June 11, 2017 11:00am

# LIVING TRUTH Sermon Series - Week 1

PRELUDE Cheryl Smith

WELCOME Pastor Mike Hudson

\*OPENING PRAISE # 57 O For a Thousand Tongues (vs 1-4)

\*PRAYER & GREETING Pastor Denvil Farley

SONGS of PRAISE Cheryl Smith

PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Mike Hudson

CHILDREN'S CHAT Jeff Dunn-Rankin

OFFERTORY "Leaning on the Rock of Ages" Choir

\*DOXOLOGY

SERMON "Living Truth" Pastor Denvil Farley
James 1:2-18

\*RESPONSE # 474 Precious Lord, Take My Hand (vs +3)

#### \*BENEDICTION & POSTLUDE

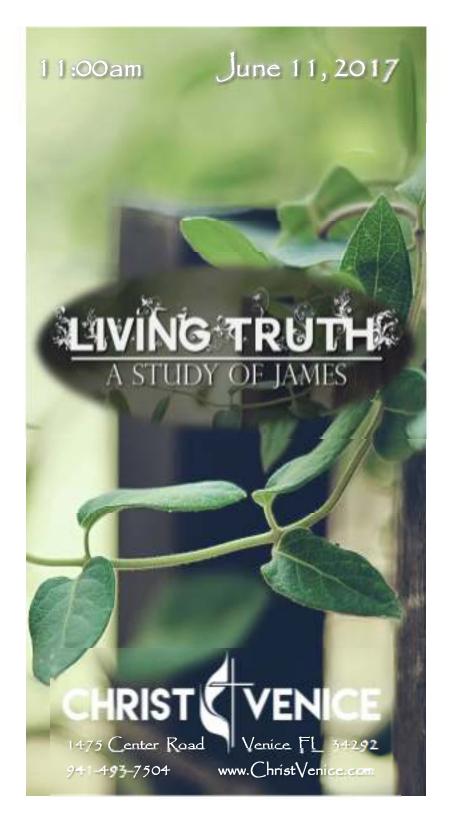
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\*Congregation stand if you are able.

Today's Acolytes: Gavin Carfield & Blake Dominey

Altar Flowers are presented by:
Ethel Noll in memory of my husband Bud
on what would have been our 63rd anniversary;
Wayne & Carol Barrett in celebration of our 55th anniversary.

| OFFERINGS June 4, 2017                        | Week 23          | Sunday Worship                          |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| General Fund                                  | 35,879           | Schedule                                |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mortgage Payment Fund                         | 1,043            |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Principal Reduction                           | 607              | 7:30 & 11:00am                          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mission Fund                                  | 2,548            | Traditional                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| Children's Home & Ranch                       | 10               |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Year to Date Offerings                        |                  | 9:00am                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Fund Offerings                        | 625,283          | Contemporary                            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mortgage Payment Fund                         | 16,895           |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Principal Reduction                           | 19,111           | CUMC STAFF                              |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mission Fund (3/1/17-2/28/18)                 | 61,699           |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Children's Home/Ranch (2017)                  | 14,782           | LEAD PASTOR                             |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |                  | Rev. Michael Hudson                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Fund / Mortgage                       | 07.070           | ASSOCIATE PASTOR                        |  |  |  |  |  |
| Weekly Average Budget (ytd)                   | 27,270           | Rev. Denvil Farley                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Weekly Offering Weekly Average Offering (ytd) | 36,922<br>27,920 | ASSISTANT PASTOR                        |  |  |  |  |  |
| Weekly Average Offering (ytu)                 | 21,920           | Robert Haley                            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income (May)                                  | 79,947           | MUSIC MINISTRY                          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses (May)                                | 91,161           | Cheryl Smith                            |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |                  | ADULT MINISTRY                          |  |  |  |  |  |
| YTD Income (5/31/17)                          | 605,256          | Nancy Kinney                            |  |  |  |  |  |
| YTD Expenses (5/31/17)                        | 541,629          | FAMILY MINISTRY                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| MORTG AGE RESERVE FUND                        | 26,400           | Jeff Dunn-Rankin                        |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4/30/17                                       | 5/31/17          | <b>YOUTH MINISTRY</b><br>Jonetta Halpin |  |  |  |  |  |
| Roof Project Loan Bal. 200,996                | 193,179          | Marcia Schaberg                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| -   | 193, 179         | CHILDREN'S MINISTRY                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| ATTEND ANCE                                   |                  | Becky Diefenbach                        |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7:30 Worship                                  | 60               | MEDIA MANAGER &                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9:00 Worship                                  | 247              | CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP                    |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11:00 Worship                                 | 398              | Will Sledge                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| Children's Church                             | 7                | <b>TREASURER</b><br>JoEllen Whipple     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Worship                                 | 712              |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Worship (ast year)                      | 640              | OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR Michele Morley     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sunday School                                 | 110              | CHILD DEVELOPMENT                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Youth Group                                   | 29               | <b>CENTER</b><br>Anita Burton           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salty Service                                 | 16               | Ατιπα Δυπυπ                             |  |  |  |  |  |



#### Quilting for Missions meets Tuesday

Join us for our super easy summer project. No matter what your skill level, you will be able to make a guilt before summer is over! This is a great opportunity for teens and new sewers. We have loads of fabrics to choose from to make a beautiful "Super Easy Hourglass" quilt to be given to one of our many ministry recipients. Bring a sack lunch and join us in the Family Life Center at 9:30am on Tuesday. Call Claire Long for more information, 239-593-8836.

