

Elders

- Johnny Davis 307-4232
- Dan Fuller..... 478-3755
- *Joe Holland 626-2809
- Jerry Hopkins 434-4188
- Phil Porter 575-4782
- *Chairman for the Month of November*

Evangelists

- Dan Jenkins 744-4559
- David Sproule..... 301-2230
- Josh Blackmer 319-1418

Deacons

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- David Brown..... 972-7608
- Novel Brown 848-6988
- Chuck Clark 627-4132
- Victor Colage..... 798-6275
- Lance Collier..... 793-2718
- Jim Davis 747-2984
- Mike Erickson..... 310-9916
- Tim Fry 373-9121
- Jeff Goodale 261-1188
- Rick Hall 622-5131
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- Gary Jenkins 889-3585
- Dick Kelley..... 968-1799
- Jeff Leslie..... 744-3444
- Paul Metzkes..... 736-9086
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Ready At His Coming

**20th Annual
South Florida Lectureship
November 5-8, 2015**

**Hosted by
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Thursday Evening, November 5, 2015

7:00 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly*)
Keynote Address: ***A Day of Anticipation*** (*Dan Jenkins, Palm Beach Gardens, FL*)

Friday Evening, November 6, 2015

7:00 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly, Palm Beach Lakes*)
Keynote Address: ***A Day of Glory*** (*Melvin Otey, Montgomery, AL*)

8:10 p.m. Breakout Sessions (*until 9:00 p.m.*)
Sounding Forth the Word (*Stan Mitchell, Henderson, TN*)
Heeding the Call to Holiness, Purity and Honor (*Mark Blackwelder, Henderson, TN*)
Strengthening My Brethren in the Faith (*B.J. Clarke, Memphis, TN*)
Children's classes: ***Jesus Wants Me to Tell People About Him*** (*Various PBL Teachers*)

Saturday Afternoon, November 7, 2015

2:00 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly, Palm Beach Lakes*)

2:20 p.m. Breakout Sessions
Building Respect for the Word (*Melvin Otey, Montgomery, AL*)
Putting on the Armor of Faith, Love and Hope (*Mark Blackwelder, Henderson, TN*)
Admonishing My Brethren Who Are Astray (*Bill Weaver, Pompano, FL*)
Children's classes: ***Jesus Wants Me to "Go to Church"*** (*Various PBL Teachers*)

3:20 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly, Palm Beach Lakes*)
Keynote Address: ***A Day of Separation*** (*Stan Mitchell, Henderson, TN*)

4:30 p.m. Breakout Sessions
Standing Fast in the Word (*B.J. Clarke, Memphis, TN*)
Walking the Walk in Light, Truth and Endurance (*Kevin Patterson, Sebring, FL*)
Encouraging My Brethren Who Are Downhearted (Ladies' Class) (*Brenda Weaver, Pompano, FL*)
Children's classes: ***Jesus Wants Me to Go to Heaven*** (*Various PBL Teachers*)

5:30 p.m. Corn Roast

Sunday Morning, November 8, 2015

9:00 a.m. Worship Assembly: ***A Day of Togetherness*** (*B.J. Clarke, Memphis, TN*)

10:25 a.m. Breakout Sessions
Living Faithfully to the Word (*Mark Blackwelder, Henderson, TN*)
Living the Life of Joy, Prayer and Thanksgiving (*Stan Mitchell, Henderson, TN*)
Loving My Brethren Unconditionally (*Melvin Otey, Montgomery, AL*)
Children's classes: ***Regular Sunday Morning Classes*** (*Various PBL Teachers*)



Mark Blackwelder

Henderson, TN

Mark Blackwelder is a graduate of Freed-Hardeman University, where he earned a B.A. in Biblical Studies and a Master of Ministry. He completed a Ph.D. in Intercultural/International Communication at Regent University in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

In addition to preaching for local congregations in the U.S., Mark served with his wife, Dana, from 1992 to 1997 as full-time missionaries in Bratislava, Slovakia. Since that time he has served as a full-time Bible faculty member at Freed-Hardeman University. He currently serves as the Director of the FHU Graduate School of Theology and teaches courses in New Testament, Missions, Communication and Leadership. In addition to his work as one of the ministers at the Estes church of Christ, Mark also conducts gospel meetings each year and presents seminars on missions and church growth.

Mark has been married for more than 35 years to his wife, Dana, and they have two grown children, Beata and Alex.



B.J. Clarke

Memphis, TN

B.J. Clarke is a graduate of Freed-Hardeman University, where he earned a B.S. in Bible and a M.A. in New Testament Text.

