# The Glades Gazette November 2018

### **Giving Thanks Grace and Peace to you**

This month, we celebrate the season of Thanksgiving: A time for giving thanks to God for providing for our every need. Culturally, we have grown detached from God, the land, and the thought of giving thanks. The world focuses more on what someone else has and what we, then, want rather than recognizing our blessings and expressing our gratitude. Thanksgiving has devolved into an excuse to: overeat, get drunk,.. and watch football. It was the day before the materialism binge of "Black Friday" and now that too has spilled over into Thanksgiving Day. Increasingly, retailers are opening on Thanksgiving, making it difficult or impossible for families to gather together for their dinner. I implore you not to support this practice.

The best prescription to counter this disease of our society is the same it has always been. We need more of Jesus Christ, and the surest way for that is in support of your Church. Glades Presbyterian Church needs your time talents and resources as much as ever. And thus, my segue into stewardship. We have begun our fall drive and need your pledges for our planning for the coming year. Consider your giving and what the Lord has in store for you and for us in the future. Our Father has big plans in mind, I assure you of that. You have endured much as a church and more than survived. Be part of this adventure and leave a legacy. I hear there will be some inspiring and entertaining sermons coming on the subjects of thanksgiving and stewardship this month.

We all look forward to seeing you here. May God richly bless you and your family this month.

Sincerely yours in Christ Jesus,

Pastor David

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## **DEACONS' CARE GROUPS**

#### Laurie Jenkins - 561-487-4255

Jim & Lisa Roubian
Marilou Lehner
Steve Straus
Loan Ellis
Terri Dorsey
Karen Sanchez
Donna LaCertosa
Wayne & Hortense

#### Linda Williams - 954-240-4785

Clarence & Ellie Bloom
Celeste, Jim, & Jimmy Hamilton
Eric, Ellen, Addie, & Ryan Armstrong
Audrey Correa
Edith Vislocky
Bill Eltringham
Laurie & John Jenkins

#### **Tracy Garlanger - 954-471-3443**

Dale Rosenbaum
Evelyn Bridy
Mary, Sebastian, & Ariel Fernandez
Doug & Jenifer Hamman
Ryan Bullock
Ruth Scott
Carmen Gomez
Julia Scott

#### Rowena Avrich - 561-488-1897

Jackie Davis
Doris Jackons
Terry, Cheryl, & Ryan Crout
Bud & Gail Bower
Ginny DeMattei
Linda Williams
Beverly Newland

#### Karen Sanchez - 561-573-6380

Neyda Rodriguez
Ed & Brenda Romeo
Tracey, Rodney, Omar, Ashley,
Loy, & Gloria Brown
Addie Cordes
Tracy & Bob Garlanger
Brian, Gladys, Patricia,
Andrea, & Matt Claxton
David & Lisa Crapnell

#### **Carmen Gomez - 561-768-6442**

Rod Mabe
Cathy & Dan Wantz
Pat Wilkins
Rowena Avrich
Lauren Romeo
Ozcan Feyziolglo
Santosh & Lalitha Mathen

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2¢ a Meal

Take a small bank and put it on the table where you eat. Say a prayer and put 2¢ a person in the bank.

These donations will grow and when filled, bring it to church and put it in the 2¢ bank. At the end of the

IF YOU HAVE ANY NEEDS OR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL ONE OF THE CHURCH ELDERS:

**GINNY DEMATTEI - 561-350-8038** 

**BRIAN CLAXTON - 561-504-0155** 

**TERRY CROUT - 561-852-9060** 

#### Deacons:

Class of 2021:

Tracy Garlanger, Laurie Jenkins, Carmen Gomez Class of 2020:

Rowena Avrich, Karen Sanchez, Linda Williams

#### **Elders**

Class of 2021:

Brian Claxton, John Jenkins, Bob Garlanger, Karen Sanchez <u>Class of 2020:</u> Terry Crout

> Class of 2019: Ginny DeMattei

year, these donations will be sent to several organizations who help others less fortunate.

scheduled for November 20 at 8:30am at Boca Glades Baptist Church!

Our next Boca Helping Hands is

#### **CHOIR**

Choir rehearsals are held on Wednesday at 7:30. New voices are welcome to practice anthems & Christmas cantata music.
For questions, please call Beverly, 488-3690

Thank you to two Glades angels who donated funds for a new church computer!



Classes for adults, High school and middle school are at 9:30am.



# Help a child learn to read. Coral Sunset Elementary school needs reading volunteers

Give 90 minutes a week (or several times a week) to be a reading volunteer.

Sign up in the narthex.

GOODNESS MEANS "DOING"





Please fill a Thanksgiving box for Boca Helping Hands for a needy family this year. Lists are in the narthex. Deadline will be Sunday November 11<sup>th</sup>.

Thanksgiving Luncheon
Sunday November 18<sup>th</sup> following
worship

The church will provide turkey, please sign up in the narthex to bring side dishes and desserts

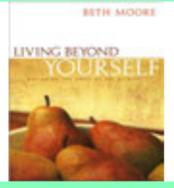




#### Men's Group

Dates/Times and Locations are:

November 8th at 7PM at Boca Indian Grill November 12th at 7PM at Lime Fresh Mexican November 26th at 7PM at Sweet Tomatoes Brian Claxton is facilitating.



#### Women's Bible Study

Tuesday mornings at 9:45 AM, we will be continuing our study on "Living Beyond Yourself".

Sign up in the Narthex



# 10- Ramcharan24- Hamilton



- 2- Greg Martin
- 6- Eric Armstrong
- 17- Jimmy Hamilton
- 18- Clarence Bloom
  - 23- Evelyn Bridy
  - 24- Jim Hamilton
- 26 Carmen Gomez
  - 27- Ryan Crout