



The Glades Gazette

April 2016

From the Pastor's Porch:

Take a Deep Breath...

It is April, and Easter is already over. What a great last two months we have had at Glades! We started with our Ash Wednesday service back on February 10th. Then, we spent 7 weeks being Transformed through Rick Warren's Study. During that time, we hosted HUNDREDS of visitors for our annual Easter Eggstravaganza, which was a HUGE success! We had so many young families on our campus; they stayed for a couple hours; and EVERY BODY had such a wonderful time.

Palm Sunday followed where we wrapped up our 7 weeks of Transformation and transitioned into Holy Week. As we were preparing our hearts for Easter during our Maundy Thursday Night Service, we put our sins on the cross and celebrated the Lord's Supper.

Friday, we heard the salvation story as we went on a pilgrimage through our windows of the church. We meditated, reflected, prayed, heard scripture, and sang some songs.

Easter Morning, our sins were no longer on the cross!!!! They had been washed away, and we decorated that cross with beautiful flowers representing the new life that we have in a Risen and Living Jesus Christ.

The great thing about Easter is that it's not over yet. We celebrate Easter and the resurrection of Jesus Christ each and every week!

Since we celebrate the new life we have in Christ, let's actually live in it personally and as a church.

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Pastor's Porch continues...

Gal 2:20 states, "I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me."

Let us commit together this year to live in Christ, have Christ living in us knowing that where the old is gone the new has begun!

Rejoice for Jesus Christ is Risen and Living in Me!

Coming up, we are going to spend some time in Joshua and explore the Promised Land. Max Lucado released a book last year called "Glory Days" that has inspired me to preach a Joshua series. The key that we are going to look at and explore is that God's promised land is for us today, and it is a gift of God. Our promised land is ready for us, but so often we don't live in the promises and life that God has ready for us RIGHT NOW.

Let's take the next few weeks and learn to Live in God's Promised Land TODAY :-)

GET READY FOR A STUDY OF JOSHUA!

April 3rd — Glory Days Week 1 "Inherit Your Inheritance" Joshua 1:1-6	May 1st — Glory Days Week 5 "Don't Trust Stuff" Joshua 7
April 10th — Glory Days Week 2 "Unpack Your Bags" Joshua 3	May 8th — Glory Days Week 6 Mothers Day "No Failure is Fatal"
April 17th — Glory days Week 3 "Don't Forget to Remember" Joshua 4:1-5:12	May 15th — Glory Days Week 7 "Pray Audacious Prayers" Joshua 9-10
April 24 — Glory days Week 4 "Walk Circles Around Jericho" Joshua 6	May 22nd — Glory Days Week 8 Sunday School Celebration "God Fights for You" Joshua 23

We all know prayer can go a long way. Have you been praying for Glades? Our church leadership? Our congregants?



If you haven't already, start following The Robinsons' Blog!
<http://robinsonscostalcallings.blogspot.com>.

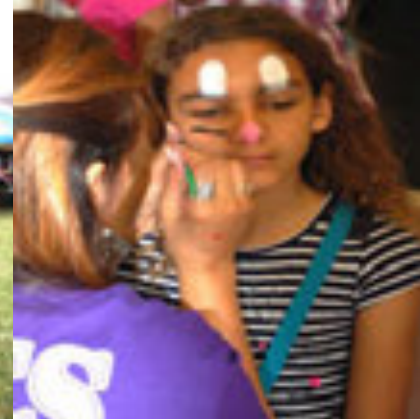
Notes from Peggy:

Love to make a joyful noise unto the Lord? If so, come join the choir!!!! We meet every Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. and then again Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. We want YOU!



**THE EASTER EGG HUNT WAS SO MUCH FUN!
HERE ARE SOME PICTURES FROM THE EVENT!**

If you don't know who your deacon is, please let Peggy or any deacon know!



Pictures from Maundy Thursday Service

It was the day on which Jesus celebrated the Passover with His disciples, sharing a meal with them which we call the Last Supper.



Pictures from Windows of the Church Service



*Then Jesus came
from Galilee to the
Jordan to John, to be
baptized by him.
Matthew 3:13*



*"...This is my beloved
Son, with whom I am
well pleased."
Matthew 3:17*



Pictures from Easter Sunday Service



He is risen!

He is risen indeed!



He is not here, for He has risen, as He said. Come, see the place where He lay...Matthew 28:6





Small Groups

Tuesday Women's Group will be meeting at 10am and facilitated by Ellen.

There will be a 6 Week Study on the movie "War Room". It's going to focus on scriptural lessons and inspiring movie clips.

Sessions are as follows:

- *Watching the Movie
- *Dealing with Spiritual Lukewarmness
- *Christian Accountability
- *Grasping Grace and the Gospel
- *Engaging in Spiritual Warfare
- *Trusting God in Prayer

Kristin is excited to be facilitating another Glades Young Women's Study!

What are you chasing? We're all chasing after something, something that we think will make us happy – comfort, success, a bigger house, or someone's approval. But if we are all honest, it feels like trying to catch the wind. As David's life weaves throughout the pages of Scripture, we see he was a man who spent his life chasing after God. "Chase" explores the events that defined David's

Life and the Psalms that flowed out of those experiences. Through David's example, we'll discover what God really wants from us. God has carved out a space in each of us that only He can fill. So whether you are running from God or working your tail off to please Him, David's journey will challenge your view of God. God is invisible, and yet He is the only thing we can chase that won't leave us feeling more empty.

