



The Glades Gazette

July 2020 Newsletter

In Celebration of Freedom

As we celebrate the birth of our nation, let us all remember we celebrate freedom. We are blessed with and enjoy freedoms that not everyone can boast. Be reminded that religious liberty was sought, insured and protected by the founding fathers. It was seminal to the creation of this country. There was the expectation that the since the “Christian religion” was superior to all others it would be recognized s such and “rise to the top” but that all must be afforded the ability to worship and practice their faith as their conscience dictated.

The Gospel, or Good News of Jesus Christ is about living in freedom—being freed from sin and every kind of bondage. That is why, early in His ministry, Jesus quoted Isaiah’s Old Testament prophecy that He had been sent to “set free those who are oppressed” (Luke 4:18). Jesus made clear that this freedom begins with our relationship with Him.

Many Believers (and even non-Believers) quote Jesus as saying, “You will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.” But we can forget that there was a condition to this freedom. Jesus said this is only available to those who “continue in My Word,” to those who are “truly disciples of Mine” (John 8:31-32).

The Old Testament stresses this same principle. We read how the Psalmist could walk in freedom because he had “devoted myself to your commandments,” basing his life on God’s Word.

Many in the world think that freedom means doing whatever they want. But the Bible urges us to remember that freedom begins with a loving, obedient relationship with God. He is our Creator, and He knows us better than we know ourselves. He desires to bless us physically, financially, and spiritually. He wants to enrich our lives in every way and free us from all fears and worries.

We only experience real freedom after we make Jesus our Lord, devote ourselves to God’s Word, and are filled with the Holy Spirit, allowing Him to direct our lives.

Today, remember that “the truth will make you free.” You don’t have to be dominated by sin or bad habits, worry or fear. Make Jesus your Lord. Renew your commitment to base your life on God’s Word.

This is His plan to give you real freedom, real victory, and real peace. You can be confident and secure, guided by His wisdom. It is my hope and prayer that you may celebrate your freedom individually and as a nation. May the Lord bless you and keep you and your family and friends.

Sincerely yours in Christ Jesus,

Pastor David

News from the Session

Grace and Peace to you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! The session has faithfully been meeting every Monday evening via Zoom. We have been working with the Presbytery via Tuesday Zoom calls also too. That allowed us to re-open for services following guidelines put forth. The re-opening has been in Phases we are moving into Phases 2 in July. That includes adding more Hymns to the service and serving Communion. We are very pleased to see all returning to worship the Lord at Glades. You may be asked to serve as a Deacon or Elder , please consider it an honor. For nothing is impossible with God. May the Lord's blessing come upon you. Look forward to seeing you at Glades this summer.

Sincerely,
Glades Session



sun	mon	tue	wed	thu	fri	sat
			1 Cheryl Crout's Birthday	2	3	4
5 10:30A Worship	6	7 Ozcan Feyzioglo's Birthday	8	9 Men's Bible Study. 7pm	10	11 Beverly Newland's Birthday Garlanger's Aniversary
12 10:30A Worship/	13	14	15	16 Jenkin's Anniversary	17	18 Boca Helping Hands 8:30 am
19 10:30A Worship/	20 Linda William's Birthday	21	22	23 Men's Bible's Study 7pm Fuschia Adam's Birthday	24	25
26 10:30A Worship	27 John Jenkin's Birthday	28	29	30 Romeo's Anniversary	31	

DEACONS' CARE GROUPS

Laurie Jenkins - 561-487-4255

Lisa Roubian
Steve Straus
Loan Ellis
Terri Dorsey
Karen Sanchez
Wayne & Hortense Walker

Linda Williams - 954-240-4785

Mary Jo Luccarelli
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
Donna LaCertosa
Mary, Sebastian, & Ariel Fernandez
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Carmen Gomez

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

Addie Cordes - 561-445-7618

Neyda Rodriguez
Ed & Brenda Romeo
Tracy & Bob Garlanger
Brian, Gladys, Patricia,
Andrea, & Matt Claxton
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Cathy & Dan Wantz
Pat Wilkins
Rowena Avrigh
Lauren Romeo
Ozcan Feyzioglo
Santosh & Lalitha Mathen

June Birthdays

July 1- Cheryl Crout
July 7- Ozcon Feyzioglo
July 11- Beverly Newland
July 20- Linda Williams
July 23- Fuschia Adam
July 27- John Jenkins

July Anniversary

July 11- Garlanger
July 16- Jenkins
July 30- Romeo

Boca Helping Hands.
Saturday, July 18th
At
8:30am

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21121 Judge Winikoff Rd.
Boca Raton, Florida 33428
561-477-4898

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Website: www.gladeschurch.com



IF YOU HAVE ANY NEEDS
OR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL YOUR
DEACON. DEACONS, IF YOU CAN'T
RESOLVE NEEDS OR QUESTIONS, PLEASE
CALL ONE OF THE CHURCH ELDERS:

BRIAN CLAXTON

[561-504-0155](tel:561-504-0155)

TERRY CROUT

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Deacons:

Class of 2020:

Laurie Jenkins and Carmen Gomez

Class of 2021:

Tracy Garlanger and Addie Cordes

Class of 2022:

Rowena Avrigh and Linda Williams

Elders

Class of 2020:

Terry Crout and John Jenkins

Class of 2021:

Brian Claxton and Karen Sanchez

Class of 2022:

Bob Garlanger

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.*

CHOIR

Choir is canceled for now until
further notice. PLEASE
CONTACT BEVERLY
NEWLAND
AT 488-3690.

Pastor David's Phone Number: 937-307-6158

**Pastor David's Office Hours:
Wednesday and Thursday
10AM-4PM**

**Please pray for Raegan Mize
(6 year old neighbor of Kernie's),
who has terminal cancer.**

Men's Bible Study!

**When: July 9th
July 23rd**

**Time: 7pm
Brian Claxton
Facilitating.**



Dear congregation:

As you know, recent corona virus fears have further reduced the size of our weekly congregations. Regardless, our church must pay its employees, utilities, and upkeep expenses every month. So, we would kindly ask that you keep up-to-date with your pledges/tithes/offerings, even if you are not currently attending our weekly services. Thank you. If you'd like, you can mail them directly to church:

Glades Presbyterian Church
21121 Judge Winikoff Rd.
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Also, we live stream our services on Facebook and save them to our website.

Thank you, God bless you, and may you stay healthy!

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