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The Year of Jubilee

"And you shall consecrate the fiftieth year, and proclaim liberty throughout the land to all its inhabitants. It shall be a jubilee for you, when each of you shall return to his property and each of you shall return to his clan." <u>Leviticus 25:10</u>
The year of jubilee was when all of the land was to be returned to its original owners. Also, anyone who was sold as a slave would be set free in this year. The idea was that everything (both the land and the people) belonged to God and Jubilee was when things were to return back to the way they should be (25:17, 38, 43, 55).

When Jesus came to his hometown of Nazareth He entered the synagogue and read from the prophet Isaiah:

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim the good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." (<u>Lk 4:18-19</u>)

Jesus then proceeded to announce that this Scripture was being fulfilled in himself (<u>Lk 4:21</u>). What Jesus did for us on the cross is to fulfill the year of jubilee. He returned things to their rightful place. He restored and delivered us from our captivity to sin (<u>Rom 6:6-7; 8:11, 15</u>).

Our duty is to go forth and announce to the captives that there is freedom. Evangelism is essentially an announcement of Jubilee.

"All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God." (2 Cor 5:20)

Father, thank you for setting us free in Christ Jesus. Give us opportunities to tell this good news to others!

David Maxson

NEWS & NOTES

Sister to Sister virtual Ladies inspirational hour hosted by Arlington Road Church of Christ (Sister Simone Beans Congregation) July 30th from 11 am -12:30 pm. Event theme The Battle is not Mine: Let God Do His Job. More info to follow

Spooner House has specific needs for towels, washcloths, pillow cases, toothbrushes and toothpaste.

Prayer request for bulletin may be sent to Margaret @ mrizzio07@gmail.com
*Please let us know if you are not receiving robocalls so we can update our list.

Tithing can be done either through the mail or via the tithely app

Spooner House is in need! Donations may be dropped off at the church building or contact Ron. Weare also collecting travel size personal care items for abused women that come to the shelter.

To Our visitors: We welcome you to the worship service of the church of Christ that meets in Trumbull. Please fill out a visitor's card and place it in the collection plate when it is passed so that we may have a record of your attendance. If you have any questions concerning why we worship the way we do or what we believe, please feel free to ask. We would be happy to set aside time to study the Bible with you. Please let us know if we can be of service

Prayer Requests

- *Pray for the **Pancoast and Hubbell families** as they mourn the loss of **Fran** who passed away this past week.
- *Pray for **Chelsey Eddie** who is in pain from dislocating her knee cap.
- *Pray for **Lauryn Stephens** who will be having surgery July 19th to remove her tonsils and adenoids.
- *Prayers for Judith Gomez, additional lumps behind her ear,
- *Pray for Zach's friend, Jen for her grandmother in China who only has weeks to live,
- *Pray for Carlos & Kala Perez, they found lumps in her breast (nephew and wife of Gomez family & Jen Ruiz)
- *Prayers for Mel's health.
- *Pray for **Bruce Post and his family and all those** grieving a lost loved one.
- *Pray for Meegan Aschen's job search,
- *Pray for Pamela Pimpton's friend **Karen Harvey** who has breast cancer
- *Pray for **Flo**'s health (recently diagnosed with long haul covid) and Jay's job search.
- *Pray for **Jen Ruiz** who is struggling with severe vertigo.

There will be a celebration of life service for Fran Elizus on Sat. July 30th- 9am calling hour followed by a 10 am memorial service at our church building, then interment.

Registration is now open for current and past members to join us on Nov. 4th,5th & 6th to celebrate our 150th anniversary. **See page 3**

*Pray for those dealing with cancer and chemo treatments- Judith Gomez, David Fritzinger, Cohen (Ron's friend), Sarah (Angela's niece), Teri (Ray's S-I-L)

*Pray for our country & our leaders in government ,first responders and healthcare personnel.

*Pray for all the Ukrainian citizens and those trying to help them.

*Pray for families, relatives, friends and people we are reaching out to, that they may turn to the Lord.

