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 Palm Beach Gardens, FL

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Thursday Evening, November 3, 2016

7:00 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly*)
Keynote Address: *I'm Not Ashamed to Wait on My Lord* (*Dan Jenkins, Palm Beach Gardens, FL*)

Friday Evening, November 4, 2016

7:00 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly, Palm Beach Lakes*)
Keynote Address: *Knowing That My Lord Reigns* (*David Powell, Henderson, TN*)

8:10 p.m. Breakout Sessions (*until 9:00 p.m.*)
Knowing He Will Be With Us (*Doug Burluson, Henderson, TN*)
Finding Hope in His Word (*Paul Sain, Pulaski, TN*)
Suffering Results from Sin & Satan (*Dave Miller, Montgomery, AL*)
Children's classes: *Jesus Is Always With Me* (*Various PBL Teachers*)

Saturday Afternoon, November 5, 2016

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

2:20 p.m. Breakout Sessions
Possessing the Peace Beyond Understanding (*David Powell, Henderson, TN*)
Knowing All Things Work Together for Good (*Doug Burluson, Henderson, TN*)
Suffering Makes Me a Better Christian (*Dave Miller, Montgomery, AL*)
Children's classes: *Jesus Wants Me to Serve Him* (*Various PBL Teachers*)

3:20 p.m. **Congregational Singing** (*Gary Friedly, Palm Beach Lakes*)
Keynote Address: *Knowing That My Lord Is Good* (*Dave Miller, Montgomery, AL*)

4:30 p.m. Breakout Sessions
Having Confidence in Prayer (*Paul Sain, Pulaski, TN*)
Receiving the Strength for Victory (*Ben Griffin, Lake Worth, FL*)
Savoring the Joy of His Salvation (Ladies' Class) (*Deb Miller, Montgomery, AL*)
Children's classes: *Jesus Is Coming Back One Day* (*Various PBL Teachers*)

5:30 p.m. Corn Roast

Sunday Morning, November 6, 2016

9:00 a.m. Worship Assembly: *Knowing That My Lord Gives Hope* (*Paul Sain, Pulaski, TN*)

10:25 a.m. Breakout Sessions
Knowing He Will Come Again (*Gale Nelson, Miami, FL*)
Exercising My Faith (*Daniel Stearsman, Okeechobee, FL*)
Suffering Vindicates God & Verifies Faithfulness (*Dave Miller, Montgomery, AL*)
Children's classes: *Regular Sunday Morning Classes* (*Various PBL Teachers*)



Doug Burleson

Henderson, TN

Doug Burleson received his undergraduate degree from Freed-Hardeman University; his Master’s degrees from Freed-Hardeman University, Lipscomb University and New Orleans Theological Seminary; and his Ph.D. in New Testament & Greek from New Orleans Theological Seminary. He currently serves as an Associate Professor in Bible at Freed-Hardeman University, where he also is the director of the Annual Bible Lectureship.

Doug has been preaching the gospel for about 20 years. He has served congregations in Louisiana and Tennessee. He preached for several years at the Scotts Hill church of Christ outside of Henderson, and in August 2016, he began serving as one of the preachers at the Estes church of Christ in Henderson.

Doug and his wife, Kristi, have three children: Eden (10 years old), Canaan (7 years old) and Jordan (3 years old). Doug loves to preach, write and serve the Lord’s people.



Ben Griffin

Lake Worth, FL

Ben Griffin was born in Pensacola, Florida. He served our country for nine years in the U.S. Army. In 1987, he graduated from the Bellview Preaching Training School in Bellview, Florida. He also received a Bachelor’s, Master’s and Doctorate of Ministry in Leadership and Organizational Development from the Theological University of America. Additionally, he completed his Master of Ministry in Leadership Studies at Lancaster Bible College, and he is currently a Doctorate of Education in Organizational Leadership candidate at Abilene Christian University. He has also earned certifications in Bereavement, Chaplaincy and Church Consulting.

Ben has been preaching the gospel for 34 years, serving congregations in Florida, Alabama, North Carolina and South Carolina. He is the author of a book entitled *Christian Living*. Currently, Ben is preaching for the Suncoast church of Christ in Lake Worth, Florida.

Ben and his wife, Alanna, have three adult children, two teenagers and four grandchildren.



Dave Miller

Montgomery, AL

Dave Miller is a graduate of Lubbock Christian University, where he earned a B.A. degree in Speech and Bible. He earned his M.A. degree in Speech Communication from Texas Tech University, and his M.Th. and M.A.R. from the Harding Graduate School of Religion. He also is a graduate of Southern Illinois University, where he earned his Ph.D. in Rhetoric and Public Address.

