

Six Hours

by David Sproule Palm Beach lakes church of Christ Palm Beach Gardens, FL

What is the toughest six hours that you have ever experienced? Give it a few minutes of thought.

Maybe it was the transcontinental flight you took. The one when you had to get up at 3:00 a.m. to catch the first flight out, then you had a screaming baby sitting right behind you. That was a pretty tough six hours.

Maybe it was that marathon you ran. The one when you were making pretty good time, setting a good pace, but then half-way through someone accidentally stepped on your foot and your toes screamed in pain all the way to the finish. That was a pretty tough six hours.

Maybe it was the first day of your freshman year of high school. The one when everything seemed to go wrong with your bus-ride, your locker, your lunch, your everything. That was a pretty tough six hours.

Maybe it was taking the LSAT exam to get into law school (or equivalent). The one that you spent months and months in rigorous preparations, didn't sleep well the night before, and then agonized over section after section of the exam. That was a pretty tough six hours.

Maybe it was that drive from Atlanta to Birmingham that should have only taken two hours. The one when you were running late for your best friend's wedding and there were two multi-car pile-ups on I-20 that cost you four extra long hours in traffic. That was a pretty tough six hours.

Maybe it was your heart bypass surgery. The one when a routine doctor's visit ended up sending you straight to the hospital and an immediate passage into pre-op for emergency surgery. That was a pretty tough six hours.

What is the toughest six hours that you have ever experienced? No matter how tough it was and how much you can hype it, nothing you ever go through will come close to comparing to the last six hours of Jesus' life. *"Now it was the third hour, and they crucified Him" (Mark 15:25). "And at the ninth hour...Jesus cried out with a loud voice, and breathed His last" (Mark 15:34-37).*

Jesus suffered for six hours on the cross! He was scourged, mocked, spit upon, stripped, crowned, robed and burdened with His own cross before the six hours even started. Then, He was nailed to a rough timber to be tortured with an excruciating death for six hours. Nothing will ever compare!

And, those six hours were for you and for me!

NEWSLETTER

March 20, 2022

Mark Dailey, evangelist
(716) 754-2752

minister@lasallechurchofchrist.org

Schedule of Services

Our current schedule is:
Sunday AM Worship 11:00 AM

La Salle
church of Christ
A place of worship and healing.

1121 N. Military Rd.
Niagara Falls, NY 14304
(716) 283-1214

lasallechurchofchrist.org



We welcome all who are here today.

If you are a visitor we are honored to have you with us. Please fill out a *Visitor Card* (on the back of the pew in front of you). We would like for you to place the *Visitor Card* in one of the receptacles provided at the front and rear of the auditorium. There will be an opportunity to give but as a visitor it is not expected of you. Thanks.



There is a nursery at the rear of the auditorium up the stairs if you need to care for your infant.



Read God's Word

We offer a **free** Bible Correspondence Course



March 2022
75 years of meeting at this location.
The first service in this building was held March 1947.

Please keep cell phones and other noise making devices silent. Thank you.

Condolences

Our sympathy to former member here Charlie West, and also his son David, on the passing of Charlie's wife Dolored West. Please see the obituary posted in the back.

James 5:16

Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

Prayers *In our prayers, let's praise God, recognize His greatness, thank Him for His Son and His blessings.*

Please pray as we continue our search for a gospel preacher.

Let's pray for the situation in the Ukraine.

Let's pray for Christians in both the Ukraine and Russia.

Let's keep in our prayers Barbara Oliver, Marjorie Reed, Louella Hopkins, and Bill & Kris Kinney.

Anna Brink is undergoing cancer treatments.

Diane Mellott is dealing with severe arthritis in her right hip causing her difficulty walking. She is facing surgery in the future. She had a Cortisone shot Feb. 16 and is scheduled to see her doctor in April.

Darlene Reed She went to Dent Tower Mar. 10 for tests concerning losing her balance. Her hip surgery is scheduled for Mar. 23.

Denise Garlitz is dealing with a skin infection and cellulitis.

Glen Mueller Glen is in Jennie B. Richmond Nursing Home in Springville, NY, (Located in Bertrand Chaffe Hospital). Let's continue to pray for him and his family. Let's also pray for the Sardinia church of Christ.

Sharon Alcorn, Jessica Alcorn's sister-in-law, has recently been diagnosed with brain cancer.

Janine Galuppo, Ray McArthur's sister near Syracuse, is now out of the hospital but dealing with multiple issues. She has more Dr. appointments lined up for the next couple of weeks. They are watching to see if anything gets better or worse. Her right eye still seems OK.

Dale Mullholland, brother of Denise Garlitz & Darlene Reed, is homebound with severe arthritis in his back and legs. He is 62.

Holly, Denise Garlitz daughter, is having problems with her legs.

Sharron Gantt Let's keep her in our prayers as she recovers from recent surgery.

Darlene Yarian has been sick off and on lately.



The mask mandate has been lifted, but it is still recommended we all wear a mask.

Widows & Widowers

Please remember our widows and widowers in cards, calls, and helpful service. **James 1:27**

Upcoming Events *(Lord willing)*

Mar. 20 Men's Business Meeting *Postponed to Mar. 27*

If you didn't submit a photo last Sunday or have one taken it can be taken in person today. See "**Photos**" below.

Special Contribution for Ukraine Relief. See below.

Mar. 27 Men's Business Meeting



Photos

We have been working on updating/enhancing the photo board.

Photos not submitted by last Sunday or taken last Sunday need to be taken today. Thanks for your cooperation.

Today: Special Contribution Ukraine Relief

At a meeting held Sun. Mar. 6, 2022 Dave Schnell mentioned a contact by the name of Glenn Colley at the West Huntsville church of Christ in Huntsville, Alabama. Glenn is the minister at the congregation and Dave has known him for a while. Dave was inquiring about helping with the situation in the Ukraine. Dave was told that the Dalraida church of Christ in Montgomery, Alabama is the place to inquire. The Dalraida congregation has been doing mission work in the Ukraine since 1994. John Kachelman, Jr. has been a missionary in the Ukraine for 28 years working with the Dalraida congregation. At the meeting it was decided to designate Mar. 20 as a day for *special contribution* for help with the Ukraine. It was also decided that above and beyond what individual members give on that day for Ukraine Relief that \$2,500 from church funds would also be given.

Websites etc.

- West Huntsville church of Christ in Huntsville, Alabama <https://www.westhuntsville.org/>
- Dalraida church of Christ in Montgomery, Alabama <https://www.dalraida.org/>
- John Kachelman, Jr. Cell (901) 626-4538 john@kachelman.com <https://kachelman.com>

Info for Special Contribution for Ukraine Relief.

Besides your normal contribution if you would like to help the people of the Ukraine it would be appreciated.

If you give by check please make it out to: **LaSalle church of Christ**

Write *Ukraine Relief* on the check in the lower left so we know it's for the Ukraine.

If you give cash please put it in an envelope and write *Ukraine Relief* on the envelope.

If you give cash and our treasurer keeps track of what you give for tax purposes put the cash in an envelope and write *Ukraine Relief* on the envelope and also write your name on the envelope to receive proper credit.

Envelopes are available if you need them ahead of time. Thank you.

Notice:

Please make sure to close the door between the foyer and the front of the auditorium if you are the last one out of the building.

Also, please make sure all Entrance/Exit doors are locked and secure.