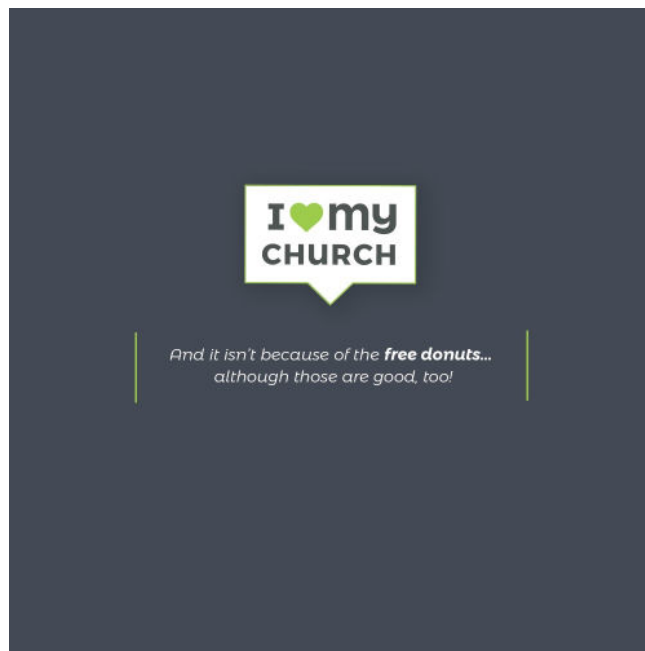


# ASK ME WHY I LOVE MY CHURCH



**BEGINNING NEXT SUNDAY!**

February 26, 2023

## CELEBRATION NOTES:

### TODAY: STUCK IN A RUT

#### Getting a GRIP and Getting Out of the Ruts

*ACTION requires TRACTION, but the enemy brings DISTRACTION.*

*“Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves.*

*Do what it says.” James 1:22*

*“I know I am rotten through and through so far as my old sinful nature is concerned. No matter which way I turn, I can't make myself do right. I want to, but I can't.” Romans 7:18*

**BAD ATTITUDE** – It is critical that we check our attitudes. Are they taking us up or down?

**EXCUSES** – They are the nails that are used to build a house of failure.

**PROCRASTINATION** – For things that bring us pleasure, we need no push to move towards. However, things that bring us discomfort or pain, we avoid.

**BUSYNESS** – We all have said it. We are busy! However, that busyness keeps us in a rut.

### **To Gain Traction and Make Progress in Your Life, You Need to Get a Grip.**

*“So take a new grip with your tired hands and stand firm on your shaky legs.” Hebrews 12:12*

### **GAIN MOMENTUM BY DISRUPTING YOUR PATTERNS“**

*Do you think I came to smooth things over and make everything nice? Not so. I've come to disrupt and confront!” Luke 12:51 “*

*Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think.*

*Then you will know what God wants you to do, and you will know how good and pleasing and perfect his will really is.” Romans 12:2*

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### TODAY

Celebration Singles “Brunch with Friends” Brunch is dutch, immediately following church Skilllets (4170 N. 41 behind Wendy's) call Bob 612-868-5747

#### Monday February 27th

Bible Study @ Jimi Thomas house for info call 757-650-5758

#### Wednesday March 1st

Bible Study on Revelation @ 7pm 671 Goodlette Rd. N. Pastor Lana Hope Conference Room

#### Sunday March 5th

Worship Service 9:30am Cambier Park

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“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

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**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: _____ _____

**RELY ON GOD’S STRENGTH, NOT YOUR OWN**

*The end of our own strength can be the turning point to discover the power and might of God.*

*“For I can do everything with the help of Christ who gives me the strength I need.”* Philippians 4:13 *“...For when I am weak, then I am strong.”* 2 Corinthians 12:10

**IDENTIFY AND IMPLEMENT SMALL ACTION STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TODAY.**

*“If you wait for perfect conditions, you will never get anything done.”* Ecclesiastes 11:4

**PERSISTENTLY PURSUE YOUR ACTION STEPS**

*“Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up.”* Galatians 6:9

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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 Peanut Butter/Jelly, Canned Chicken, Evaporated Milk, 1 lb Bag White Rice, Pasta Sauce,, Bar Soap & Oatmeal.

**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?*

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