Dave has been preaching the gospel for 40 years and serving in various capacities, including pulpit preacher, Director of a School of Preaching and host of the nationally televised program, “The Truth in Love.” He currently serves as the Executive Director of Apologetics Press in Montgomery, Alabama.

Brother Miller is the author of hundreds of articles and numerous books, including *The Quran Unveiled*, *The Silencing of God, Christ & the Continental Congress*, *Why People Suffer*, and *Piloting the Strait*. He has also co-authored a series of books that teach children how to read.

Dave frequently speaks on matters pertaining to Christianity and the culture wars, appearing on lectureships and conducting seminars and gospel meetings 40-50 weekends a year. His seminars include: “Islam, the Quran, and New Testament Christianity,” “The Silencing of God,” “The End Times,” “Why People Suffer” and “Has the Bible Been Corrupted?”

Dave and his wife, Deb, have four children and twelve grandchildren.



Deb Miller

Montgomery, AL

Deb Miller currently lives in Montgomery, Alabama with her husband, Dave. She is proud of her birth state of Texas and her Cherokee and Scottish mixed heritage. She worked for 20+ years as an administrative nurse in hospitals, and then began a philanthropic Christian organization named Silvertops, Inc. She has administered this organization for 20+ years, donating her time.

Dave and Deb have been married for 44 years and have four children and twelve grandchildren. Plus, they have a host of others from several countries, who have lived with them over the years, encompassing a rather large extended family that includes lots of “grandchildren.”

Deb travels frequently with her husband, who conducts many seminars throughout the year. She enjoys carpentry and home construction, and she genuinely loves the Lord and His church.



Gale Nelson

Miami, FL

Gale Nelson was born in Lincoln, Nebraska and grew up in Toledo, Ohio, where he was raised by a loving mother and grandmother. Gale received his Bachelor of Business Administration Degree from the University of

Toledo, and he earned a Master of Science Degree in Management and Administration of Educational Programs at Nova Southeastern University in Fort Lauderdale. He has also completed several hours of Doctoral work in Management at Colorado Technical University in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Gale’s professional career includes over 23 years of non-profit management and leadership experience. Currently, he is the President of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Miami. Prior to joining Big Brothers Big Sisters, he spent twelve years as Executive Vice-President and Chief Operating Officer at a moderate risk residential school for court adjudicated boys.

Brother Nelson has served congregations in Florida, Georgia, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Texas, Kansas and Virginia. He has been preaching for the Miami Gardens church of Christ for the past 15 years, where he also serves as one of the elders. In addition to the local work, Gale also serves on the National Board of Directors for Lads to Leaders.

Gale and his wife Shauntell have four children: Gale, Jordan, Alexis and Brandon.



David Powell

Henderson, TN

David Powell was born and reared in Paducah, Kentucky. He holds an undergraduate degree from Freed-Hardeman University, and his Master’s degree and Doctoral degree are from Harding Graduate School of Religion. He is currently in his 24th year of teaching at Freed-Hardeman University, where he serves as the Assistant Dean of Biblical Studies and as a member of FHU’s Lectureship Committee.

David has been preaching for nearly 40 years and has served congregations in Kentucky, Alabama and Tennessee. He has been preaching at the North Jackson church of Christ in Jackson, Tennessee, for the last 17 years. He holds approximately seven meetings each year, speaks on brotherhood lectureships, and travels to Peru and the Dominican Republic in campaign work.

David and his wife, Cathy, have two children: Katie (a preacher’s wife in Nashville, TN) and Nathan (a Youth Minister in Amory, MS). And they have a newborn granddaughter, Annie. David enjoys fishing, sports and traveling with his family.



Paul Sain

Pulaski, TN

Paul Sain has been preaching the gospel since 1961 and has done local work in Tennessee, Missouri and Alabama. He is currently preaching at the Cedar Grove church of Christ in Rogersville, Alabama.

Paul has done tremendous work in writing, editing, publishing and video production through the years. He is the author of over a dozen books, including the very popular *Ready Reference for Growing Christians*, which has more than 400,000 in print. It is available in three print editions (Deluxe, Standard and Pocket); it has been translated into Spanish; and it is now an App available for iOS (and Android coming soon).

Brother Sain has been doing radio and television work for over 40 years. He is the owner and operator of Sain Publications and Sain Video Publications in Pulaski, Tennessee. Sain Publications produces more than 70 books and tracts every year, including a complete Bible Class Curriculum. Sain Video Productions produces multiple programs each month that air on various television networks, including Gospel Broadcasting Network.

