



SATELLITE BEACH Church of Christ

John 15:1-6

“I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.

“I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. If you do not remain in me, you are like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned.



**Greeters,
Jim and Linda**

**Lord's Table
Bruce Pierce,
Bill Betts,
Paul Pepin,
Sammy Mumme**

**Song Leader, John Wahtera
Scripture Reading, Jeff Shepherd
Opening Prayer, Bill Betts
Communion/Offer, Jim Anderson
Sermon, Scott Clements
Closing Comments, Bill Werner
Closing Prayer, Willie Bryant**

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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 15	October 22
Song Leader	Bruce Pierce	Jim Anderson
Scripture Reading	Brett Wools	Willie Bryant
Opening Prayer	Jeff Shepherd	Jim Conn
Communion	Bill Werner	Bruce Pierce
Sermon	Scott Clements	Scott Clements
Closing Prayer	Jim Conn	Brett Wools
Communion Servers	Nathan Clements, Brett Wools, Willie Bryant, Gary Newton	
Greeters	David and Marie	Pat and Bill

Communion Preparation Schedule

October— Clements November ? December ?

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

Attendance Last Week **October Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Online 37

On Grounds 36

- 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

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Any **bulletin** info or prayer requests can be emailed to: 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

Or the public facebook page. —>

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

Family Happenings

Dinners for 8—The last day to tell Linda that you will or won't be attending the October dinner is October 8. The dinner will be October 21.

December 1—There will be a multi-church **teen gathering** at the Melbourne CofC. Please mark your calendars

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, had hernia surgery and is recovering. Please pray for that to go well.

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.

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, has sarcoidosis. It the same illness that killed their mom. 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 making progress. He has reached out for help. 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.
- **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.
- **Michael Armstrong** wants to serve God. He needs help doing so. Please pray for wisdom for him.
- **T**, Steve Mason's wife, is home, but she came home sick. Please pray for her.
- **Donna Beard** needs a hip replacement and is in pain. Please pray for her.

Prayers of Thanksgiving

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!

Sonny White is home from West Virginia! Thank you, Lord for his safe travel.



OUTREACH Ministry Meeting Update and Input

Goals

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