Westchester Reminder



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	Bible Classes	10:00 A.M.
SUNDAY	Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
	Evening Bible Study	6:30 P.M.
WEDNESDAY	Bible Class	7:30 P.M.

God's Plan for Man's Salvation

Sirs, what must I do to be saved? Acts 16:30

- 1) The Gospel MUST be **HEARD**: Romans 10:17 John 8:32
- 2) The Gospel MUST be **BELIEVED**: John 8:32 Mark 16:16
- 3) Sins MUST be **REPENTED**: Luke 13:3.5 Acts 2:38
- 4) Christ MUST be **CONFESSED**: Matthew 10:32-33 Romans 10:10
- 5) There MUST be **BAPTISM** (immersion) for the remission of sins:

Acts 2:38 1 Peter 3:21

6) There MUST be CHRISTIAN GROWTH, LOVE **FAITHFULNESS**

John 15:17 Revelation 2:10 2 Peter 3:18

Scripture Reading

Luke 12:22-26(ESV)

²² And he said to his disciples, "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat, nor about your body, what you will put on. ²³ For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing. ²⁴Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds! ²⁵ And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? [a] 26 If then you are not able to do as small a thing as that, why are you anxious about the rest?

PLEASE NOTE:

To join morning worship services from your computer, tablet or smartphone https://wcocwp.org and click on the LIVESTREAM link

OR VIA

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Sunday and Wednesday Night Bible Class Join Zoom Meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6013170289?pwd=RTZHRUNFRDJKSFF0SXYwbGp2UG16QT09

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The Walking Believers Meet 7:00pm-9pm every Friday:

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Call in using your phone: (646) 558-8656. Join Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 323 869 1879 Passcode: 994705

Westchester CoC News

WE DID IT: WE BROKE THE 100.000 MARK OF BIBLE MINUTES READ!

New Directory Contact Information for Diane Ghiloni

Diane Ghiloni has a new phone number. It's (914) 246-7746. Please update your directory. If you have a moment, give her a quick call and check in on her.

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We will now be using Zoom for Sunday night and Wednesday night Bible class. Please bookmark the following link:

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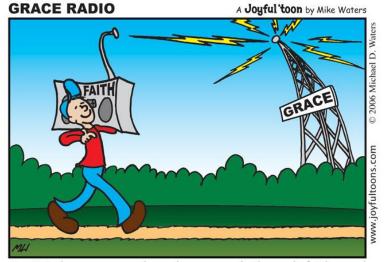
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Worship Protocols:

- Please do not come if you are feeling ill or display any symptoms of illness.
- NO HANDSHAKING, HUGGING OR CLOSE CONTACT WILL BE PRACTICED FOR NOW.
- We ask EVERYONE who attends to wear a mask and observe the social distancing rule. We'll have masks available for those in need of one.
- No standing during the worship assembly.
- Masks must remain on during the singing part of our service
- Your temperature will be checked upon entering the building.

- If you are in the vulnerable category with underlying health issues, please continue assembling weekly via the church website.
- Children are welcome to attend with their parents, but at present we are not offering Bible classes or Bible Hour. Your children must remain with you in the auditorium.
- Suggestion: after service, please do not linger and socialize in the foyer. Please go outside if the weather allows. It is safer.



For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God $\,$ - EPHESIANS 2:8 NIV

Today's Devotional:

Throughout his ministry, we see Jesus heal the sick, give sight to the blind, drive out demons and even bring the dead back to life. These miracles made an impression on the witnesses. But note here how he takes his power up a notch. He does not just perform a physical miracle, he promises spiritual wellness.

"When Jesus saw their faith, he said, 'Friend, your sins are forgiven.' The Pharisees and the teachers of the law began thinking to themselves, 'Who is this fellow who speaks blasphemy? Who can forgive sins but God alone?' Jesus knew what they were thinking and asked, 'Why are you thinking these things in your hearts? Which is easier: to say, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Get up and walk'? But that you may know

that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins....' He said to the paralyzed man, 'I tell you, get up, take your mat and go home.' Immediately he stood up in front of them, took what he had been lying on and went home praising God. Everyone was amazed and gave praise to God. They were filled with awe and said, 'We have seen remarkable things today'." Luke 5:20-26

We weren't seeing some faith healer. This wasn't a series of ruses. Jesus had not only the power to heal, he did indeed have the power to forgive. The Pharisees were right on one thing: only God has the power to forgive sins — and that is exactly the point. Jesus was God in the flesh. He left his home in heaven to come to earth and live as a man. He taught, he healed, he forgave and he eventually sacrificed himself on the cross to pay our sin debt. Let us be humbled and thankful.