Following in the footsteps of his father, Ted Clarke, who also is a gospel preacher, B.J. has been preaching fulltime since 1983 and has served congregations in Tennessee, Mississippi and Arkansas. He speaks frequently in gospel meetings, lectureships, marriage seminars and youth rallies around the country. He is a published author, has participated in a public debate, and he appears frequently on the Gospel Broadcasting Network. Brother Clarke has been the Director of the Memphis School

of Preaching since 2013, and he is also the director of FOUNDATIONS, a weeklong annual training camp for young men.

B.J. and his wife, Tish, have been married for over 30 years, and they have three grown children: Daniel, Holly and Michael.



Stan Mitchell

Henderson, TN

Stan Mitchell was born in Abilene, Texas, the son of Loy and Donna Mitchell, missionaries to Zimbabwe. He grew up in Africa and received his education through high school there. He has a B.A.

and M.A. in Biblical Studies from Abilene Christian University, a Master of Divinity from Pepperdine University and a Ph.D. from Regent University in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

The author of three books, Stan has preached for nearly forty years: ten years in Zimbabwe, ten in California, ten in Texas and nearly ten in Tennessee. He is currently a Professor of Bible at Freed-Hardeman University, and he preaches for the Red Walnut church of Christ in Bath Springs, Tennessee.

Stan and his wife, Marjorie, have one daughter, Tracy Watts, and one grandson, Gideon.



Melvin Otey

Montgomery, AL

Melvin Otey received a B.S. degree in Business Administration from St. Louis University, a Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from Howard University School of Law, and a B.S. and MDiv from Amridge University.

Melvin currently serves as an Associate Professor of Law at Faulkner University, Jones School of Law, in Montgomery, Alabama. Prior to this, he worked for the US Department of Justice in Washington, DC, as a trial lawyer, and he preached for the Georgia Avenue congregation in DC. He also writes for brotherhood publications and conducts gospel meetings, lectures and seminars.

Melvin and his wife, Jania, have two sons, Caleb and Christian, and they worship with the Panama Street congregation in Montgomery, Alabama.



Kevin Patterson

Sebring, FL

Kevin Patterson received a B.A. in Business Administration in Accounting from Abilene Christian University, and he has taken graduate courses in ministry from Oklahoma Christian University.

Kevin has been preaching for over twenty years and has served congregations in Texas, Kansas, Missouri and Florida. While in Missouri, Kevin taught at the Bible Institute of Missouri and was a frequent speaker on "The Living Word" television program. He currently preaches for the Sebring Parkway congregation in Sebring, Florida, where he also serves as an elder. Kevin is an instructor for the Florida School of Preaching in Lakeland, an instructor for the Fishers of Men personal evangelism course, and he speaks in several gospel meetings and lectureships each year.

Kevin and his wife, Sheri, have four children: Michael, John, Connor and Mary.



Bill Weaver

Pompano, FL

Bill Weaver graduated from Freed-Hardeman University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Bible. He has served congregations in Tennessee and Florida since that time. In addition, Bill has spent the last 30 years supporting youth through Christian camps, youth retreats and training programs. He is currently preaching for the Sixth Street church of Christ in Pompano Beach, where he also serves as an elder.

Bill and his wife, Brenda, have two sons, Andrew and Caleb.



Brenda Weaver

Pompano, FL

Brenda Weaver grew up in Central Kentucky, and she attended Freed-Hardeman University, where she met Bill. She has worked in the insurance industry for the past 14 years. Over the years, Brenda has spoken at numerous retreats, workshops, Ladies' Days and youth events. Currently, she is living in South Florida, where she is a part of the Sixth Street church of Christ in Pompano Beach.

Brenda and her husband of 26 years, Bill, have two sons, Andrew and Caleb.

Keep in Your Prayers



Pray for These PBL Members

Harold Armstrong	scheduled for TAVR surgery in Gainesville (11/18)
Janet Hickerson	Gardens Court Rehab (room 225), shoulder rehab
Loretta Holaday	recovering from hip replacement surgery
Joe Holland	recovering from outpatient procedure
Ruth Lipford	Chatsworth Rehab (room D-12), rehab after hip surgery
Silas Moses	Community Living at VA Hospital (room 1L-127)
Cathy Seay	bronchitis, undergoing tests on lungs
Jackie Stout	recovering from knee surgery

Long-Term Health Issues

Lillian Bankston	dialysis treatments
Janet Hickerson	suffering with back pain
Ruth Milton	chronic health problems
Silas Moses	dialysis treatments
Charles Norton	dialysis treatments
Norm Smedley	breathing problems
Patricia Ventress	dialysis treatments



Tracy Jamison upon the passing of her father, **Richard Shepard**, on Tuesday.

