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are invited to hear

Joe Wells

speaking on
"Remembering God in the Days of our
Youth"

August 7-10, 2016 at the Jamestown church of Christ

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Schedule:

Sunday, August 7th

10:00-10:45 am - Lesson #1 = "Where's the Bar?" America's expectations of teens.

11:00-12:00 pm - Lesson #2 = "God's Bar in Society" God's expectations of teens.

12:00-1:30 pm - Potluck Lunch

1:30-2:15 pm - Lesson #3 = "God's Bar in the Family" God's expectations of teens in the family.

2:30-3:15 pm - Lesson #4 = "God's Bar in the Church" God's expectations of teens in the Church.

Monday, August 8th

7:00-8:00 pm - Lesson #5 = "*Preparing for the Jungle*" Preparing for life's challenges.

Tuesday, August 9th

7:00-8:00 pm - Lesson #6 = "*Understanding the Jungle*" Allowing God's handbook to guide us in godly living.

Wednesday, August 10th

7:00-8:00 pm - Lesson #7 = "Breaking the Mold" Meeting God's expectations.

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Schedule of Services

Sunday AM Bible Class 9:45 AM
Sunday AM Worship 11:00 AM
* Sunday PM Worship 6:00 PM

Wednesday PM Bible Class 7:00 PM

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^{*} There is no PM service on the 5th Sunday of the month.

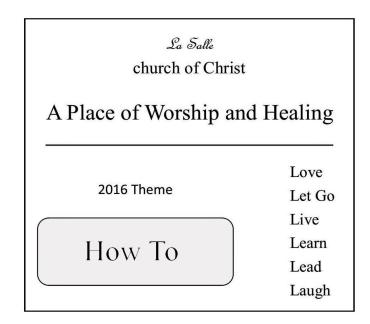


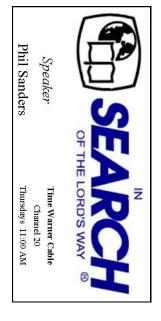
We welcome all who are here today.

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) so we may have a record of your visit. Later in the service we will pass around a collection plate. As a visitor you are obviously not expected to give but we would like for you to place the *Visitor Card* in the collection plate. Thanks.

There is a nursery at the rear of the auditorium up the stairs for infant care.

Please silence cell phones and any other noise making devices during worship.





Prayer List In our prayers let's praise God, recognize His greatness, and thank Him for His blessings.

<u>Let's Keep These Folks In Our Prayers:</u> Joe Pitts, Mildred Lynum, Bill Flanagan, Anna Brink, Red & Goldie Crow, Frank Marsden, Bill Kinney, Tony and Egla Grana, Pat Hazlett, David Alcorn, Willow, Darlene Reed, Leo & Jeanne Johns, Butts & Edie Sumner, Rick & Fran Fees, Chris Highway, Keith & Glory Marten, Bev McArthur, Candi Butcher, Cheryl Mellott, Ron & Jean Cameron, and Jodie Kelly.

Updates

Joyce Cameron was moved Thursday to Kenmore Mercy for rehab. She is in room 2202. Visiting hours are 11 AM-8 PM. You are encouraged to come after 3 PM due to therapy in the morning and meals.

Carol Jones has been dealing with pain in her right shoulder.

She hoped to have surgery this month but it has been postponed.

Glory Marten. At this time - no visitors please.

Charles Bennett tore a calf muscle while at camp and is off work and on crutches.

He is scheduled to see the orthopedic doctor in three weeks.

Brenda Nelson is asking for prayers to help her deal with struggles in her life.

Jennifer Walters, daughter of Jeff & Debbie Seevers in VA (friends of Mark & Audrey) was in the hospital but is now home. She still is dealing with health issues.

Renee Kinney continues to deal with cancer.

Diane Fritton, a friend of Diane Mellott, has been diagnosed with a very aggressive type of breast cancer. It is difficult to treat but after surgery she will have chemo and radiation therapy.

Billy Stine, Sonny & Linda's son, has some major heart issues and also has a kidney stone.

Wednesday Rahelich, George and Peggy Golias' granddaughter, is having stomach issues and is still at Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester.

