

CONTINUING THIS SUNDAY...A NEW
CELEBRATION MESSAGE SERIES



You can go to our website
at www.celebrationbeachchurch.com and click on GIVE.
Once the page comes up, click next to GENERAL FUND. A
drop-down will show several options then choose SPECIAL
EVENTS FUND.
That will allow you to donate funds that will go directly to
our hurricane outreach.

October 23, 2022
CELEBRATION NOTES

THE COUNSELOR - 3
‘WHY DO DOUBTS RISE IN YOUR MINDS?’

While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.”³⁷ They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost.³⁸ [Jesus] said to them, “Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds?³⁹ Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see. Luke 24:36-39a

Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came.²⁵ So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord!” But he said to them, “Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe.” John 20:24-25 Then [Jesus] said to Thomas, “Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe.” John 20:26-27

Three kinds of believers: casual, convenient, committed

“I cry aloud to God. I cry aloud and He hears me. In times of trouble I pray to the Lord. All night long I lift my hands in prayer. I cannot find comfort. When I think of God I sigh and when I meditate I feel discouraged. He keeps me awake all night. I am so worried that I cannot speak. I think of days gone by and remember years of long ago. I spend the night in deep thought. I meditate and this is what I ask myself. Will the Lord always reject us? Will He never again be pleased with us? Has He stopped loving us? Does His promise no longer stand? Has God forgotten to be merciful? Has anger taken the place of his compassion?” Psalm 77

- 1. ...they drive me to God**
- 2. ...they force me to wrestle with life’s difficult questions**
- 3. ...it can deepen your faith**

UPCOMING EVENTS
TODAY

Celebration Singles “Brunch with Friends” Brunch is dutch, immediately following church Skillets (4170 N. 41 behind Wendy’s) call Fred 239-293-9099

Prestige Singles: Get together October 29th @ 4:30pm @ Barbie’s house (260 Logan Blvd. N. 34119) Pot Luck & wear a costume if desired. RSVP 239-595-4817

Monday October 24th
Bible Study @ Jimi Thomas house for info call 757-650-5758

Wednesday October 26th
Bible Study on Chosen @ 7pm
671 Goodlette Rd. N. Pastor Lana
Hope Conference Room

Sunday October 30th
Worship Service 9:30am
Cambier park

“Leashed Pets Welcome”

Pastoral Care
Celebration offers Pastoral Care please feel free to contact us for hospital, in home, or phone visits. Contact Pastor James @ 239-273-9811 or ccbcjamesh@gmail.com

DATE: ___/___/___

WELCOME TO CELEBRATION BEACH CHURCH!

CELEBRATION CONNECTION CARD

Please take a moment to complete this information so that we can get better connected.

- 1st Time Guest Regular Attendee
- 2nd Time Guest Celebration Member

NAME: _____
EMAIL: _____
PHONE: _____
STREET ADDRESS: _____ _____
CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____ _____

I WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ON:

- COMMUNITY GROUPS SERVING WITH CELEBRATION
- BAPTISM SPEAK WITH A PASTOR

How did you first hear about Celebration Beach Church?

Celebration Church Office: 239-649-1588
671 Goodlette Rd. N. Suite 130, Naples, FL34102

Doubt plus surrender equals trust

“I recall all You have done, O Lord. I remember Your wonderful deeds of long ago. They are constantly in my thoughts. I cannot stop thinking about them.” Psalm 77

4. ...He teaches us to celebrate our future

“No eye has seen no ear has heard. No mind has imagined what God has prepared for those who love Him” 1 Corinthians 2

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- If anyone would like to make a donation by credit card, we have a credit card machine at the information table.
 - To Give, Text: Beach To 73256
 - Church Office # 239-649-1588, Pastor Gene 239-777-4749, Pastor James 239-273-9811, Pastor Gordie 239-450-3176
 - Food Pantry please bring to church Oatmeal, Pasta Sauce, Grape Jelly, Canned Pineapple, Canned Chicken, 1lb Bag of Black Beans & 1lb Bag of White Rice.
 - Sunday School in a bag for children through 5th grade @ left of stage
 - November 9th enjoy a lunch @ Lulu’s St Matts House Café. Meet new friends & help St Matts! Forms to select & pay for your food choice next to the information table on Sunday Oct. 23rd & 30th. See you there 239-398-7195

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 and Lana Hope Pastor Emeritus
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