

Sermon outline and notes

A Christian Woman

Proverbs 31:10—31; 1 Peter 3:1—6

- I. The Importance of Womanhood in the Family of God
What do you think about when you hear someone is a "Christian Woman"?
Galatians 3:26—28
- II. Example of Sarah, 1 Peter 3:1—6
As a wife, she was barren most of her life, but was always a companion.
Gal 3:28; 1 Cor 7:3—4; 1 Cor 11:11—12
- III. Attributes of the Christian Woman—companionship and servant
How do women fulfill the role of companion in the family of God?
Gen 2:20; Gen 3:16; Matt 20:25—28
- IV. Women Nurture the Church
What is the picture of a mother caring for her newborn child?
1 Thess 2:6a—7
- V. Women Set the Example of Servant-hood in the Church. Prov 31:10—31
Want to set an example of servant-hood? Consider Proverbs 31:10—31, Prov-
erbs 31:30, Acts 9:36—39
- VI. The Role of Women in the Family of God
Do we sometimes fail to see the beauty of womanhood?

SPIRITUAL NEEDS: Those dedicated to mission work; the leaders of the church, Our **Teen Ministry, Piero and Edita Drago**. **Clarence LeBlanc (Pat's son):** recovery and renewal. **Emily Madey:** difficult divorce and custody issues.

HEALTH NEEDS **Jim Anderson:** having an additional procedure to remove a kidney stone May 20. **Judy Lintz (Kristina Andersons aunt):** difficult recovery following heart valve replacement surgery. **Barbara Terry:** home from the hospital. **Lori Hackman** is home from the hospital dealing with various medical conditions. **Mary Beard (Dennis Beard's mother)** is recovering from a broken pelvis. **Tyler Schultz** is recovering from a broken right leg. **Sabrina Dalo (John Branard's co-worker)** is recovering from a serious auto accident. **Becky Cathy (Mary Gayle's niece and Marilyn Salie's cousin):** Hospitalized in Tennessee with a rare lung disease. **Jeff Kear (Rhonda Davis' relative):** recovering from a heart attack. **Karen Durham (Suzanne Branard's friend):** breast cancer. **Louise Brown (Suzanne's mother)** is dealing with high blood pressure. **Joe Ford (Randa's husband)** suffered a fall. **Barbara Newton (Gary's step-mother)** is undergoing breast cancer treatments. **Patrick Wessel (Tyler Anderson's brother):** diagnosed with acute leukemia. **Joe Montello's mother, Peggy** has inoperable pancreatic cancer. **Jimmy Hines:** has congestive heart failure. **Ruthie Wilson's Uncle Bob, Patty Tarasavage, friend of Ruthie Wilson, co-worker of Bruce Pierce:** diagnosed with invasive breast cancer. **Peter (Pat Le Blanc's brother-in-law):** diagnosed with diabetes. **Cressy (Pat LeBlanc's niece):** diagnosed with breast cancer. **Nancy Muriel and Jackie Gonzalez' Uncle Herman** has inoperable cancer. **Bob Daubert (June Vogt's friend)** is post bone-marrow transplant. **Liz Ribeiro, friend of Pat LeBlanc. Sandra Vangorder:** diabetes

FINANCIAL AND FAMILY NEEDS **Julia Apple:** legal issues. **Melissa Vangorder:** major life changes. The **Newtons:** legal issues in Florida. **Gary Newton, Rhonda Davis:** new jobs. **Nancy Muriel** and her family. **Jim Anderson and Jose Gonzalez :** away on work assignments.

SERVING IN THE MILITARY: **Daniel Elsmore (Jackie's cousin), Frankie Cardona (Juan's nephew):** in the army in Iraq. **Nick Acevedo and Abel,** in the army in Afghanistan. **George Gaye (Marilyn Salie's brother)** is serving in Kuwait.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, SPRING, 2010

Sunday a.m.: 1st Century Church, Various men, Classroom 6
Book of James, Debbie Hanks, Ladies Clsrm
Wed. p.m.: Galatians, Bruce Pierce, Classroom 6
Teens: "Crazy Love"

TEEN DEVO SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 15 info not available
Saturday, May 22 info not available

PRAYER

Family Happenings

Help Needed

The Newtons are moving to Palm Bay next week. Help is needed with painting May 14 and 15, and furniture moving May 15 and 16. Please contact Lyn or Gary if you can help.

MANY THANKS

Thanks to all who came out and supported the Postal Carriers Food Drive yesterday. Your participation will help us stock our Food Pantry so that we may continue to serve others. Thanks again!

Linda Conn has been teaching Sunday School before Service for many years and needs a break. If you are able to minister to our grade school aged children who come to Sunday School, please let Linda know.

Help is needed every week in the nursery, and every month with communion. Please consider a donation of your time!

Matt Provonsil is looking for ways to earn money for his Honduras trip this summer. Let him know if you have odd jobs you would be willing to pay him to do.