Paul and his wife, LaDon, they have four daughters and seven grandchildren.



Daniel Stearsman

Okeechobee, FL

Daniel Stearsman received his formal education from Hillsborough Community College (A.A.), University of Florida College of Pharmacy (Doctor of Pharmacy), Southern Christian University (B.A.) and the University of South

Florida College of Medicine (Master of Art in Bioethics and Medical Humanities). He has practiced as a retail pharmacist and long term care pharmacist, and he has taught Clinical Ethics in the college of Medicine at the University of South Florida. Through the University of Florida, he has taught Pharmacy Ethics, Retail Pharmacy and Long Term Care Pharmacy.

Daniel has been preaching the gospel for over 20 years. In addition to working as a pharmacist, he preached for several years at the Southside church of Christ in Zephyrhills, Florida. He has taught courses in the Florida School of Preaching, including Biblical and Biomedical Ethics, Christian Evidences, Topical Studies and Acts. He has been on several mission campaigns to Ghana, West Africa. In March 2016, Daniel began preaching fulltime for the Okeechobee church of Christ.

Daniel and his wife, Katrina, have two sons: Jackson and Drew.

Keep in Your Prayers



Pray for These PBL Members

Sharon Feeney	dealing with severe back issues
Jason Halas	dealing with severe back pain from auto accident
Judie Jenkins	recovering from foot surgery
Ruth Milton	recovering at home from hospitalization
Charles Norton	scheduled for a heart catheterization (11/11)
Tommy Pauldo	ICU at St. Mary's (no visitors), still in critical condition
Jo Ann Rogers	JFK Hospital (room 3006), congestive heart failure
Jermaine Smith	recovering from neck surgery, in a lot of pain

Long-Term Health Issues

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

Pray for These Relatives of PBL Members

Prescolita Clough	Marcia Clough-Moss' mother, suffering with dementia
Kathy Dean	Linda Studer's sister, hospitalized with heart problems
Ennis Mitchell	Kay Richardson's brother, stage 4 cancer
Jacqueline Robinson	Marcia Walker's sister, recovering from surgery
Winford Slone	Betty Sanders' brother, recovering at home from stroke
Twyla Wright	Trina Wright's mother, PBG Medical Center (room 301)

Pray for Our Shut-Ins

Millie Ames	Daniel Johnson
Cora Lee Dennis	Don & Betty Matter
Helen Gardner	Deidra Miley
Margie Hardin	Godfrey Pratt
Loretta Holaday	Leigh Puckett
Shelton Howell	Ricky Smedley

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 6

- ◆ **Daylight Saving Time Ends.** Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour.
- ◆ **21st Annual South Florida Lectureship.** This year's theme is "Wait on the Lord".
 - 9:00 a.m. **Worship**
 - 10:25 a.m. **Bible Class**
- ◆ **Single Ladies' Luncheon** after morning worship at Duffy's on Northlake Blvd. This is a "Happy Birthday" Celebration. RSVP to Joan Holloway.
- ◆ **Renova/North Lake Nursing Home Visit** at 2:30 p.m.

Monday, November 7

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

Tuesday, November 8

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

Thursday, November 10

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

Saturday, November 12

- ◆ **PBL Ladies' Friendship Tea** at 2:00 p.m. at the home of Connie Tipton. Bring a teacup and a saucer to exchange. There will be a lesson on "Joys & Christian Friendships." Please RSVP to Connie Tipton.

Sunday, November 13

- ◆ **EDP Meeting** at 4:30 p.m. in the Family Room.
- ◆ **Youth & Family Singing** after evening worship in the Family Room. Every member is invited to stay and sing.

Friday, November 18

- ◆ **Family Group 4 Meeting** at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Mike & Jean Archer.

Saturday, November 19

- ◆ **PBL Ladies' Prayer Meeting** at 1:00 p.m. in the Family Room. All ladies are welcome. See Maria Hackshaw for details.

Sunday, November 20

- ◆ **Baby Shower for Ivan & Amber Villard** at 4:30 p.m. in the Family Room. They are registered at Buy Buy Baby and Pottery Barn. It's a boy!

Palm Beach Lakes church of Christ
Young Adults

Monday, November 7

- ◆ **Young Adult Ladies' Prayer Night** at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Traci Sproule. See Rachel Fuller for details.

Friday, November 11

- ◆ **Sr. High & YA Ladies' Hangout** at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Rachel Fuller. Bring snacks, drinks and your Bible.

Saturday, November 12

- ◆ **Young Adult Devo** at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Dan & Luann McLeod.