### Another SAFE Joyful Outing, Wednesday, June 14

The SAFE ministry invites you to join us on Wednesday June 14 for this month's Joyful Outing. Our day of sightseeing and fellowship will begin here at the front entrance to Memorial Hall at 9:00a. After registration and prayer, we will travel in the church van to Myakka River State Park where we will enjoy the beauty of nature during the Canopy Walk. Bottled water will be provided-- all you need to bring is a sack lunch. For more information, email SAFE@christvenice.com.

SAFE is a ministry of Support and Addiction Family Education. Our confidential support group meets every Monday evening at 6:00p in Memorial Hall room 24. Childcare is available when requested in advance. Anyone who has an addicted family member or loved one is welcome to join us for sharing and support, education, prayer, and good fellowship.

### Pastor's Prayer Meeting, Sunday, June 18

Join Pastor Mike next Sunday at 6:00pm in the Sanctuary for a time of intercessory prayer for our church, our community, our country, and our world.

#### In Extended Care:

Joan Bigelow - Consulate Jeanne Booth - Windsor Byron Carpenter - Hospice House Ann Flanagan - Quality Healthcare Dolores Glass - Sunset Lake Warren Jensen - Harbor Chase Dick LaFave - Pinebrook Paul Martin, Jr. - Beneva Lakes Roy Mason - Brookdale Tommi Matthews - Quality Healthcare Peggy Mitrushi - Sunset Lake Barb Schoenfelder - Gardens of Venice Bonnie Snyder - Jacaranda Trace ALF Buck Zeigler - Harbor Inn

Prayer Chain - Call Judy Kurinsky, 496-8046 or judithckur@aol.com If you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, call the church, 493-7504. We won't know if you don't tell us.

IN THE HOSPITAL:

John Walz

#### One-On-One Grief Support

If you are a woman experiencing the loss of a loved one, someone to talk with Is available. Call Susan Wonnell, 941-412-4137.

#### STEPHEN MINISTRY

It's all about YOU. Whatever your problem, we offer one on one, confidential, Christ centered care as you work your way through the problem. We don't counsel, but we will listen, pray and help share your burden. For more information, please speak with any Stephen Minister or call a Stephen Leader, Don Paull 497-5597 or Jane Watkins 989 859-0712.

## Please Remember to Pray IN THE MILITARY



Fran McLaughlin Jim Barrick Jim Springer Max Jones Susan Luscomb Joy & Ross Gammon Bob Reece Peggy Campbell Kimberly Andrews Allie Linda Foster Jack & Bobbie Miller Terry Miller Nila Rowan Jim Bennett Jennifer Hunt David, Sherry & Julia Hotaling Scott Klaus Louise Griffiths

Don Davis

Joan Kellogg Terry Green Jarrett, Pat & Larry Arlene Decker Byron Carpenter Conner Barthol Sam Teitsma Bobbie Allen Mary Knight Phyllis Tucker Pat Billings David Bryant Janet Outerbridge Shirley Purdy Brooke Noser Claire & David Evans Gloria Schmertmann Luke Schmidt Sue Holloway Susan Wonnell

Heidi Gropp Joe & Myma Gop Meredith Gould Stan Harrison Trish Hadsall Cal Stone Dick LaFave Richard & Janie Palmer Betty Stahlnaker Sharon Monk Peggy Mitrushi Peter Warhurst Dee Robson Connor Gaunt Gene & Pat Hunt Jim & Catherine MacKay

Kyle Addison Chris Anderson Dallas D. Bergl. II David Bruce John A. Campanale Jr. David Colucci Daniel Cutting Ashley Ehasz Maddie Wright Farris J. D. Frank Randall Hinkle Tyler Kellogg Daniel & Keisha Kerr Paul Lucyk Zachary Mackie Alisha Milligan Danny Parks Patrick Penney Joseph Perry Chris Peters Nicholas Reider Brady Rentz Michael Rodgers Sean Ruehr Betsy Scott Mark Scott Wyatt Seeley Jason Toole Travis Toole David Zachary Wilson

### The Prayer Focus for June is:

the Muslims who are observing Ramadan, from May 27 to June 25 (source: prayercast.com). Pray for courage and perseverance to follow Jesus when it means loss of family, future, and even life.

