



# SATELLITE BEACH Church of Christ

John 14:15-24

**“If you love me, keep my commands. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever— the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. Before long, the world will not see me anymore, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live. On that day you will realize that I am in my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you. Whoever has my commands and keeps them is the one who loves me. The one who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love them and show myself to them.”**

**Then Judas (not Judas Iscariot) said, “But, Lord, why do you intend to show yourself to us and not to the world?”**

**Jesus replied, “Anyone who loves me will obey my teaching. My Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Anyone who does not love me will not obey my teaching. These words you hear are not my own; they belong to the Father who sent me.**

**Greeters,  
Sondra and Jack**

**Lord’s Table  
Nathan Clements,  
Brett Wools,  
Willie Bryant,  
Gary Newton**

**Song Leader, Jim Anderson  
Scripture Reading, Jim Conn  
Opening Prayer, Gary Newton  
Communion/Offer, Brett Wools  
Sermon, Scott Clements  
Closing Comments, Bill Werner  
Closing Prayer, Sammy Mumme**

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### Assembly Times

**Sunday Morning**  
Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:30  
**Wednesday Evening**  
Worship and Fellowship, 7:00 p.m.

#### October 8

Song Leader John Wahtera  
Scripture Reading Jeff Shepherd  
Opening Prayer Bill Betts  
Communion Jim Anderson  
Sermon Scott Clements  
Closing Prayer Willie Bryant  
Communion Servers Nathan Clements, Brett Wools, Willie Bryant, Gary Newton  
Greeters Jim and Linda

#### October 15

Bruce Pierce  
Brett Wools  
Jeff Shepherd  
Bill Werner  
Scott Clements  
Jim Conn  
Bryant, Gary Newton  
David and Marie

#### Communion Preparation Schedule

October— Clements      November ?      December ?

**The sign up sheet for 2023 Communion preparation is on the bulletin board by the library.**

#### October

Attendance Last Week

**Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Online 65

1—Kristina Anderson  
6- Dennis Beard  
8—Sammy Mumme  
13 Sondra Hayhurst  
16—Paula and Reuben Jackson  
17—David Meredith,  
Stephanie Mumme  
18 Mike Vogt  
24- Bill Betts

On Grounds 48

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Any **bulletin** info or prayer requests can be emailed to: [satellitebeachchurchofchrist@gmail.com](mailto:satellitebeachchurchofchrist@gmail.com)

All submissions are required prior to 9am **Thursday**

Sermons are recorded. If you missed one, please go to our website: [satbchcofc.org](http://satbchcofc.org)

Or the public facebook page. —>

**Food Pantry Hours**  
Wednesday, 2—4 p.m.  
Saturday, 9—11 a.m.

# Family Happenings

## Prayer Needs

**Kate**, Sonny White's neighbor, tried to rescue a homeless person, but despite her best efforts, he died. Please pray for her well being.

**George Stevens**, a friend of David and Marie, is having hernia surgery. Please pray for that to go well.

**Kia King**, a friend of Steve Mason's, died. Steve is traveling for the funeral. Please pray for his safety and for his ability to be a comfort to those in need.

**Tyrone Carter** was taken to Holmes Regional to be checked out after experiencing some irregular heart issues. Please pray that the doctors will find answers quickly

**Denise**, Diane's daughter, is sick again. She can't seem to shake the illness. Please pray for her to get well.

The **Pierce family**, co-workers of Steve Mason, is homeless.

**Mark Austin**, a friend of Linda B, was in an explosion on a food truck. He has 3rd degree burns over most of his body.

**Donna Beard** needs a hip replacement and is in pain.

**Bryan and Shannon Pierce** are trying to adopt their foster baby. Please continue to pray that all goes well.

Please pray for the outreach efforts here at the church. Pray that God will send us workers.

**Michael Mason**, Steve's brother, is getting a little better, but his condition is causing his muscles to atrophy. Please pray that the doctors will find a way to help.



## Prayer Needs

- **Woody Tally**, Mrs. Betts' son-in-law, had hernia surgery. Please pray for his healing.
- **Linda Bradford** is in a rehabilitation facility. Please continue to pray for her. She could also use some encouragement.
- **Donny Robinson**, a cousin of Connie F., is sick and depressed. The doctors cannot figure out what is wrong with him, Please continue to pray for him.
- **Anel**, a member of Thelma's family, has stage 4 colon and uterine cancer. She has started chemo therapy. Please keep her and her family in prayer.
- **Renee Buck**, daughter-in-law of Pat Betts, has died. Please pray for her family. Bill and Pat are traveling for the funeral. Please keep them in prayer too.
- **Belinda Cowdrey** is ministering to Paul, who has cancer. She is also attending to her terminally ill mother. Please pray for her.
- **Paul Cowdrey** had his last proton therapy treatment! Tests will be run in November to see how effective they were. Please continue to pray for him.

## Prayers of Thanksgiving

Marilyn Notgrass, Belinda Cowdrey's mom, has been restored to health!  
Thank you, Father!

Atha Comiskey is doing much better! Thank you, Lord!

Mike Vogt had the second of two surgeries done and is recovering at home.  
Thank you, Lord for his recovery thus far. Thank you for the excellent range of motion on his first knee!

## OUTREACH Ministry Meeting Update and Input

### Goals

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