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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



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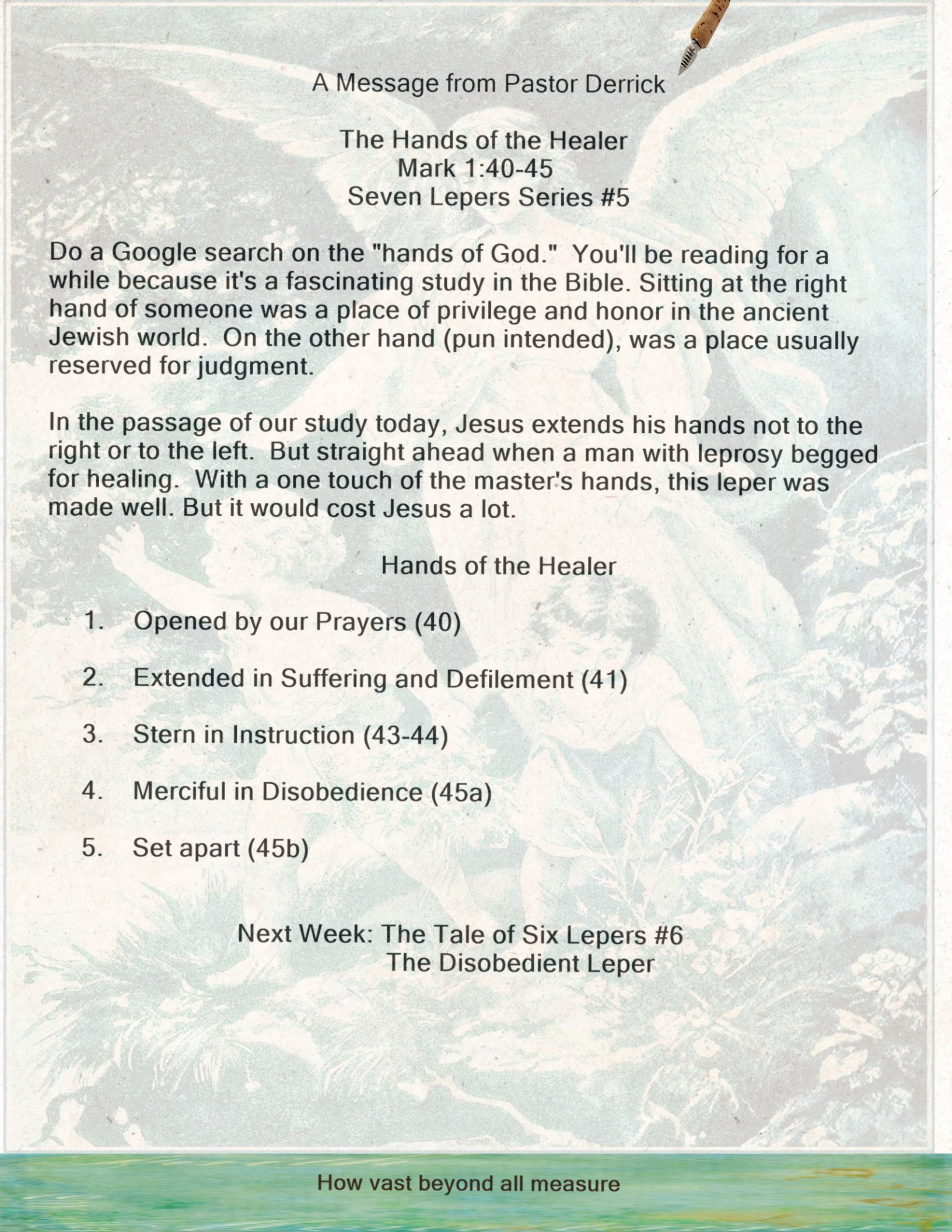
Lynn Lindsey - Lynn was at church today and continues to make progress. Her treatments are coming to an end - her faith and determination continues to be an inspiration to everyone,
Billie Brooks
Jim Graves Family
Pam Bjorkman
Ken & Celeste Freeman - Still Going Strong
3115 miles - 119 locks.

Special prayers for David & Gloria Thomas. They had a challenging week with David having to be hospitalized. He is doing better, but please continue to pray for continued progress.