Congressman Ted Poe, (from Texas, a member of the Lord's church, father in law to Grana's grandson Anthony), has leukemia. He is being treated at the University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center.

Denise Garlitzs' daughter's mother-in-law **Betty Leistner** Her cancer has spread to her lungs. Chemo is not working. They are going to try radiation again. Prayers for her are needed and appreciated.

- **J. P.**, a good friend of Wayne Carter's youngest brother Ralph in VA had surgery July 8 for a brain tumor the size of a baseball. They were not able to get it all. He is showing signs of improvement. He is undergoing therapy. The doctors are pleased with his progress.
- **T.J.**, Anna Brink's nephew (Bruce's cousin) in PA was taken to the ER. He is diabetic and his kidneys are failing. He is now home from the hospital and his dialysis treatment went well.

Connie Stewart

(in Fairmont, WV, sister in law to former member here Janet Smith who is now living in Charlottesville, VA) Please see posted e-mails from Janet Smith to Wayne & Sherry Carter. Connie and her family need our prayers.

Upcoming Events (Lord willing) (see web site for extended list)

- **Aug. 07** Today. Potluck (Groups 4, 5, & 6 to setup & cleanup)
- Aug. 07-10 Gospel Meeting. Jamestown church of Christ (see posting)
- Aug. 13 In lieu of men's breakfast.... Men's luncheon, noon, at the Marten's home. Canceled for August
- **Aug. 19** Ladies Devotional at the building. 6:30 PM Lisa Nichols is facilitating.
- Aug. 21 Men's Business Meeting

Sun. PM - A study of the Gospels (Tonight 2 Cor. 5-8) Wed. PM Adult Class - The Book of Job

Ongoing Events

Personal care items for the vets at the V.A. Hospital in Buffalo and also non-perishable food items for Casey House on Cedar Ave. in N.F. are being collected. If you can help in this matter it is greatly appreciated.

Zambia Baby Fund - Several members are contributing to this.

August Birthdays

02 Audrey Dailey 20 Jodi Kelly

04 Nino Figueroa 21 Heather Bennett 06 Denise Garlitz 22 Jessica Alcorn

18 Bethany Brown 31 Cheryl Mellott



Smile and pay someone a compliment today.



Trays Today: Diane Mellott

August Anniversaries

- 03 Mark & Audrey Dailey
- 21 George & Peggy Golias



Please check the "Love One Another" and "Answered Prayers" boards in the back of the auditorium.

Let's Pray Now.

by Alan Smith "Thought For The Day"

One day a mother decided to take her three children to an ice skating party in a nearby town, but after several wrong turns and stops to ask directions, she pulled over to the side of the road and suggested they all ask God to help them find the rink. When they finally arrived, they were nearly an hour late.

The following week, as they got into the car to go skating again, her five-year-old son exclaimed, "Mom, let's pray now and save time!"

That little boy exposed one of the shortcomings in the prayer lives of many of us. We pray to God whenever we get into trouble, asking God to help take care of us. And there's certainly nothing wrong with that. God wants us to turn to Him when we are in need. As the Psalmist said, "When the righteous cry for help, the Lord hears and delivers them out of all their troubles." (Psalm 34:17)

But sometimes that's the only time we pray. We don't feel the need to pray when things are going well in our lives. But, as that little 5-year-old boy noted, perhaps we wouldn't be in need nearly as much if we prayed in advance. If we prayed for wisdom. If we prayed for God's guidance in our lives. If we gave thanks for the many blessings we enjoy. If we prayed for God's will to be done. If we asked for God's presence. If we gave God the honor due Him.

As a father, I didn't mind if my children came to me when they needed something. I wanted them to do that. But it would have bothered me if that's the only time they ever spoke to me. I wanted a relationship with them that went beyond meeting their needs, a relationship of mutual love. An attitude of constant prayer is a distinguishing mark of the mature Christian, which is why we are commanded to "pray without ceasing" (1 Thess. 5:17). As someone once put it, "If you only pray when you're in trouble, you're in trouble."

"Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving." (Col. 4:2) Let's pray now!