Pray for Our Shut-Ins

Millie Ames	Daniel Johnson
Cora Lee Dennis	Don & Betty Matter
Kay Fish	Deidra Miley
Helen Gardner	Leigh Puckett
Margie Hardin	Joe Quigley
Loretta Holaday	Ricky Smedley
Shelton Howell	Margaret Wade

Pray for These Relatives of PBL Members

Willie Alvarenga	Douglas Alvarenga's brother, recovering from cancer surg.
Jefferey Byrd	Cheryl Floyd's brother, Renaissance Rehab, surgery
Judy Chilcutt	Stephen Beliech's sister, recovering from back surgery
Jennifer Jackson	Joe & Janice Maloney's daughter, recovering from surgery
Peggy McKeal	Ruth Lipford's daughter, terminal cancer, not doing well

Remember Our Mission Works

Paraguay
Troy & Andrea Spradlin

Pacific Islands
Robert & Mary Martin
Scott & Rebecca Shanahan
Joey & Tammy Treat

Africa
Tamuka Arunashe
Nnanna Aforji

Montgomery, Alabama
Apologetics Press

Coral Springs, Florida
Mauricio Yegros



Church Family Calendar of Events

Sunday, November 8

- ♦ **20th Annual South Florida Lectureship "Ready At His Coming."**
 9:00 a.m. Worship
 10:25 a.m. Bible Class
- ♦ **Youth & Family Singing** after evening worship in the Family Room. Every member is invited to stay and sing.

Monday, November 9

- ♦ **Monday Night Bible Study** at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Room.

Tuesday, November 10

- ♦ **Tuesday Morning Bible Study** at 10:30 a.m. in the Family Room.

Wednesday, November 11

- ♦ **Bible Class** at 7:00 p.m. Jr. High, Sr. High and all adults will meet in the Auditorium.

Thursday, November 12

- ♦ **Family Group 1 Meeting** at 7:00 p.m. at the home of David & Skye Brown.

Thursday, November 12 (cont.)

- ♦ **Family Group 2 Meeting** at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Nate & Cindy Nelson.

Friday, November 13

- ♦ **PBL Ladies' Prayer Night** at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Loni Fuller. All ladies are welcome. See Maria Hackshaw for details.

Sunday, November 15

- ♦ **New Member Orientation Class (Part 2)** at 9:00 a.m. All new members to PBL in the last 12 months are encouraged to attend. See Tim Fry for details.
- ♦ **Bible Class** at 9:00 a.m. Jr. High, Sr. High and all adults will meet in the Auditorium.
- ♦ **EDP Bible Study & Fellowship** at 4:30 p.m. Family Room.

Tuesday, November 17

- ♦ **Tuesday Morning Bible Study** at 10:30 a.m. in the Family Room.
- ♦ **Family Group 3 Meeting** at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Victor & Sandy Colage.



Palm Beach Lakes

Young Adults

Tuesday, November 10

- ♦ **Meat Night for YA Men** at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Cam Crofts. Bring \$30 to cover meat and other expenses.

Saturday, November 14

- ♦ **Young Adult Devo** at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Josh & Cara Blackmer.

Sunday, November 22

- ♦ **Young Adult Meeting** after evening worship in Adult 3.

Thursday, December 3

- ♦ **Ladies' Soup Supper** at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Traci Sproule. Sign up on the bulletin board to bring soup, bread, drinks or desserts. Bring an ornament for the exchange.

Saturday, December 12

- ♦ **Young Adult Devo & Holiday Party** at 6:00 p.m. Location TBD. See Shea Brown or Ivan Villard for details.



Palm Beach Lakes

Youth

Sunday, November 8

- ♦ **Youth & Family Singing** after evening worship in the Family Room. Every member is invited to stay and sing for about 35 minutes.

Sunday, November 15

- ♦ **Jr. High Lunch & Thanksgiving Visiting** after morning worship. Bring \$10 for the day and meet in the Family Room after worship. Will return around 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 22

- ♦ **Sr. High Devo** after evening worship.

Saturday, December 5

- ♦ **Young Families' Holiday Party** at 11:00 a.m. at the home of Cam & Hollie Crofts. See Melinda Price for details.
- ♦ **Jr. High Holiday Party hosted by 55+ Members** at 11:00 a.m. under the PBL drive-thru.

Sunday, December 13

- ♦ **Youth & Family Singing** after evening worship.

"...always abounding in the work of the Lord..." (1 Cor. 15:58)



Sunday,
November 1

My brothers and sisters in Christ,

Thank you so very much for the cards, flowers, hugs, and most of all the prayers during the long illness and passing of my sister. I am so blessed to have such a loving and caring Christian family. I love all of you!

