

The United Church

Sermon outline and notes

1 Cor 3

Introduction

A Diverse Church, yet together in the Lord

I. The Importance of Knowledge, 1 Cor 3:1-4

How do we become different from the world?

Phil 2:6 - Christ became nothing for us. 2Cor 8:9; 2Cor 6:10.

II. Leaders are Servants, 1 Cor 3:5-9

Do we see ourselves as servants, or do we expect more?

III. There is only One Foundation, 1 Cor 3:10-15

Do we lose sight of Christ when we quarrel over our own desires?

Have you ever thought of short changing the Lord? Mal 1:6-9

Do we try to build a spiritual house with less than our best?

IV. Being the Temple of Christ, 1 Cor 3:16-17

Do you not know that you are God's temple?

1 Peter 2:4-5 - **being built into a spiritual house**

How does the world recognize the church?

V. True Wisdom, 1 Cor 3:18-23

Wisdom of the world, or true wisdom, which do we chose?

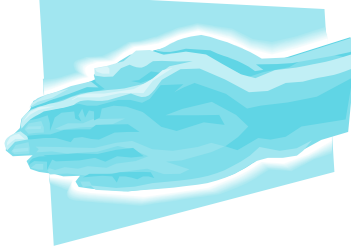
PEOPLE

SPIRITUAL NEEDS: Those dedicated to mission work; the leaders of the church, **Piero and Edita Drago**, **Clarence LeBlanc (Pat's son)**; recovery and renewal.

HEALTH NEEDS **Louise Brown (Suzanne's mother)**: undergoing brain surgery on July 7. **Joey Gonzalez**: dental surgery soon. **Lisa Gonzalez (Samantha and Joey's mother)** recovering from foot surgery. **Jose Gonzalez (Samantha and Joey's dad)**: shoulder surgery in the near future. **Abrielle Hausbach (Tonya and Robert's 2 week old niece)**: born with serious complications requiring surgeries. **Randa Ford**: serious health issues. **Sam Meredith**: waiting results from heart monitoring. **Alice Garcia (Diane Kromko's mother)**: recovering from cancer surgery. **Lina Pierce's mom**: undiagnosed medical issues. **Kristan Ellison (Suzanne Branard's cousin)**: recovering from breast cancer surgery. **Nancy Muriel and Jackie Gonzalez**: Uncle Herman has inoperable cancer. **Bob Daubert (June Vogt's friend)** has leukemia and is deciding on treatment options. **Liz Ribeiro**: friend of Pat LeBlanc. **Carolyn Capshaw (Suzanne Branard's cousin)**: undergoing chemotherapy treatments. **Sandra Vangorder**: diabetes

FINANCIAL AND FAMILY NEEDS **Julia Apple**: legal issues. **Melissa Vangorder**: major life changes. **The Newtons**: legal issues in Massachusetts. **Paul Keller**, **Gary Newton**, **Lyn Newton**, **Juan Gonzalez**: new jobs. **Nancy Muriel** and her family: **Farron Sutherland**, **Jim Anderson** and **Jose Gonzalez**: away on work assignments.

MOURNING/LOSS: **Patricia Howard (Jennifer Wright's mother-in-law)** died recently. **Jim Anderson's mother**, **Barbara Anderson**, died recently.



ADULT BIBLE CLASSES, SPRING, 2009

Sunday a.m.: The Lord's Kingdom, (Jim Conn, Classroom 6)
James, (various women, Ladies Classroom)
Old Testament Survey, (Scott Clements, Young Adults)
Fruits of the Spirit (Bruce Pierce, Classroom 6I)

Wed. p.m.:

TEEN HAPPENINGS

Check the Youth Page for further info

Sunday morning classes:
The Abundant Christian Life, David Woodford
Wednesday night classes:
Devotional Topics, CJ Salie
June 15-28: **TORCH** mission
July 10-13: Bible Camp (Teen Week) at CFBCC

Family Happenings

4th of JULY CELEBRATION

The entire congregation is invited to a 4th of July celebration at Bicentennial Park

(Indian Harbour Beach, intersection of Pinetree and SR A1A, just north of the Lowe's Hardware Store). A covered pavilion has been reserved

from 11:00 am to 6:00 pm, with lunch being served around 2 pm. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided. Please bring

chips, sodas, and a side dish to complement the meat. There will also be a volleyball

net provided. Please see David Woodford, Sr. or CJ Salie if you have questions.



TORCH TRIP June 15-28

Four of our brothers and sisters (Tim Chudkosky, Christine Kleckner, Ruthie Wilson, T.C. Wilson) will be returning this evening from their Honduras T.O.R.C.H. mission trip. Please pray for their safe return. If you get a chance, please check out their blog at <http://torchmissionshonduras.blogspot.com/>. Much good has been done for the Lord serving the people of Honduras.



