

October 6, 2019

**SERMON NOTES**

**1 PETER 5:6-11 - TOGETHER WE GROW**

Growing together in Christ means,

1. Being \_\_\_\_\_ together.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ together
3. \_\_\_\_\_ God's grace together


**QUOTES TO PONDER**

“The early church practiced two things simultaneously: orthodoxy of doctrine and orthodoxy of visible community.” - Francis Schaeffer

“The person who loves their dream of community will destroy community, but the person who loves those around them will create community.” - Dietrich Bonhoeffer

“Pain insists upon being attended to. God whispers to us in our pleasures, speaks in our consciences, but shouts in our pains. It is his megaphone to rouse a deaf world.” - C.S. Lewis

“You don't really know Jesus is all you need until Jesus is all you have.” - Tim Keller



Pastor Appreciation Sunday will be October 27th. Please bring finger foods to share at our Super Sip and Chat as we honor Pastor Robert. We will have a basket for cards.  
PLEASE NOTE: We will not have Sunday School on this day.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – 3<sup>RD</sup> NOTICE**

We will have a Congregational Meeting immediately following the Worship Service today for the purpose of reviewing the Terms of Call for Pastor Olszewski.

**SUNDAY VOLUNTEERS**

**ELDER OF THE DAY**  
Nate Kilton

**Special Needs Class**  
9:30 am Sue Ryals  
11:15 am Shari Sun




**Children's Church**  
Kerry Bergman

**Sip n' Chat Cleanup**  
Adult Class

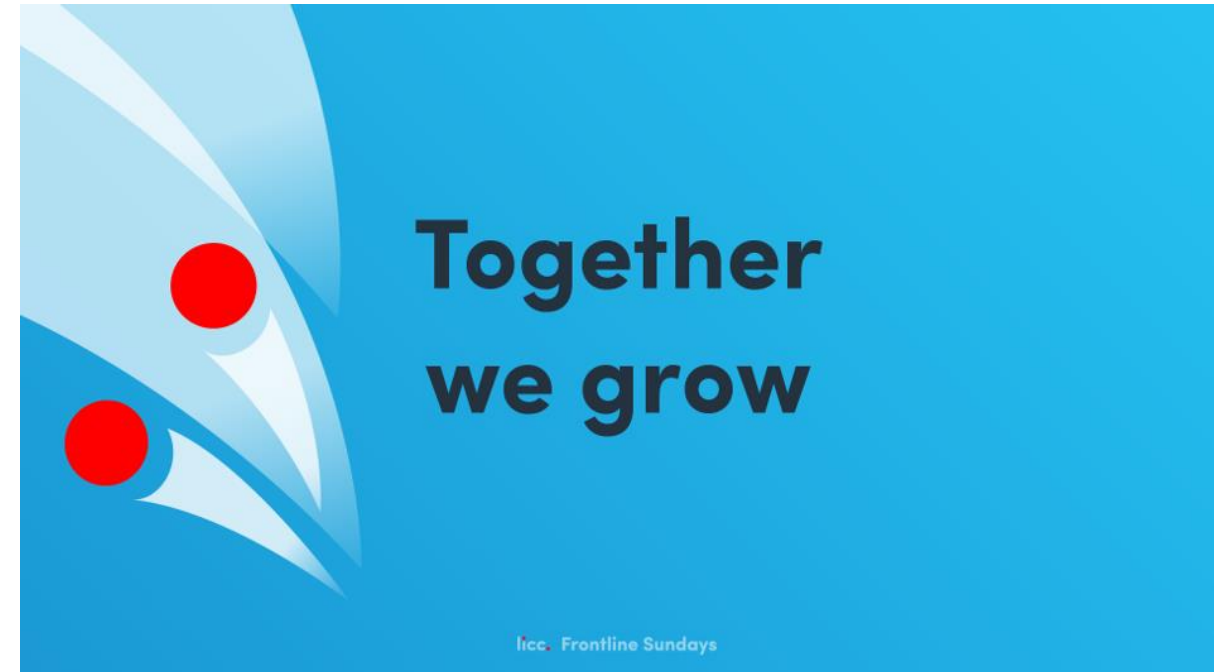
**DEACON OF THE MONTH**  
Barbara Kicklighter

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Church Office hours: Mon. – Thu. 8am-3pm



*“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



## SUNDAY WORSHIP

*“unless compelled by a mighty hand.”*

### PRELUDE TO WORSHIP

“A Mighty Fortress is Our God”