"Chase" will start Wednesday, April 6th at 7pm!

Contact Kristin at krobglades@gmail.com with any questions.

Thursday Men's Group **Date/Time and Locations are:**

Thursday, March 31st at 7pm at Tijuana Flats
Thursday, April 14th at 7pm at Sweet Tomatoes
Thursday, April 28th at 7pm at Chili's
Brian Claxton is facilitating.

Sunday Evenings:
Walk in the Word
at 6pm on
April 3rd and
April 17th!
Mike Hoglund is
facilitating.

Keep an ear out
for any upcoming
Men's Small
Groups events
from Paul and/or
Mike!



*Glades Kiddos,
Have you
marked your
calendars???*

*Start
inviting your
friends!*

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



Graduation Sunday
June 5th

If you have a graduate, please let us know by May 1st!



It's time for
CHANGE
— THE LIFE AND MONEY PLAN FOR TEENS —



It's time for this generation to learn the truth. It's time we kicked things into gear and gave our kids a head start. It's time for change.



Hosted by Dave Ramsey's daughter Rachel Cross, Generation Change is a nine-week Bible study. Divided into three series, Generation Change teaches teens how to handle money God's ways, understand who they are in Jesus Christ, and develop virtues that will last a lifetime.

more info

Glades Presbyterian Church
Sundays 11:45am-1pm
Starting January 24th -- Lunch Included
6th-12th Graders -- 561-477-4898
daveramsey.com/gc

Glades Youth:
Get excited...
We are
continuing
through the
"Generation
Change" study!
Dates are:
April 10th
April 17th
April 24th
Lunch Included



Start praying for our youth mission trip team. Those signed up thus far are:
Ryan Armstrong, Andrea and Matthew Claxton, Wyatt Cooper, &
Katie and Lawrence Ghougasian.
Our enthusiastic leaders are: Chat and Janet Cooper, Paul Ghougasian,
Pastor Carter and Kristin.

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

**I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.
Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well. Psalm 139:14**

Birthdays

- 1- Julian Sansaricq**
- 4- Alicia Tracy-Ann Howell**
- 9- Pastor Carter**
- 13- Jerret Cherry**
- 14- John Sisoian**
Jenny Cherry
- 21- Lonna Bobko**
- 30- Tabitha Roubian**
Ashley Brown



Anniversaries

- 2- Robinson**
- 28- Sisoian**

Take a moment to acknowledge those who have a birthday or anniversary this month. If your birthday/anniversary is not listed in your month, please contact the church office.



If you have any family, friends, and/or are aware of congregants who have upcoming surgeries, are in the hospital, and/or need prayer, please let Pastor Carter know. He and Kristin like to lift them in prayer and if they are local, go visit them.

Any May Newsletter Announcements, etc need to be sent to admin@gladeschurch.com no later than April 17th.

Wrapping it up...

A Big THANK YOU to Laurie and John Jenkins! Thanks for the beautiful flowers you have gotten Glades for Christmas, Easter, Palm Sunday, and our Easter Cross!

Spring Tea Is Brewing

All the women and girls of Glades are invited to a festive spring tea on April 23 from 2:00 to 4:00. Come and enjoy fellowship, lots of goodies, entertainment and, of course, tea! Hats and white gloves are encouraged but not required. This is a great event. Invite your friends and plan to attend.

For more information, call Ellen at (561)212-1767

Reminder: Gathering Men's Outreach

1st Breakfast of 2016!
May 13, 2016 from
7:00am-9:00am
Next event features:
Daryl Strawberry's
Testimony

Congregational Meeting

On April 17th
immediately
following Worship

Thanks to Ryan Crout for sharing his musical talent on Easter and throughout the year!



Don't forget:

*Our next Boca Helping Hands is scheduled for
April 16 from 9:00am-12:00pm
at Boca Glades Baptist Church!*





My name is Kimbal Barnes. I was born in Chungju City, South Korea and adopted when I was 5 months old. Since my adoption, I've lived in New Jersey, Florida, and Texas. I've been living in Boca Raton almost all my life. I cannot see myself living anywhere else! I have been married for almost 11 years to my amazing husband, Steven. We have a son named Liam, who is 4 years old. My church home is Boca Glades Baptist Church, where I assist my husband who teaches the College & Career Sunday School class. I am very happy and thankful to be working here at Glades Presbyterian Church!

Are you interested in an adventure and serving others in a way that glorifies God?

Our next Guatemala Mission Trip is February 4th-12th, 2017

The mission includes: Building Houses for widowed women w/ Children, VBS program, Recovery Program, and Worship w/ the Mayan culture

It all begins with your short application telling us why you feel called to join this exciting team. Email Pastor Carter: PastorCarterRob@gmail.com

Application information and details are available in Narthex



A 3-year-old nearly walked off of the roof...which would have meant a 3 story fall to her death.

Thanks to Glades Presbyterian, we were able to provide a much needed railing to prevent further risk.

Please make a donation by Stripe, check, or cash to help cover the \$2,800.00

On behalf of the House of Healing & Glades Presbyterian Church,

I would like to thank you for this and future support.



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