



Tuesday Night P.O.S.T

Prayers, Opportunities, Scriptures, Teachings

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Calendar Dates:

Fri 8/7 – **SINGLES Devo** 7-7:30pm singing
7:30-8:30 devo

Sat 8/8 - **Congregational WORKDAY** 8am (Church)

Tue 8/11 – Bible Talk at Sean's house 7:30pm start

Wed 8/12 - Men's Midweek 7pm

Thu 8/13 - Men's B'ball 8pm warm up

Tue 8/18 – Bible Talk at Sean's house 7:30pm start

Wed 8/19 – Congregational Midweek 7pm

Kingdom Kids Makeup Workshop 7pm

Thu 8/20 – Men's B'ball 8pm warm up

A family with an identity... *that is God.* ~ lead by Paul Trimble

Eph 3:14-19 (written to Christians)

Welcome into a family with an identity that is GOD!

- A baby doesn't bring the love into a family because the family already has it
- It is the same for us. The pressure is not on us to be the source of love but God.
- When you forget that God is the source of love we can tend to force others around us to become the source

Q. What does the gospel mean to you?

- Road to Salvation
- Good news of hope and peace
- Despite our sin we can have a personal relationship with God

God coming to earth as Jesus enables us to be reconciled and reveals God's heart in a deeper way.

Q. How does God feel about us?

- It surpasses our knowledge

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Major Events Coming Up!!

(Press Ctrl and click on the site.)



Florida Discipleship Conference 2009 Report WOW!

- OVER 1,500 registrants
- OVER 2,100 in attendance on Sunday
- Great Classes
- Great Messages
- Daytona Beach Send-Off
- Incredible Worship Experience on Saturday Night
- Fun after parties...
- Invigorating fellowship
- Need we say more?

Class/Message recordings will be posted online soon.

Sites to Check Out!!

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- V18 – the power to examine the intensity of God’s love; be firm and established in love

Luke 15 (Lost sheep/ Lost coin/ Lost son)

Q. Who do these parables show God’s love for us?

- No limits/ unconditional & will do anything!!
- God seeks us individually

Q. What motive does God have to love us?

- ONLY ONE! Because he TRULY WANTS to love us

Psalm 27:1-14 (from David)

Psalm 38:7

Psalm 33:1-3, 20-22

David shows us that we can just love God and be loved by God.

- God longs for this- this is what he seeks and desires
- God created in us the same longing
- He wants it for you now!
- Sometimes our hearts and minds can stand in the way and say...

“It sounds too good to be true.” → But it is!!

II Sam 22:21-25

Q. Who in this room would find this man “cocky” to write such things with such confidence?

**** Before the lesson began, Paul asked Bright to open up the BT with prayer BUT he was to pray like David did in II Sam. Many in the group confessed to Bright seeming a little arrogant to pray in such a way and Bright found it EXTREMELY HARD to speak as David did. Like v22 “not done Evil.” It was hard to utter it!! ****

David was a man after God’s own heart and he was able to see that God loved David.

- But it’s so foreign to us & what does that say about where we are?
- Perhaps you’ve prayed similarly when you were caught up in God’s love
- We CAN pray this more so now because Jesus died for us – we are blameless in God’s sight not because of what we do but because of Jesus.

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Serving as a resource to the Singles group of the ICOC



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- Maybe it's hard to pray like David did because we are so QUICK to condemn ourselves
- Remember: God is focused on his/our love for him and not our sin

Q. What is the fuel to be moved like David?

A. David: confident that God was right there when he needed him & forgave him.

David's confidence in God fueled him:

1. David had confidence to do great things for God. (1 Sam 17)
2. David had confidence to draw near God during tough times (Ps 25:16-25)
3. David had confidence to turn to God instead of sinning or turned to God afterwards for forgiveness (11 Sam 24)
4. David had confidence that he didn't have to act as others around him though he should
 - 11 Sam 24:16 Let Saul go
 - 1 Sam 30 Strength v23 equal share
 - 11 Sam 6 Embarrassed his wife while dancing
 - 11 Sam 16:19 Rocks thrown

The more you are connected to God the less expectations you will have on others because God will fill your needs.

Keep your confidence in God and you will never have to worry about others (for justice) as God will take care of them.

- When we see ourselves as full of evil and unworthy – we lose confidence in God's love
- David was the opposite and we have to force ourselves to read this and remember that Satan is the accuser while God is our advocate and will have a huge effect on our lives.

I'm slowly catching up on the P.O.S.T. so please forgive me. A lot has been going on in life as well as Grad-school but I appreciate all your prayers and encouragement.

Invest in Others:

Focusing on ourselves will never reveal our life's purpose.

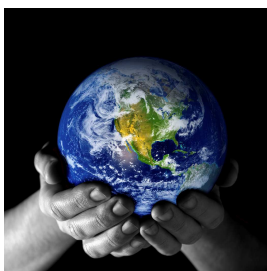
--Rick Warren, *The Purpose Driven Life*

"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal"

(Matthew 6:19-20).

*In Christ's Love,
Danielle*

Prayer Requests *and* People we are Reaching Out to:



The POWER of prayer is HUGE.

- Jobs for: Michael B. , Carlos R. , and Hosea B.
- AJ R. for current difficulties he's going through.
- Bright's grandmother has been diagnosed with Lung Cancer.
- Jennifer D: her health
- Danielle's family through the trials (father's health and relationship with him, mom's strength and peace, Danielle to find strength for her family through God.)
- For unity and strength for our **Singles Ministry** to grow in their faith and seek God's Kingdom first.
- For GROWTH in the **Campus Ministry** (Unity, Maturity, and BAPTISMS!!)
- Pray that our Campus Students who are back with their families' (Stan- NY) (Jabari- Miami, FL) that they feel tied into the Campus Ministries there so they can return to Jacksonville stronger than when they left.
 1. Jabari is studying the bible in Miami!! Pray for him!

