

* **Welcome Visitors!** *

If you are visiting with us today, you are our honored guest. *Please fill out our yellow visitor card* and if you have a prayer request, please fill out **our blue prayer request card** and we will pray this very day. **Please hand these to our usher!** We would like to invite you back to join us at every opportunity. We have free tracts in our foyer, and we offer both home Bible courses as well as Bible Correspondence courses, please ask if this is of interest to you! If we can be of any assistance to you in any way just talk to any member. **Thank you for worshipping with us today, have a blessed afternoon!**

The ABCs of the Gospel

- We must **Hear** the Gospel of Jesus Christ – Romans 10:14-17
- We must **Believe** the Gospel of Jesus Christ - John 8:24
- We must **Repent** of our sins – Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38
- We must **Confess Christ** before men – Rom. 10:9-10; I Tim. 6:12
- We must **Be Baptized** – Acts 2:38; Acts 22:16; Mk. 16:16
- We must **Remain Faithful** – Revelation 2:10

Plymouth Statistics...

Week of...	March 9	March 16	March 23	March 30
Sunday AM Bible Study	16	18	11	14
Sunday AM Worship	27	33	22	35
Sunday PM Worship	9	9	9	10
Wednesday Bible Study	5	8	9	12
Contribution	1,800.00	1,908.00	1,058.00	1,689.00

Our Weekly Budget is \$1,930.00

And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching. (Hebrews 10:23-24)

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Order of Services

Sunday:	Bible Study	9:30
	Worship	10:30
	Evening Worship	6:00
Wednesday:	Bible Study	7:00

Monti Renner - Evangelist

Mission Works:

David & Lisa Carter (Panamá)	Central Florida Bible Camp
Christian Home & Bible School	Eastern European Mission
Willie Franco (Philippines)	World Bible School
Equip Conference	Jamaica - Barkers

Upcoming Events & News

Morning Bible Class: Hebrews 3:1-8

Evening Bible Study Topic: 10th Video – a study of the examples of conversion in Acts. (Palm Beach Lakes church of Christ.) 13 Video series – Baptism un-watered down

April 22: Carolyn Stutzman’s 90th Birthday Party. Come and go from 6-8 pm. Mt. Dora Christian Academy, Wishart Academic Success Center.

April 27: Potluck dinner after the morning Worship hour. Guests are invited to stay.

Tom and Shelly will soon be heading back to their home in Michigan. Please keep them in your prayers and don’t forget to say goodbye. (Possibly on the 8th of April)

There are two upcoming surgeries to keep in your prayers: Sue Griffiths on April 10th, heart valve replacement. John Grinnell on April 21st, they will fix his shoulder.

Sunday Morning Service:

Songs: Charles Grinnell

Lord’s Supper: Mike Fulks

Scripture Reading:

Worship A.M: 1 Peter 5:8-10

Sermon Topics:

Morning: **Our Adversary**

Evening: 10th Video, examples of Conversion in Acts



Hebrews 10:24-25

And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

James 4:7 - *Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.*

Mark 16:16 - *Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned.*

Jesus' words in the well-known Sermon on the Mount (Mt. 5-7) can seem intimidating – even overwhelming – in how they challenge the normal patterns of human behavior. He focuses on selfless kindness and compassion – even to the point of personal sacrifice (5:38-42). But the intent isn't to cause believers in Christ to feel inadequate. Instead, this sermon paints a picture of God's original design for humanity. In Genesis 1, God created us to bear His image – to reflect Him to the inhabitants of the earth. As people in the process of becoming like Jesus (Eph. 4:12-13), we have been called to reflect who God is. Christ's sermon invites us to return to our ancient role of reflecting our Creator to a darkened world.

Family in Our Prayers...

James Phillips: they found another blood clot in his leg. Please keep James in your prayers. He will have an operation for this in April.

Dwinda Grinnell: Recuperating at home.

John Brinkley: has prostate cancer, has started radiation treatment.

John Grinnell: wisdom and health. Is scheduled for shoulder surgery on April 21.

Kyle Wright: Hopes to return in April.

For all of our Widows and Widowers

Shut-ins: (*Sharron Pickron, Kathrine Wadsworth, Lois Carter*)

For all our Mission works and Charity works.

Friends of Family in our Prayers...

Sue Griffiths: heart valve replacement on April 10th.

Philip Hale: Neighbor of Charle, he is in the 4th stage of prostate cancer.

Liz Letsinger: relative of Charlie and John, needing a liver transplant.

Luis & Rosa Guerra: pregnancy!

'Our Country: please pray for our country and government.

Prayer is a privilege – don't forget to use it! After all, "*The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results.*" **James 5:16** (NLT)

We can miss the strength of Jesus' words and the shock the crowd would have felt when Christ said, "*Whoever does not carry their cross and follow me cannot be my disciple*" (Lk.14:27). You only carried a cross for one reason – to be crucified on it -and that was the most terrifying death imaginable. As you read these words, imagine the crowd physically recoiling in horror at the thought that somehow following Jesus would require to bear a personal cross. This is at least the second time Luke has recorded Christ using this disturbing imagery (9:32). These words are understood in the context of Jesus Himself bearing a literal cross. We too, as Christians are called to bear our suffering in His name, and that daily.