CALL TO WORSHIP – PSALM 8:3-4

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM: MONICA ELIZABETH SCHREFFLER

*Daughter of Nathan and Wendy Schreffler,  
Granddaughter of Frederick and Debbie Schreffler*

GREETING ONE ANOTHER – LUKE 24:36

SONGS OF PRAISE TO OUR MIGHTY GOD

\*“More Like Jesus”

\*“What a Beautiful Name/Agnus Dei”

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

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

CHILDREN’S LESSON – PASTOR ROBERT OLSZEWSKI

HEAR GOD’S WORD – NATE KILTON

OLD TESTAMENT READING: DEUTERONOMY 4:32-34

NEW TESTAMENT READING: 1 PETER 3:18-22

SERMON – TOGETHER WE GROW

1 PETER 5:6-11 - PASTOR ROBERT OLSZEWSKI

HOLY COMMUNION

\*DOXOLOGY

\*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 worshippers,  
please turn off or silence your cell phones and other electronics.

## THIS WEEK

**Sunday, October 6 - Communion**

8:45 a.m. Prayer in the Chapel  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service  
10:45 a.m. Sip n’ Chat  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School

**Monday, October 7**

6:30 p.m. Children’s Committee Mtg.  
7:00 p.m. Praise Team Practice

**Tuesday, October 8**

8:00 a.m. Classical Conversations  
5:00 p.m. Exercise & Praise  
6:00 p.m. Diaconate Meeting

**Wednesday, October 9**

9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study  
5:30 p.m. Fellowship Time  
6:30 p.m. Wednesday Night ALIVE!  
\*Pastor’s Notes (Adults)  
\*Christianity 101 (Youth)  
\*252Kids (Children’s)

**Thursday, October 10**

11:00 a.m. Exercise & Praise  
6:00 p.m. Berean Footsteps Life Group  
7:00 p.m. Acts 2:42 Life Group

**Friday, October 11**

6:00 a.m. Sleep Warriors

**Saturday, October 12**

**Sunday, October 13**

8:45 a.m. Prayer in the Chapel  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service  
10:45 a.m. Congregational Meeting  
10:50 a.m. Sip n’ Chat  
11:15 a.m. Sunday School

THE WEEK THAT WAS — FINANCE

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| Weekly Income Budget | \$    | 9,574     |
| Offering             | 09/29 | \$ 11,377 |

## LIFEGROUPS MEETING ON THURSDAYS

The Berean Footsteps Bible Study & Life Group meets in the home of Tom & Caren Tucker every Thursday evening. Fellowship dinner is at 6:00 pm with Bible Study following. All are welcome. Call Caren at 813-704-5484 if interested in joining us. Currently studying Thessalonians.

**Acts 2:42**  
Life Group

DEVOTED TO THE APOSTLES’ TEACHING, TO  
FELLOWSHIP, TO THE BREAKING OF BREAD AND  
TO PRAYER.

This Life Group spends time in the Word, prayer, fellowship and always a little breaking of bread! We’re always open to newcomers (whether GP members or not) and desire that non-believers will come and feel equally as welcomed.

## PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS

...for Jordon & Hailee Bergman, strengthening of faith and courage when the world gets them down

...for Jacob Stevens, a friend of the Bergman’s, who is in Fire Academy

...for Rayburn Hendrix, health concerns.

...for Vicky Kennedy as she battles Cushing’s Disease and undergoes treatment. Pray that it is successful.

...for Cassie Land, daughter of Avery & Barbara Kicklighter, for healing.

...for Kenneth Gorman, friend of Ann Rushing, stage 4 cancer, pray for family also.

...for the Paige/St. Brun children.

...for Myra Nieves, visit to FU Medical Research Hospital confirmed the reality of a rare kidney disease. Please pray for wisdom as to next steps and treatment. Pray for complete coverage by health insurance whatever the chosen treatment path. Pray for peace in the midst of waiting and for final decision on treatment path

...for Marilyn Ricci, Scott Bergman’s mom, who is having knee replacement surgery on Monday, for a successful surgery and healing.

**EXPECTING – PLEASE PRAY OVER THESE FAMILIES**

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

*Joshua & Cassandra Watson, son and daughter-in-law of Robert and Kathleen Watson are expecting their first child, a son in December.*

For Prayer Requests or to be added to the email prayer chain, contact: [kbergman@gracepointpc.org](mailto:kbergman@gracepointpc.org).