SERMON NOTES

COLOSSIANS 1:15-20 - THE BIG PICTURE

- 1. What is the big picture?
- How do I enter into the big picture?
- 3. Next Steps

QUOTES TO PONDER

"We are called to be fruitful - not successful, not productive, not accomplished. Success comes from strength, stress, and human effort. Fruitfulness comes from vulnerability and the admission of our own weakness." - Henri Nouwen

"Great winds and storms help fruit-bearing trees. So also do corruptions and temptations help the fruitfulness of grace and holiness. The storm loosens the earth round its roots, so the tree is able to get its roots deeper into the earth, where it receives fresh supplies of nourishment. But only much later will it be seen to bring forth better fruit. So corruptions and temptations develop the roots of humility, self-abasement and mourning in a deeper search for that grace by which holiness grows strong. But only later will there be visible fruits of increased holiness." - John Owen



BEREAN FOOTSTEPS BIBLE STUDY & LIFE GROUP

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 us. ioining Currently studving 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.

SUNDAY VOLUNTEERS

ELDER OF THE DAY Jeff Jackson

Special Needs Class 9:30 am Donna Howard 11:15 am Dawn Kicklighter Children's Church Kerry Bergman

Sip n' Chat Cleanup NextGen

DEACON OF THE MONTH

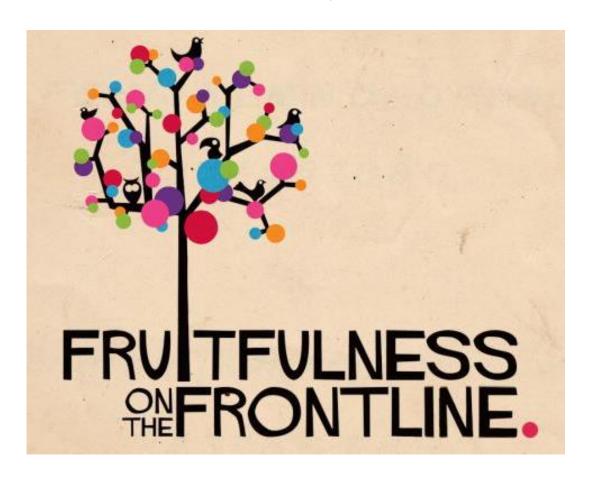
Barbara Kicklighter







October 13, 2019



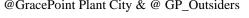
"For I am **not ashamed** of this Good News about Christ. It is the power of God at work, saving everyone who believes – the Jew first and also the Gentile. This Good News tells us how God makes us right in his sight. This is accomplished from start to finish by faith. As the Scriptures say, 'It is through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

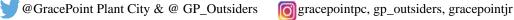
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Church Office hours: Mon. – Thu. 8am-3pm

SUNDAY WORSHIP

"highest of the kings of the earth"

PRELUDE TO WORSHIP

"The Reason"

CALL TO WORSHIP - PSALM 89:5

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING ONE ANOTHER – LUKE 24:36

SONGS OF PRAISE TO OUR MIGHTY GOD

*"Unstoppable God"

*"More Like Jesus"

*"Blessed Assurance"

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S LESSON - LESLEY BATEMAN

HEAR GOD'S WORD - JEFF JACKSON

OLD TESTAMENT READING: PROVERBS 8:22-31

NEW TESTAMENT READING: HEBREWS 1:1-4

SERMON – THE BIG PICTURE

COLOSSIANS 1:15-20 - PASTOR ROBERT OLSZEWSKI

OFFERTORY - JOHN CROSSON PIANO SOLO

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.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 13

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 14 (Office Closed)

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

Tuesday, October 15

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

6:00 p.m. Session Meeting

Wednesday, October 16

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)

232Kids (Children's)

7:45 p.m. Christmas Chorus Practice

Thursday, October 17

11:00 a.m. Exercise & Praise

Friday, October 18

Florida Presbytery - Oviedo

6:00 a.m. Sleep Warriors

Saturday, October 19

Florida Presbytery - Oviedo

Sunday, October 20

8:45 a.m. Prayer in the Chapel

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

10:50 a.m. Sip n' Chat

11:15 a.m. Sunday School

THE WEEK THAT WAS — FINANCE

Weekly Income Budget		\$ 9,574
Offering	10/06	\$ 10,780



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.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS

<u>Ruth Cherup</u> - Knee pain relief, for daughter, Denise to get back on the kidney transplant list

<u>Barbara Hendrix</u> - Still dealing with back spasms. I feel Jesus is helping me live with it.

<u>Autumn Love</u> - Please pray for William Spence, Autumn's grandfather. He's having severe back pain.

<u>Unknown</u> - Pray for sisters, Karen Romero and Candi Owens, with the loss of their mother.

<u>Karen Olszewski</u> - Pray for our cat, Frankie, who has not been eating for a week now. Decisions to make.

<u>Myra Nieves</u> - Thank you for all the prayers, phone calls, and cards.

Jennifer Harnage - Praise that Jennifer is getting good news from the Oncologist. God's healing hand is at work after Chemo treatment #4. Praise that remission is near and may it be long lasting that she can live to a happy old age! Prayers for each of our adult children: David, Melissa, and Zack.

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.