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"For I am **not ashamed** of this Good News about Christ. It is the power of God at work, saving everyone who believes – the Jew first and also the Gentile. This Good News tells us how God makes us right in his sight. This is accomplished from start to finish by faith. As the Scriptures say, "It is through faith that a righteous person has life." Romans 1:16-17

May 12, 2019

### **SUNDAY WORSHIP**

"So, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God"

PRELUDE TO WORSHIP

"Open Up the Heavens" WELCOME & CELEBRATION

#### **GREETING ONE ANOTHER – LUKE 24:36**

CALL TO WORSHIP - PSALM 100:3-4

#### SONGS OF PRAISE TO THE LORD CHRIST

\*"Blessed Be Your Name"

\*"Blessed Assurance"

\*"Your Glory (Nothing but the Blood)"

#### **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S LESSON

HEAR GOD'S WORD – ROB DUSSE

**OLD TESTAMENT READING: EXODUS 20:1-17** 

NEW TESTAMENT READING: MATTHEW 22:34-40

SERMON – WORK MATTERS: WHATEVER YOU DO

COLOSSIANS 3:23-24 - PASTOR ROBERT OLSZEWSKI

#### OFFERTORY

"I Stand in Awe" SCOTT & AMBER BERGMAN

We offer ourselves to God, dedicating all to his service. Visitors, please feel no obligation to give to this ministry.

### \*BENEDICTION

Elders will be available for prayer following the Service

\*Stand as Comfort Allows

In Reverence to the Lord and for the courtesy of other worshipers, please turn off or silence your cell phones and other electronics.

# **CURRENT ADULT CLASSES**

# Wednesday Night

Discover your life on the frontline and make a difference where you are...



April 24 - May 29; 6:15 pm - 7:15 pm

# **Sunday Morning**



# **LEADERSHIP TRAINING**

What does and a Deacon or an Elder do at GracePoint? How do you become a Deacon or Elder at GracePoint? These are some of the questions along with much more that will be answered in our next Leadership Training for Deacons and Elders. This class is open to all prospective (nominated Deacon/Elder) Deacons & Elders, those interested in church leadership, and those wanting to learn more about how we govern our local church. Please RSVP by email (kbergmangracepointpc@gmail.com) or phone (813-759-9383). Classes will be held,

- May 19, 11am-12 noon
- May 26, 11am-12 noon
- May 29, 6:15-7:15pm

### **SERMON NOTES**

## WORK MATTERS: WHATEVER YOU DO COLOSSIANS 3:23-24

1. One part \_\_\_\_\_ (Colossians 3:23a)

2. One part \_\_\_\_\_ (Colossians 3:24a)

3. Whole of \_\_\_\_\_ (Colossians 3:24b)

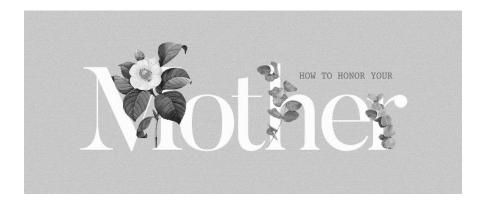
### **QUOTES TO PONDER**

"And he said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind." - Matthew 22:37

""Luther says that vocations are a "mask from God. That is, God hides Himself in the workplace, the family, the Church, and the seemingly secular society" - Gene Edward Veith Jr.

"Before Jesus calls us to do things for him, he invites us to come be with him. He breathes his own Spirit into us. There is an interior reality to the kingdom of God; it involves something new happening in us (as we become new creatures in Christ)." - Amy Sherman

""A job is a vocation only if someone else calls you to do it for them rather than for yourself. And so our work can be a calling only if it is reimagined as a mission of service to something beyond merely our own interests. Thinking of work mainly as a means of self-fulfillment and self-realization slowly crushes a person." - Timothy Keller <u>P2P (PASTOR TO PEOPLE)</u> Whatever You Do: Mothers



Today we celebrate and remember how our mothers have been a blessing to us. I remember when I was in elementary school making my art project for my mother. The project was some sort of pottery that I probably messed up. Nonetheless, I was so proud and thankful to be able to offer up something for my mother in honor of here service to me. It was a token of my grateful heart for ALL that my mother did for me. As I reflect back on those days as a child and a son of a wonderful mother, I can't but help think about Colossians 3:18-23. Paul gives instructions on how husbands, wives, parents, children, and slaves were to relate to one another. I find it very interesting that outside of wives and parents there is nothing overtly said about mothers. Ephesians 6:2 and Exodus 20:12 does say to honor your father and mother but Colossians doesn't. The silence in Colossians is closely connected to this idea that "whatever you do" should be as "working to the Lord, not men." So as you honor and appreciate your mother's today do it not to them only but first as "unto the Lord Christ". If your mother is no longer with you encourage another mother or a woman desiring to be a mother one day. By so doing you will be serving the "Lord Christ" and this will bring joy to our Father who is in heaven.