PIERO AND EDITA SUPPORT (UPDATED ITEM)

Piero and Edita Drago are currently in two years of training for full-time Spanish ministry. They have recently moved to Houston, Texas, to continue their at the Texas Gulf Coast Bible Institute. This is the Bible Institute that started the Alpha and Omega Bible Institute in Little Rock, Arkansas, where the Dragos previously were going to school. There is NO CHANGE in their curriculum nor their anticipated graduation date. However, the Texas Gulf Coast Bible Institute has much more hands-on classroom teaching and offers many additional "in-the-field" ministry training opportunities. The address and website for TGCBI 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 TGCBI address. Piero and Edita will be in our area during July and will provide more status and answer any questions you may have.

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Tuesday, June 30, Longhorn in Viera, 6:00 p.m. There's a sign up sheet on the bulletin board. Contact Jane Fruscella with questions or more information—610-7605

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Teachers are needed to work in rotation during Children's worship. Classes in need help are the early elementary class (ages 4 through 8) and cradle roll (infants and young children). Please see

Michael Clarke if you are interested in helping and having an impact on children's lives. Thanks.



BLANKETS FOR THOSE IN NEED

We would like to begin making knitted blankets for those in need. Right now, the plan is to send them to Honduras, where the mountain nights can get quite cold. The blankets will be made from knitted squares that are then crocheted together. Each blanket will be the efforts of many working together. **Freddie Woodford** has the dimensions necessary, and a lot of patters meant to inspire. If you knit, see Freddie for details. If you don't knit, **Lyn Newton** can teach you. If there is enough interest, we can gather together as "knitting ninjas" enjoy some fellowship and make a blanket or two together! If you do not want to knit for this project, but have yarn to donate to it, see Freddie.



SUMMER SPECIAL!

Big blowout sale on church cookbooks—reduced from \$10 to a mere \$6!! Think Christmas! These make great hostess gifts, stocking stuffers, housewarming gifts, and graduation presents! What are you waiting for? At this price, you'd be crazy not to buy three or four! Even better, proceeds from the sales of these cookbooks enable the teens to participate in spiritual activities, like Winterfest and Spiritual Growth Workshop.

Dinner on the Grounds next week—Sunday, July 5.

SINGLES HAPPENINGS

Camp Uno, Yellowstone Bible Camp, Montana, August 15-22. Flyer on the hall bulletin board. BLOG at www.launchingles.wordpress.com

July Birthdays and Anniversaries

2—Linda Conn
10—Sandra Van Gorder, Tim Wilson
13—Renee Munro
14—Scott Clements, Joe Montello
15—Michael and Peggy Clarke
17—Tammy Werner
19—Darryl and Diane Kromko
20—Julia Apple
23—John Wahtera
24—Tim Chudkosky
27—Rita Meredith
28—Ray and Kathleen Withers
29—Chris Ankersen
31—Don McBrayer, Bill and Thelma Werner

ELDERS
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Jim Conn 676-7954

DEACONS
Chris Ankersen, Teens
777-0881

Michael Clarke, Children
728-4112

Gary Newton, Small Groups
777-1269

Bruce Pierce, Adult Ed
777-9823

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**Counting People because
People Count**

June 21, 2009
Bible Study.....
Worship.....88
Contribution.....\$2,957.00 *Budget, \$1916.85*

**Sunday Evening
Small Groups**

Location
Building
Palm Bay

Leader
Conn
Bryant@Clarke

Time
6:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.

SERVING AS WORSHIP LEADERS

July 5 July 12

Song Leader	CJ Salle	John Wahtera
Opening Prayer	Bill Werner	David Woodford Sr.
Scripture Reading	Bryan Pierce	Gary Apple, Jr.
Closing Prayer	Gary Newton	Bruce Pierce
Communion	Gary Newton	Chris Ankersen
Sermon	tbd	Jim Conn
Greeters	tbd	
Lord's Table	Burt Kleckner, Joe Montello, Matt Provnosil, Daniel Sutherland	Burt Kleckner, Joe Montello, Matt Provnosil, Daniel Sutherland
Prayer Warriors	Kristina Anderson, Tyler Anderson, Rhonda Davis, Annie Garner	Bob Grassman, Paul Keller, Diane Kromko

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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
Mercediths

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Worship

Celebrations

A Guide to Special Occasions at
the Oceanside church Family

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Closing Comments, Bill Werner
Closing Prayer, Ben Kleckner

As you come to him, the living Stone -- rejected by men but chosen by God and precious to him -- you, also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. 1 Peter 2:4-5



prayer warriors

Heather Deel, Eugene Foreman, Marilyn Salie