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Live In the Joy of Forgiveness

My heart rejoices in your salvation.”Psalm 13:5 (NIV)

If you're a follower of Jesus, joy should be a way of life. Why? You've been completely forgiven. There's no longer a reason for guilt or shame.

Sounds like a good reason for joy to me.

The Bible says, “*Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus*” (Romans 8:1 NIV).

Romans 8 was originally written in Greek. The word translated “no” is the strongest possible negative in Greek. It's as if God was saying, “No, no, no—not in a thousand years, not in a million years, not a chance in your lifetime.”

That's important—because one of the biggest reasons people lose their joy is guilt. Guilt and shame have the power to steal your joy.

All of us make mistakes. But God doesn't want you to live in self-condemnation, constantly telling yourself, “I should be better.”

So how does God want you to handle your guilt? By coming clean and confessing your wrong. Go to God and say, “I'm sorry. Please forgive me.” And then he'll wipe away your sin.

Jesus Christ died on the cross so your sins would be forgiven and you'd no longer have to live with guilt! And he didn't just die for the sins you've already committed. He also died for the ones you haven't committed yet. They're all covered under the cross.

Jesus took your condemnation. That's why he died. Your sins have been paid for. You don't have to pay for them again.

That's salvation, and it's your most important reason for joy. It's the joy of a clear conscience.

You can experience the same joy as King David had when he wrote Psalm 13: “*My heart rejoices in your salvation*” (Psalm 13:5 NIV).

Rick Warren

NEWS & NOTES

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**

We will be compiling a **recipe book** for our 150th anniversary. If you would like to include a recipe please email it to Kristen Wilson
@kristenlanewilson@gmail.com
Ladies Bible Class Tues 10/11 930am

Bible Study-Oct.14 7pm- we will be putting together 10 college care boxes
Trunk or Treat-Oct. 29th 630 pm
Meriden/Manchester Youth Rally- Nov 11-13

Planning session for 150th anniversary- Oct. 2nd after service
Nov. 11-13 Manchester/Meriden Youth Rally in Manchester
Spooner House has specific needs for towels, washcloths, pillow cases, toothbrushes and toothpaste

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 Toni Bonadio, she had an angiogram this week which discovered a 50% blockage.
 *Pray for Karen Shelton (friend of Kris & Chelsey;s) , prayers for her peace
 *Pray for Linda Cerminara, recovering from a UTI.
 *Pray for Mary Lou's neighbor, Sally, her 2 sons have blood cancer.
 *Pray for **Maria Walsh** (a friend of Toni & Joann) who recently suffered a stroke.
 *Pray for safe travels for **Ron ,Lisa, Zach & Tori.**
 *Pray for **Karen Razasa** who is awaiting biopsy results.
 *Pray for the **Repecko's**, they lost a friend,Bruce Antsy this week from cancer. Continued prayers for **Flo** as she had an abnormal EKG and is wearing a heart monitor. Also for their daughter **Lauren** who is having many health issues and awaiting medical test results.
 *Pray for **Greg Payne and family**, his mom,Adellar Payne passed away this past week.
 *Pray for friends of Pamela Pimpton-**Sharon Juhan**,struggling with cancer and**Sandra Smalls**, awaiting a heart transplant .
 Pray for **Anthony Yanis**, recently diagnosed with prostate cancer.
 *Pray for **Debbie Christy** who had two nephews pass away last week.
 *Pray for **Jeremy Sazone** (Waterbury Church of Christ member) who is dealing with a rare bone disease.
 *Pray for **Pura Gomez** (Gus's sister) who is in ICU in Puerto Rico.
 * Pray for **Daniel Ruiz** who is going through a difficult time.*
 *Pray for **Mary Lou**, who has fractured bones in her foot.
 *Pray for **Seth** and his family, (a young friend of Mick's) as his health is declining.
 *Prayers for **Judith Gomez**who has additional lumps behind her ear and is going for further testing.

*Pray for all those affected by Hurricane Ian.

*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 health care workers.**

*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:**Flo Repecko,Paula Ross, Meegan and Irine, 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.

Mel's new address: 580 Long Hill Ave, Shelton,Ct.06484

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.

*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.

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

Sunday Bible Class 10 am @ church building

Wednesday Bible Classes: 7:00 p.m canceled til further notice, participate online via Zoom

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 Oct.16,2022

Online Bible study and service

Go to Trumbull Church of Christ website:

trumbull churchofchrist.org

Song Leader: Greg Payne

Lord's Table: Bruce Post

Closing Prayer: Ray Fernandes

Week9/24-10/1

Donations:\$4561

Spending: \$3067

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 ... 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