May Birthdays and Anniversaries

6—Mathew Provonsil,
Daniel Sutherland
9—Debbie Ankersen
12—Tyler Schultz
13—Gary Newton, Randa Ford
14—Valerie Salie-Barber,
Melissa VanGorder
18—Farron Sutherland
21—Evelyn Munro
22—Craig Salie
23—Jordan Contreras
25—Jim Conn
29—Mc Brayer Anniversary

*There are times when only a mother's love
Can understand our tears,
Can soothe our disappoints
And calm all of our fears*

*There are times when only a mother's love
Can share the joy we feel
When something we've dreamed about
Quite suddenly is real*

*There are times when only a mother's faith
Can help us on life's way
And inspire in us the confidence
We need from day to day*

*For a mother's heart and a mother's faith
And a mother's steadfast love
Were fashioned by the angels
And sent from God above
-author unknown*



*Happy Mother's
Day*

CALLING ALL TEENS! Start planning your summer NOW! Fund-raising opportunities are available through the Melbourne congregation to go to Honduras. Let Matt know if you want to go on a T.O.R.C.H. Mission this summer (June 14—26, cost \$1400). Also, CFBC summer camp is coming in June. Stay in touch for the dates.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Father/Son Retreat, CFBC—May 14—16 Retreat Coordinator is Larry Weiland, all ages are welcome. Cost, \$30. An informational flyer is posted on the hall bulletin board.

Spiritual Growth Workshop—July 29—31 at the Rosen Center. Theme: "God Almighty Reigns." The Orange Avenue Church of Christ located at 1511 E. Orange Avenue, Eustis, FL 32726 is in charge of this year's workshop.

"Women of Faith" forum—Oct. 15 - 16th, Tampa, at the St. Petersburg Times Forum. Tickets to the event are \$99 - \$89 if we can get 10 or more to commit.



PIERO AND EDITA SUPPORT

Piero and Edita Drago are currently in two years of training for full-time Spanish ministry. The address and website for TGCB is Texas Gulf Coast Bible Institute, 1502 Avenue I, South Houston, TX 77587, www.tgcbi.org. If you are supporting Piero and Edita, please send your support money to the TGCB address.

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**Counting People because
 People Count**

**Sunday Evening
 Small Groups**

May 2, 2010

Bible Study.....
 Worship..... 109
 Contribution.....\$1,841.58 (Budget, \$1916.85)

| Location | Leader | Time |
|----------|---------------|-----------|
| Building | Conn | 6:00 p.m. |
| Palm Bay | Bryant@Clarke | 6:00 p.m. |

SERVING AS WORSHIP LEADERS

| | May 16 | May 23 |
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| Song Leader | Scott Clements | CJ Salle |
| Opening Prayer | Willie Bryant | Bob Grassman |
| Scripture Reading | David Woodford, Jr. | Matt Provonsil |
| Closing Prayer | John Branard | Chris Ankersen |
| Communion | Dennis Beard | Bill Werner |
| Sermon | Jim Conn | Jim Conn |
| Lord's Table | Jeff Shepherd, Daniel Sutherland, David Woodford, Sr., Chris Ank- | Jeff Shepherd, Daniel Sutherland, David Woodford, Sr., Chris Ank- |
| Prayer Warriors | Malinee Allen, Julia Apple, Rita Meredith, Sam Meredith, Margaret Wahlera, Kathleen Withers | Eugene Foreman, Marilyn Salie |

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ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sunday:

Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Kids Kingdom
 Children's Bible Hour
 10:30

Sunday Evening

6:00 p.m.
 Bible Study at the building
 and in homes (communion
 available at all locations)

Wednesday Evening

7:00 p.m.

Pantry Hours

Available to the neighborhood,
 community, and members
 Wednesday, 3:00–5:00 p.m.
 Saturday, 9:00–11:00 a.m.
 In case of emergency, contact the
 Wahleras 259-6253

Celebrations

Worship and Family News for the Church of Christ Oceanside

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John Wahlera, Song Leader
Your are the Song that I Sing
Sing, Hallelujah to the Lord
 Welcome, Scott Clements.

Holy, Holy, Holy
We Fall Down
In Christ Alone

Scripture Reading,

Proverbs 31:10, 29—31, Gary Apple, Jr.

Opening Prayer, John Branard
What the Lord has Done in Me
Awesome Power
Lamb of God

Communion/Offering, Bruce Pierce
More Precious than Silver
Dismiss Children
Restore My Soul

Message, "A Christian Woman" Jim Conn
Invitation Song, *In My Life, Lord, Be Glorified*

Closing Comments, Bill Werner
Closing Prayer, David Woodford, Sr.

A wife of noble character who can find?
 She is worth far more than rubies...
 Many women do noble things,
 But you surpass them all."
 Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleet-
 ing;
 But a woman who fears the Lord is to be
 praised.
 Give her the reward she has earned,
 And let her works bring her praise at
 the city gate.
 Proverbs 31:10, 29—31

*Happy Mother's
 Day*

Prayer Warriors

Bob Grassman
 Paul Keller
 Diane Kromko