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|---------------------------|---|--|----------------|-----------------|--|---------------|--|
| Sunday 6/11               | Monday 6/12   | Tuesday 6/13   | Wednesday 6/14 | Thursday 6/15   | Friday 6/16  | Saturday 6/17 |  |
| FAMILY PROMISE HOSTING    |   |  |                |                 |  |               |  |
| 9:00a Adult Bible Classes | 9:00a Exercise Class (FLC) 10:30a Connecting Souls (P) 11:00a CareWatch Team (MC) 1:00p Care Ministry Leaders (MC) 4:30p Taekwondo Youth (FLC) 5:30p Taekwondo Adult (FLC) 6:00p SAFE Support (M24) 6:30p Taekwondo BlackBelt (FLC) | 9:00a Creative Team (MC)<br>9:30a Quilting for Missions<br>(FLC) |                | Breakfast (M24) | 7:30a Lawn & Garden Team 7:30a Men's Bible Study (M24) 9:00a Exercise Class (FLC) 12noon AL-ANON (M24-25) 7:00p AA Mens & Ladies Groups (M22-25) |               |  |

#### We are on the move again!

Last summer's Sanctuary renovation was a success. So many things were replaced and updated and it is beautiful. Now it is time to keep our promise to redo the bathrooms. We are also going to replace the ceiling tiles throughout the building. The work begins the week of June 19. That means we will worship in Memorial Hall beginning June 25 until the work is completed. We will continue to have all three services, 7:30, 9:00, and 11:00. The infant nursery will be set up in the parlor. We will still have coffee and donuts between services.

Again, I want to thank you for your support of this project. Because of your generous giving to this project last year and your faithful giving year round, we DO NOT need to ask for any money to complete this project. Praise God! So as we worship in Memorial Hall again this summer, let's give the Lord the praise and thanks He deserves for how He is moving in and through our congregation.

Pastor Mike Hudson

#### GriefShare

GriefShare is a thirteen week group that includes teaching from grief experts, small group sharing, and a personal workbook. It is an open group so you can join at anytime. Classes meet Thursdays at 1:00pm in Memorial Hall Room 22-23. If you are interested, contact Eleanor Montano 941-408-0239.

#### Attention: United Methodist Men

We are currently accepting nominations for new officers to lead the UMM in the coming year. Please submit your nominations to Blair Post by email at <a href="mailto:blair823@yahoo.com">blair823@yahoo.com</a> or call 941-286-4970. If anyone has questions regarding the UMM please contact Blair.

#### **VBS** Registration is Open Now

This summer's VBS program is "Maker's Fun Factory—Created by God, Built for a Purpose". It will be held in Memorial Hall Monday, July 10—Friday, July 14, 9am til noon. Registration for children age 3 - completed 5th grade. You can sign up by clicking the link on the Children's Ministry page of the church website.

#### Emmaus Monthly Gathering, Saturday, June 16

June Gathering is set for Saturday, June 16th at Englewood U.M.C. (7005 S. Dearborn, St.). Catch up with some Emmaus friends at Community potluck Gatherings. The third Saturday of every month the Suncoast Emmaus Community hosts a community gathering at various Emmaus active churches. Potluck dinner, so bring your favorite dish to share. Gatherings start at 5PM, casual time with music, food, renewed friendships from past Walks and always an inspiring 4th Day talk. Gathering information always available by checking the website at Suncoastemmaus.com.

#### Truck Needed: CAN YOU HELP?

Do you have an SUV or truck that can accommodate a bicycle?? We need an occasional driver to pick up a donated bicycle and take it to the Center of Hope in Nokomis. Bicycles are repaired and given out to working needy and homeless clients in need of transportation to get back and forth to work. What a blessing it is for them to have a bike!

Also, we need someone willing to repair bikes during the summer months. You too would have to be able to get the bikes to the comfort of your garage if you wish to do repairs at home rather than The Center of Hope. The cost of bike parts will be reimbursed. If you can help, please call Peggy Weinauer at 497-5682.

#### Venice Area Mobile Meals needs Drivers

As summer approaches and season ends, many of our regular drivers are heading north. We are in great need of drivers. Please call 941-488-1889. Office hours 8:00-11:00 AM daily except Sunday. Messages will be returned. Help us deliver food with smiles.

#### Salty Service Cards

Have you been remembering to alert us to your "salty service"? When you have served the Lord with gladness in kindness to others, doing your best to be an effective witness to His love and forgiveness, please remember to drop one of our Salty Service cards in the offering plate. You will find them in the pew racks by the pink special giving envelopes. This is not to brag about what you have done. It is to anonymously let your Church family know that you are seeking to be a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ. God bless you for serving. From Your Missions Committee