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Sing His Praises

Recently I saw a cartoon with fish singing, under water, of course. It's a cartoon and so we dismiss the silliness of such a thing. Who ever heard of fish singing? It does sound strange, doesn't it? It does, until you read Psalm 148:7, which says, "Praise the LORD from the earth, you great sea creatures and all ocean depths." In fact, Psalm 148 is a call to everything in God's creation to praise the LORD, such as: the sun, moon, stars, mountains, trees, birds, wild animals, lightning, hail, and snow. Personally, I do not recall hearing any of those things singing praises to the LORD. As you go through Psalm 148, you soon realize the point, which is, all things are invited to praise our LORD. The Psalmist says in Psalm 148:13, "Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted; his splendor is above the earth and the heavens." Nothing is excluded from this invitation to praise the LORD. Don't let yourself be the one who is left out of the praises!! Every day, make it a point to respond to the invitation to praise our God, our Creator, our Lord, and our Savior. Let's join all creation in the praise of our Almighty Loving God. "Praise the LORD!" (Psalm 148:1)

~ Ron Saracino

NEWS & NOTES		
Wed. Night Bible Study via zoom -7pm Ladies Bible Study-10/14 10am @ JoAnne Discala's home 175 Hilltop Circle, Trumbull Men's Breakfast- 10/21 @ 9am at church building-see Ron, Jay or Bruce for what you can bring	Trunk or Treat- Oct.28th Pot Luck 10/29 Nov. 10- Ladies Night out- Olde Town Restaurant please RSVP to Lisa by Nov. 10th College Care Packages— there is a list of items on the back table. This is the last Sunday of the collection.	Spooner House is in dire need of nonperishable items Barnabas Project if interested in joining contact Mary Lou (475) 529-5751

*Pray for *Skip French* (friend of Jay and Flo's)who was n the ER last week with fluid on the lungs.

*Pray for *Mick McCreanor* who is having health issues and also Seeking a new job, also for his friend, Kelly Kasarous who has cancer and pneumonia.

*Pray for Gina Porto's husband who has dementia and is regressing. Prayers for Gina as she cares for him.

*Pray for Kristen Wilson and baby's health, she is scheduled for a C-section Oct. 9.

*Pray for the Caruther;s family at the Manchester Church of Christ Elaine (George's (a elder) wife passed away.

*Pray for Joanna Orduna (Spanish ministry) whose husband and daughter will both be having surgeries for serious health issues.

*Pray for Esther Aggrey's children, especially Aba.

Pray for *Karen Ohrenberger* who is recovering from a craniotomy remove a benign brain tumor.

*Pray for *Yeremi* who has started basic training to begin his Army Service.

*Pray for *Bill Heckler* who has a mass near his heart.

*Pray for *Greg & Linda Cerminara* as they deal with physical challenges.

*Pray for *Irene Aschen*, she is recovering from hip surgery.

*Pray for Joe Nuzzo's coworker whose brother recently passed away

*Pray for the *Toyer family* (friends of Beulah) in Trinidad. *Roland* had a 2nd stroke and is not doing well.

*Pray for *Nadine* who will be having a PET/CT scan soon.

*Pray for Nadine's friend, *Christine Nelson*, she is dealing with many losses and is quite ill from cancer.

*Pray for **Toni Bonadio** who is having several health challenges.

*Pray for those dealing with cancer and chemo treatments- Judith Gomez, David Fritzinger, Cohen (Ron's friend), Sarah (Angela's niece), Tom Byer *Prayers for all those who have lost loved ones this past year.

*Pray for adult children to develop a relationship with God *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: Allie Saracino-Cherie, ,Bob and Joanne Discala-Virginia, Greg & Linda

*Pray for those suffering from long term illnesses: Nadine Keller, Linda Cerminara, Jeremy Sazone, Flo Repecko, Pat Yaglowski. Meegan and Irene, Sylvia Sandoval, Nuris Gomez, Mildred, Karen O, Angela's mom Connie Scalzo, Anthony Katz., Jasmyn Malagutti, Daniel Ruiz., Zak Pappas Fernandes., Jim Walkup's brother (Sam), Cyrus (Zach's friend) dad who has brain cancer, Lance Flood, Zach Saracino, Joshua Ruiz, Brody Streety & all children with diabetes.

*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

Wednesday Bible Classes: 7:00 p.m participate online via Zoom

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Bible class 10am, Worship Service 11 am Online bible class and worship service Go to our website: trumbullchurchofchrist.org

Week of 10/1/23

Song Leader:Bruce Pancoast Lord's Table: Zachary Saracino

Closing Prayer: Andrew Langalis Usher:Ray Fernandes Week ending: 9/24-9/30/23

Donations: \$1086 Expenses: \$300