Sunday, November 20

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

Saturday, December 10

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

Sunday, December 18

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



Palm Beach Lakes
Youth

Friday, November 11

- ◆ **Sr. High & YA Ladies' Hangout** at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Rachel Fuller. Bring snacks, drinks and your Bible.

Sunday, November 13

- ◆ **Jr. High Thanksgiving Lunch & Visiting** after morning worship. Bring \$10 for the day and meet in the Family Room after worship. Will return around 4:00 p.m.
- ◆ **Youth & Family Singing** after evening worship in the Family Room. Every member is invited to stay and sing for about 35 minutes.

Sunday, November 27

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

Saturday, December 3

- ◆ **Young Families' Holiday Party** at 10:00 a.m. at the home of Cam & Hollie Crofts. Bring a gender neutral gift and a donation to help with food and craft costs. All families with children in 5th grade and under are invited. See Hollie Crofts for more details.

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



Directory Changes



Sunday,
October 30

Linda King has placed membership at Boca Raton.



Dear Palm Beach Lakes church of Christ,

Thank you all so much for your love and TLC to my mom and her entire family.

We love you,
The Huser family

LOCAL VISITORS: Ms. Jennifer Anderson; Ms. Earlene Bassie; Ms. Lucy Bond; Mr. Jean Charles; Ms. Rosa Charles; Mrs. Susan Crosswhite; Ms. Aisha Fernandez; Ms. Sylvia Goldie; Miss Janie Granino; Ms. Rashana Green; Ms. Jennifer King; Timothy Lockhart; John Loftis; Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Mann; Ms. Janie Murphy; Ms. Carolyn Preston; Ms. Margaret Sue Simmons; Kyle Sink; Ms. Barbara Smith & Chris; Miss Emma Teed; and Terry West.

OUT OF TOWN VISITORS: Ms. Judy Chancey, Belle Glade, FL; Ms. Marcia Farrar, Palm City, FL; Ms. Dorcas Francois, Corpus Christi, TX; Miss Liz Guity, Jacksonville, FL; Scott Kelley, West Broward, FL; Ms. Monique LeBlanc, Quebec, Canada; and Chad Morgan, Port St. Lucie, FL.

Birthdays & Anniversaries This Week

Sunday (Nov. 6th)

Flo Aristy
Trudie Holland

Monday (Nov. 7th)

Jim & JoAnn Rogers (Ann.)
Peggy Delaney

Thursday (Nov. 10th)

Shaun Tyson

Saturday (Nov. 12th)

Dee Catanzaro

News & Notes

A **Grief Share class** is starting on Wednesday, December 7. This is a group discussion class, dedicated to helping ladies learn to cope with the loss of a loved one. See **Cara Blackmer** for more details. She will be guiding this class.

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 9:45 a.m.

If you are scheduled to serve on Sunday evening, please meet at the front of the auditorium at 5:45 p.m.

Sunday Morning, November 6

Lead Singing Gary Friedly
Opening Prayer Ivan Villard
Scripture Reading Tim Cox
Presiding at Table Dan Fuller
Serve at Table:
David Brown Kenneth Long
Mike Damron Church Reeves, Sr.
Eddie Gooden Mike Trujillo
Dick Kelley Nahum Villard
Alternates:
Johnny Davis Orlando Lolo
Closing Prayer Kirk Crews

Sunday Evening, November 6

Lead Singing Stephen Beliech
Opening Prayer Victor Colage
Scripture Reading Gary Seames
Presiding at Table Kevin Weeks
Gorman Ericksen
Jeremy Maloney
Rick Price
Closing Prayer Phil Porter

Wednesday Evening, November 9

Lead Singing Bobbo Lupo
Invitation Stephen Beliech
Family Prayer Gary Jenkins

Our Record

Attendance	Oct. 30	Sep. Avg.
Sun. Bible Study	213	262
Sun. A.M. Worship	354	352
Sun. P.M. Worship	163	184
Wed. Bible Study	186	214
Contribution	\$12,835	\$15,114
2016 Weekly Budget: \$14,660		
Y-T-D Contribution-to-Budget: +24,628		

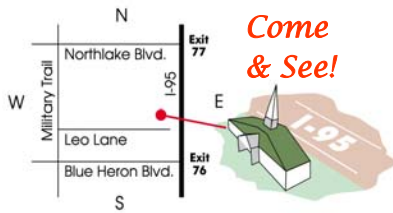
Ushers for week of **Nov. 6** Head Usher: Richard Watson; Lance Collier & Jacade Reynolds



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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).