activities, including driving.

There are also Unspoken Prayer Requests. While we do not know the circumstances, God does and already has them in the palm of His hand.

*Courage*

Thank you Lord for saving my soul



**The Attitude of Gratitude**  
**Seven Lepers #4: The Samaritan Leper**  
**Luke 17:11-19**

Where there is true faith, there are profoundly thankful hearts. In the passage of our attention this morning, we will see a miraculous healing of 10 lepers. Here's the thing, though: only one of them came back to thank Jesus.

Are we like the 9 or the 1? Are we prone to take for granted what God and people do for us? Or do we have an attitude of gratitude?

**Why Have An Attitude of Gratitude:**

1. **Jesus is always approachable (11-12)**
  - a. He never turned anyone away who sought him
  - b. He will never turn us away when we draw near to him (James 4:8; Hebrews 4:16)
2. **Jesus is always compassionate; especially in the midst of rejection (13)**
  - a. Hagar (Genesis 16:13)
  - b. The Ninevites (Jonah 4:2)
3. **Jesus always desires to make us whole (14a)**
  - a. Always spiritual (Isaiah 53:5)
  - b. Because he is Jehovah-Rapha (Exodus 15:2)

**How to Have an Attitude of Gratitude:**

1. **Never take for granted what Jesus has done for you (15-16)**
2. **Agree with Jesus that he works in you to produce activity for Him, not passivity (14b; 17-19)**

**Next Week: The Tale of Six Lepers #5**  
**The Samaritan Leper**

**Thank you Lord for making me whole**

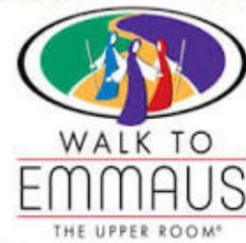


## New Member



Marilene Nichols

Marilene has been attending Genesis for a while now and decided today to make it her Church Home. We are happy to have her as a part of our Church Family. The next time you see Marilene, make sure you give her a warm Genesis welcome.



Dates for Next  
Walk to Emmaus  
Men - October 3-6  
Ladies - October 17-20

More Information:  
Call Art Alston - 407-973-4736 or  
Jim Sanderson - 720-323-9677

*Patience*  
Informational Meeting next  
Sunday immediately  
after the service




Here we are at the end of another summer with school beginning tomorrow. Libby, asked that all the students & teachers come forward as she prayed a special prayer for them. There were about 30 people that ventured forward - with approximately 25 being students from kindergarten age all the way through to those that will begin their last year of high school. It was exciting to see so many young people waiting to be prayed for. There are lots of possibilities as the teachers and students begin this school year, They have an opportunity to embark on a fresh new beginning. So as the summer fades and new adventures lie ahead, we thank the Lord for them and ask that he bless them in a special way this school year. We pray for all the students, teachers, support staff as well as the parents. Let's also pray for the families that home school and everyone involved in educating our children. Let's pray without ceasing (1 Thessalonians 5:17).



Thank you Lord for giving to me





Save the Date  
December 7, 2019  
Ladies Christmas Outreach Luncheon  
at the Church  
11:30 - 1:30  
More Information to Follow



One More Thing...

If we could see beyond today  
As God can see;  
If all the clouds should roll away,  
The shadows flee;  
O'er present grief we would not fret.  
Each sorrow we would soon forget,  
For many joys are waiting yet  
For you and me.  
If we could know beyond today  
As God doth know,  
Why dearest treasures pass away  
And tears must flow;  
And why the darkness leads to light,  
Why dreary paths will soon grow bright;  
Some day life's wrongs will be made right,  
Faith tells us so.  
"If we could see, if we could know,"  
We often say,  
But God in love a veil doth throw  
Across our way;  
We cannot see what lies before,  
And so we cling to Him the more,  
He leads us till this life is o'er;  
Trust and obey.  
Selected from Streams in the Desert  
Thy great salvation so rich and free