Debora Lynch

Thank you for your thoughtful gift of flowers and your many prayers for my family. Thank you for also being there for me. It meant so very much!

Love always,
Amy Rosado

LOCAL VISITORS: Osorio & Ortega Aristy; Ms. Rosa D. Charles; Miss Deandra Demeritte; Treon & Ava Johnson; Milton Jones; Miss Jakkivia McGee; Mr. & Mrs. Henry Smith; Christopher & Yolanda Stewart.; and Miss Mary Sue Young.

OUT OF TOWN VISITORS: Ms. Lucy Bond, Pensacola, FL; Karen Bibbee, Delray Beach, FL; Susan M. Crosswhite, Delray Beach; Mr. & Mrs. Roger Duckworth, Ooltewah, TN; Jon Erickson, Falmouth, ME; Sylvia Goldie, Davison, MI; Mr. & Mrs. Errol & Jessie Gower-Winter, Boynton Beach; Mr. & Mrs. Richard Hamlen, Valdosta, GA; Timothy Lamb, Delray Beach, FL; Nichole Lyons, Elizabethton, TN; Mr. & Mrs. Dennis & Sharon Mann, Delray Beach; John, Corinn, Linley, & Ellie Miller, Hobe Sound, FL; Mr. & Mrs. Julius Sirmons & family, Boynton Beach, FL; Ms. Darlene Smith, Valdosta, GA; Mrs. Lashonda Williams, Monroe, NC; and Mrs. Linda Wolfe Fayetteville, NC.

Birthdays & Anniversaries This Week

Sunday (November 8th)
Kay Fish

Thursday (November 12th)
Dee Catanzaro
Kim Cullom

Tuesday (November 10th)
Shaun Tyson

Friday (November 13th)
Lance & Brenda Collier (Ann.)

Those to Serve

If you cannot serve, please call Mike Ellis at 775-3533.

If you are scheduled to serve on Sunday morning, please meet in the Grades 6-8 classroom at 9:50 a.m.

If you are scheduled to serve on Sunday evening, please meet at the front of the auditorium at 5:50 p.m.

Sunday Morning, November 8

Lead Singing Gary Friedly
Opening Prayer Kevin Weeks
Scripture Reading..... Tim Cox
Presiding at Table L.H. Richardson
Serve at Table:
 Josue Charles Richard Lerro
 Lance Collier Paul Metzkes
 Namdidie Ikon Mike Trujillo
 Dick Kelley Ivan Villard, Jr.
Alternates:
 Novel Brown Dirk Summerlot
Closing Prayer Bill Ingram, Jr.

Sunday Evening, November 8

Lead Singing Jerry Pittman
Opening Prayer Jeff Leslie
Scripture Reading..... Darin Summerlot
Presiding at Table..... Rick Hall
Serve at Table:
 Jeremy Maloney
 Nick Pietro
 Daniel Swayne
Closing Prayer Phil Porter
Wednesday Evening, November 11
Lead Singing Bobbo Lupo
Invitation Jeff Goodale
Family Prayer Cam Crotts

Our Record

Attendance	Nov. 1	Oct. Avg.
Sun. Bible study	244	217
Sun. A.M. Worship	349	341
Sun. P.M. Worship	192	194
Wed. Bible study	NA	193
Contribution	\$15,919	\$13,812
2015 Weekly Budget: \$14,500		
Y-T-D Contribution-to-Budget: -14,035		

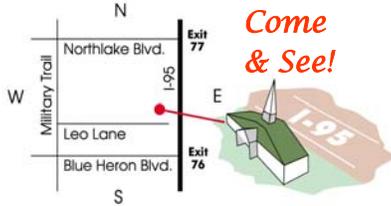
Ushers for the week of **Nov. 8:** Head Usher: Richard Watson; Victor Colage & Clayton Trujillo



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Service Schedule

Sunday:

Bible Classes..... 9:00 a.m.
Worship 10:00 a.m.
Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday:

Bible classes 7:00 p.m.

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First-Century Christianity in the Twenty-First Century

Speaking where the Bible speaks

Silent where the Bible is silent

Calling Bible things by Bible names

Doing Bible things in Bible ways

CHURCH OF CHRIST

What Must I Do to Be Saved?

The Bible says...

- 1. Believe that Jesus is the Son of God**
"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and you will be saved" (Acts 16:31).
- 2. Repent of your sinful ways**
"Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out" (Acts 3:19).
- 3. Confess your faith in Jesus**
"If you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus...you will be saved" (Rom. 10:9).
- 4. Be immersed in water**
"He who believes and is baptized will be saved" (Mark 16:16).
- 5. Commit to a lifetime of faithful service**
"Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life" (Rev. 2:10).