Please Add: MaryJo Irvin's brother, Lonnie Paragon as he continues his chemo treatments & Pam Barker's mother, Charlotte Bradley as she heals from a fall.

Also for those of you who have been asking for Pam Bjorkman's address - it is as follows:
c/o Ernie Ladich, 3799 Doral Drive, Maryville, TN 37801

How deep the Father's love for us



A Message from Pastor Derrick

The Hands of the Healer
Mark 1:40-45
Seven Lepers Series #5

Do a Google search on the "hands of God." You'll be reading for a while because it's a fascinating study in the Bible. Sitting at the right hand of someone was a place of privilege and honor in the ancient Jewish world. On the other hand (pun intended), was a place usually reserved for judgment.

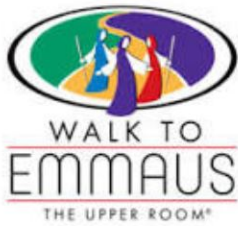
In the passage of our study today, Jesus extends his hands not to the right or to the left. But straight ahead when a man with leprosy begged for healing. With a one touch of the master's hands, this leper was made well. But it would cost Jesus a lot.

Hands of the Healer

1. Opened by our Prayers (40)
2. Extended in Suffering and Defilement (41)
3. Stern in Instruction (43-44)
4. Merciful in Disobedience (45a)
5. Set apart (45b)

Next Week: The Tale of Six Lepers #6
The Disobedient Leper

How vast beyond all measure



Dates for Next Walk to Emmaus

Men - October 3-6

Ladies - October 17-20

Call Art Alston - 407-973-4736

Jim Sanderson - 720-323-9677



We were happy to have Karen Gupton join the Genesis Church Family this morning. She is originally from Angleton, TX; but lived in Vero Beach several years ago. We are happy she decided to return.

When you see Karen, please give her the famous Genesis Church welcome.

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All boy

Congratulations Kevin & Kristi
Baby Gabe made his grand entrance on August 15th at 2:19 PM and weighing in at 7lbs 3 ozs and measuring 20 inches long. Kevin stated - "Baby & Mom are doing wonderful. We are over the moon and beyond thankful for our wonderful blessing from Heaven." Nana is overjoyed as well and still on "Cloud Nine" for an undetermined amount of time.

{ there is no one quite like you }

Save the Date

December 7, 2019

Ladies Christmas Outreach Luncheon
at the Church

11:30 - 1:30

More Information to Follow



MERRY CHRISTMAS



That He should give His only Son

One More Thing...

The Hymn That Invited Millions to Christ

Just as I am, without one plea
But that Thy blood was shed for me
And that Thou bids me come to Thee
O Lamb of God, I come! I come

How many times have you sat in church feeling the urge to surrender your life to Christ?

The pastor has shared a pivotal message and the Holy Spirit is tugging on your heart, compelling you to walk up front in response. But, you hesitate.

The aisle seems miles long and you chide yourself for not being good enough to come before the throne of God. Doubt and fear creep into your mind, making you feel unworthy. Even if you repent now, you know you'll fail later.

You've been told you don't have to be "better" before placing your hope in the Almighty; you simply have to come. Torn between the acceptance of God and man, your life depends on one decision: trust. Do you really believe God is who He says He is?

In 1835, Charlotte Elliott faced that timeless question.

After suffering from a serious illness that caused her to be disabled, Elliott felt purposeless and depressed while watching others constantly serve the kingdom of God. To combat those feelings, the British woman began to write out the reasons she trusted the Lord.

That list was the start of "Just As I Am," which would later become one of the most popular hymns of all time and the classic ending for altar calls at Billy Graham Crusades.

Maybe you, too, can be assured of God's promises by opening your heart to the lyrics of "Just As I Am."

Throughout the Bible, we see people who had an open invitation to follow God. Some of their journeys look different than ours: Moses kicked off his sandals as he encountered God through a burning bush, and Isaiah cried out from his uncleanness during a vision of God's throne. In both cases, we see the humility of sinful man before a holy God.

"Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool."

—Isaiah 1:18

As Elliott penned "Just As I Am," she recognized her flaws: illness, conflicts, doubts and fears. Even so, God loved and accepted her just as she was.

From Billy Graham's Summer Soul Refresher Series - TO BE CONTINUED...

To make a wretch His treasure