Bible Reading: April 5-11, 2021

- Deu 21:1-22:30; Lk 9:51-10:12; Psa 74:1-23; Pro 12:11
- Deu 23:1-25:19; Lk 10:13-37; Psa 75:1-10; Pro 12:12-14
- Deu 26:1-27:26; Lk 10:38-11:13; Psa 76:1-12; Pro 12:15-17
- Deu 28:1-68; Lk 11:14-36; Psa 77:1-20; Pro 12:18
- Deu 29:1-30:20; Lk 11:37-12:7; Psa 78:1-31; Pro 12:19-20
- Deu 31:1-32:27; Lk 12:8-34; Psa 78:32-55; Pro 12:21-23
- Deu 32:28-52; Lk 12:35-59; Psa 78:56-64; Pro 12:24

Prayer Requests

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us... 1 John 5:14

Can You Spare Five Minutes A Day?

If you can spare five minutes a day, we encourage you to pick someone in our congregation to call, text, or drop a note and let them know that you are thinking about them. It's been over a year since we've all been physically together. Don't let our distance cause us to forget one another. Send a hug and love through the mail or the phone line. Bless someone's life every single day just because you can.

<u>Answered Prayers:</u> Jieneces Boston tested negative for covid, but she is suffering from bronchitis.

Please Join Us In Prayer:

- Please note that Barry Coleman's back surgery is this Friday,
 April 9th. Please pray for the knowledge and wisdom of the surgeon.
- Alexander Bychkov asked that we remember his father, mother, wife and himself as all have been sick of late.
- Nicole Gomez-Arocho, a co-worker with Jeanette Santacruz has cancer, and had breast surgery. She starts radiation soon.
- Vicki's Bartels's brother, Walter, is waiting on the results of more test before the doctor determines the course of treatment for his kidney tumor. She asks us to pray that he will overcome his depression and cooperate with the doctors.
- Sam and Linda Cotte's brother-in-law's, Joel and Daniel medical issues.
- Prayers for our country during this time of unrest
- Prayers that the Lord will protect Esteban Garcia while in boot camp.
- The missionaries we support: Russia, Nigeria, India, and Johnstown, NY.
- Special prayer request for our many members on the front lines fighting the coronavirus in various capacities: doctors, nurses, hospital personnel, nursing home staff, first responders, bus drivers, and others in dangerous situations. Continued prayers as the virus continues attack our country.

Traveling: Peter and April Olsen.

On-going Prayer Needs: Art Davidson; Carolina Vasquez, Orlando Upegui; Miguelito Lopez; Sharon Boyd; Carolina Vazquez, Jimmy Reynolds; Mary Holdip; Paul Bell-Kirk; Diane Ghiloni; Digna Cruz; Vicki Bartels; Yvonne Sanchez; Stephen Campbell's mother, Gail Gipson; Mark and Carley Harris; and Regina Simpson

Those Fighting Cancer: Art Davidson, Chronic Lymphatic Lymphoma; Craig Hughes, a friend of the Olsen's; Stephanie Champion, Beverly Pierce's cousin; Nancy Garcia, friend of the Pierce family; and Dan Winkler.

Grieving: The Cox and Strickland families

Phone calls appreciated during this time of "distance visiting".

1) **Diane Ghiloni**: Glen Island Center for Nursing & Rehabilitation, 490 Pelham Rd, New Rochelle, NY 10805. Her room number is 243-A, (914) 246-7746. 2) Paul Bell-Kirk: 27 Jeanne Dr., Putnam Valley, NY 10579. His cell number is 914-310-6931. **Paul would appreciate phone calls and visits.**

Keep Sending in Your Minutes

- 1) As you read your bible, study your devotional, or listen to God's word, keep a mental note of the minutes.
- 2) On Saturday before noon please call or text Michael Kesten at (207) 930-0123 and leave a message stating the number of minutes you and your entire family read for the week.
- 3) FYI, you can find the "Minutes Read Thermometer" on the church website home page. If you click on the thermometer, it will take you to the YTD totals.

WE DID IT; WE BROKE THE 100,000 MARK!

THIS WEEK WE READ 11,860 MINUTES.
TO DATE, WE HAVE READ A TOTAL OF 110,817 MINUTES
TOWARDS OUR MILLION MINUTES READ!