Much joy and love, Pastor Robert

# THIS WEEK

#### Sunday, May 12 - Mother's Day

9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Sip n' Chat 11:15 a.m. No Sunday School

#### Monday, May 13

4:00 p.m. Friends in the Park 7:00 p.m. Praise Team Practice

#### Tuesday, May 14

| 6:30 a.m. | Focused Prayer        |
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| 5:00 p.m. | Exercise & Praise     |
| 6:00 p.m. | Women's Study         |
| 6:30 p.m. | Joint Leadership Mtg. |
| 7:30 p.m. | Deacon Meeting        |
| 7:30 p.m. | Session Meeting       |

#### Wednesday, May 15

| 9:30 a.m. | Cherup LifeGroup     |
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| 5:30 p.m. | Fellowship Dinner    |
| 6:15 p.m. | Classes for all ages |

#### Thursday, May 16

11:00 a.m. Exercise & Praise

#### Friday, May 17

6:00 a.m. Sleep Warriors8:00 p.m. Marriage Night

#### Saturday, May 18

11:00 a.m. Harnage Grad Party Grace Christian (ends @ 5pm)

#### Sunday, May 19

Offering

| 9:30 a.m.                   | Worship Service |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|
| 10:45 a.m.                  | Sip n' Chat     |  |  |  |
| 11:15 a.m.                  | Sunday School   |  |  |  |
|                             | (all ages)      |  |  |  |
| THE WEEK THAT WAS — FINANCE |                 |  |  |  |
| Weekly Income               | Budget \$ 9,616 |  |  |  |

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For Prayer Requests or to be added to the email prayer chain, contact:

### kbergman@gracepointpc.org.

...for Alex and Sandra Probasco as they move to support their grandmother. For their salvation.

... for Ralph Burnett with continued health concerns and peace of God.

...for the Simmons safe travels to North Carolina

... for Ruth Cherup's daughter and family with the loss of their mother on Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>.

...for Maureen Thompson, find common ground with those she mentors and bringing Christ into the conversation.

...for Shaunah Tanner for sale of home to go smoothly and with the least amount of stress possible, for wisdom.

...for Delbert, Scott Bergman's father, as he finds out the extend of his cancer diagnosis, through the treatment process, and for a salvation experience.

...for Cody Schou who is serving a tour in Saudi Arabia, continued prayer for protection and God's comfort & peace.

...for Joey and Brittany McIntosh, grandchildren of Kerry and Maggie Beard. Brittany is due this month and may have to undergo a C-Section.

...for Jeff Craven, son-in-law of Walt and Judy Arnold, for health concerns.

...for Shaunah Tanner for sale of home to go smoothly and with the least amount of stress possible, for wisdom.

...for Isabella, a friend of the Sytsma's, who suffers depression

....for David Harnage for divine guidance in life decisions. Praises for a good report on Jennifer's health, Melissa's graduation from FSC and for the wonderful loving family and friends.to celebrate with. Gratitude for our church.



Marriage Night is a one-night event for married and engaged couples to laugh and learn as they hear from marriage experts and discover how to honor God through their relationship. The speaker lineup includes Francis and Lisa Chan, Les and Leslie Parrott, and comedian Michael Jr. Mark your calendar and plan to attend—it'll be worth your time.

Tickets are available for \$15 per person. To register to attend Marriage Night go to: <u>https://events.rightnowmedia.org/attendee/site/1476</u>

We look forward to seeing you at Marriage Night on May. Please don't hesitate to contact John or Andrea Simmons if you have questions or need additional information: jsimmons00@gmail.com or Awall18@hotmail.com

#### EXPECTING

*Matt and Lauren Poulos*, son-in-law and daughter of Keith and Lisa Kolakowski, are expecting in June.

*Davey and Lindsay Crosson*, son and daughter-in-law of John and Dawn Crosson, are expecting their first child in August.

*Cody and Jayde Schou* are expecting their first child, daughter Kenlyn, the beginning of July.

*Ryan and Ginger Blackmon*, son-in-law and daughter of Jim and Robyn Jeffries, are expecting a baby girl in October.

Joey and Brittany McIntosh, grandson and granddaughter-in-law of Kerry and Maggie Beard, are expecting their first child, a daughter, this month.

#### ELDER OF THE DAY

Rob Dusse

#### **DEACON OF THE MONTH**

Brian Grady

#### **TODAY'S WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS**

Special Needs Class

9:30 a.m. Donna Howard

11:00 a.m. No Sunday School

Children's Church

Kerry Bergman

*Sip n' Chat Cleanup* Redeeming Works Class