Special prayers for our church leaders.

Prayers for all families caring for their elderly or sick loved ones: Greg Payne caring for his mother ,Allie Saracino-Cherie, ,Dean Perkins-Mildred Perkins,

*Pray for: Pat Yagowski,, Mildred Perkins,, Daniel Ruiz *Pray for those suffering from long term illnesses:Jen Ruiz,

Sylvia Sandoval, Nuris Gomez, Irene Aschen, Mel, Gladys Howley, Noah Darrow, Orion, Tabitha, Karen O, Angela's mom Connie Scalzo, Anthony Katz., Jasmyn Malagutti, Zak Pappas Fernandes., Jim Walkup's brother (Sam), Taylor Rusin, Cyrus (Zach's friend) dad who has brain cancer, Lance Flood, Zach Saracino, Joshua Ruiz, Brody Streety & all children with diabetes.

Our congregation will be celebrating it's 150th anniversary this year. Please let us know if you would be interested in helping to plan this event.

July 10th right after service- planning session, also Tori will be having a meeting with any youth interested in helping with ideas to create a time capsule.

*Anyone interested in helping with **World Bible School-** contact Ron

*Opportunities to serve: any men willing to participate in worship service in other capacities for the church, please contact Bruce Post. Anyone interested in leading and/or helping with the building or church house maintenance please contact Bruce Pancoast.

If anyone would be interested in being a liaison to one of the organizations that we have assisted over the past six months, please let Ron know: Yale, Boys detention center, Umbrella center for domestic violence, etc.

Please bring nonperishable food items for the **Spooner House** - a list of all items needed is on back table: Jelly/Jam/Peanut Butter, Cereal/Oatmeal, Canned Meats: Chicken, Tuna, Corned Beef Hash, Canned Ravioli/Tomatoes, Pasta Sauce, Canned Fruit/Applesauce, Crackers/Snacks, Pancake Mix/Syrup, Ramen, Hamburger/Tuna Helper, Baked beans/Pork and Beans, Canned/Dried Beans (i.e. Black, Chick Pea, Cannellini, Kidney, Pinto), Rice/Rice-A-Roni, Soup/Stew/Chili, Instant/Canned Potatoes/Yams. Bring these food items to the building to be delivered to the Spooner House. Please make sure that items do not have expired dates. Thank you

Wednesday Bible Classes: 7:00 p.m canceled til

further notice, participate online via Zoom Sunday Bible Class 10 am @ church building

Worship Service @ 11 am

Elders: Bruce Pancoast 203-452- 0426 Ron Saracino 203-913-8345

Minister: Ron Saracino 203-913-8345 Spanish Ministry: Elmer Sandavol

914-914-486-9146

Deacons: Ray Fernandes 203-459- 0284

Luis Ruiz 203-610-2396

Week of June 26, 2022
Online Bible study and service;
Go Trumbull Church of Christ website
trumbullchurchofchrist.org
Song Leader:Greg Payne
Lord's Table: Patrick Keller
Closing Prayer: Luis Ruiz

Week of 6/26-07/02 Donations:\$2,959 Spending:\$563 Registration is now open for current and past members to join us on November 4th, 5th and 6th.

Here is how to register:

Visit our church website – www.trumbullchurchofchrist.org

Click on the 150th anniversary link

Click on current and past members and complete the RSVP.

Recipes of favored potluck dishes from years past can also be shared for a recipe book that will be put together for the event. Photos can also be uploaded (up to 5 photos).

To upload photos:

1. Digitally

A. Email to 150th@trumbullchurchofchrist.org

(no more than 5 attachments in an email). You can send as many emails as you might like.

B. Direct upload

Goto: http://150ys.trumbullchurchofchrist.org

Note: (Do not use www.)

Password is: Trumbull!

Use the the ... at the upper right and create a new folder and rename it your first and last name.

Open the folder and either use the up arrow or drag and drop folders or individual pics. Every member needs to register individually, for us to get a complete headcount for those that are coming. It only takes a few minutes to register