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Who is that Guy Anyway?

“Who is this? He commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him.” (Luke 8:25) These were the words of Jesus’ apostles who just witnessed Jesus calm a life threatening storm. There are many facets to the powers and wonders of Jesus. The people of Jesus’ day were amazed, fearful, and astonished by Jesus’ words, signs, and authority.

Firstly, people were amazed by the way that Jesus spoke, or the power of His Word. He taught and preached in a way that the people were not used to. His words and teachings not only silenced the criticisms of the religious leaders of the time, but touched the hearts of people, enough to change their lives. He had full knowledge of the Law, but also spoke of things that only the true Messiah would know. Secondly, Jesus had supernatural power. He showed this through His many signs and wonders. He was able to heal the sick, the lame, and even raise people from the dead. He also demonstrated that He had power to control nature; catching fish when no one else could and calming storms with a simple word. Thirdly, Jesus showed His power through His authority. He had the authority over evil spirits and was able to drive them out of people as a result of that authority. Jesus also had the authority to forgive people of their sins. He had the authority to decide someone’s eternal destiny, by condemning them to hell. Based on the power of Jesus’ Word, supernatural wonders, and authority, one can conclude that Jesus is Lord. Only God Himself could have the power that Jesus had. Only God Himself could amaze and astonish people to such a great degree. However, all of those things that made Jesus so amazing would have meant nothing if not for His love. What brings a person to their knees... what brings people to change their life forever... what brings a person to repentance... is knowing that Jesus, being God, took the form of a human being, made of flesh and blood, and died on a cruel cross so that we may have eternal life. He did not have to do that for us, but He did. 1 John 2:2 says that Jesus “is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.” He is not only God, but He is the CHRIST!

Who is that guy anyway? Peter answered the question best in Acts 2:36, “God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ.” After hearing these words from Peter, the crowd asked, “What shall we do?” Peter replied, “Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.” Now that you know who He is... how will you respond?

~
Ron Saracino

NEWS & NOTES

Wed. Night Bible Study via zoom -7pm

Tues, morning Bible Study-Nov. 14 &28th via zoom @9:30 am via zoom

Nov. 10- Ladies Night out- Olde Town Restaurant @ 6pm please

RSVP to Lisa by Nov. 10th

Ladies Bible study- Nov.11 @10 am @ church building

Manchester Youth Rally Nov,10-12th

Spooner House is in dire need of nonperishable items

Our food pantry needs some restocking- place items in a bag marked Trumbull Church food pantry

Barnabas Project if interested in joining contact Mary Lou (475) 529-5751

***Pray for Israel-** the hostages and all those who have lost loved ones.
***Pray for the family of Natasha Ramos** (who recently passed away)
Pray for *Karen McMullen and family (Jody's M-I-L) who will be having esophagus and stomach surgery 10/29/23, Her mother, ***Clydia Birdsall***, recently diagnosed with breast Cancer will have a lumpectomy soon.
Pray for *family of Matthew Bassford (Church of Christ Preacher TN), he recently passed away after a battle with ALS
Pray for *Roland Toyer in Trinidad who is suffering serious effects from a stroke.
Pray for the *family of Bill Keckler (friends of Ron & Lisa's. Bill passed away recently.
Pray for *Skip & Doreen French, both have covid and are quite sick. (friends of Jay & Flo)
Pray for *Judith Gomez who suffered a small heart attack and having further testing.
Pray for *Mick McCreanor who is having health issues and also seeking a new job, also for his friend, ***Kelly Kasarous*** who has cancer.
Pray for *Esther Aggrey's children, especially Aba.
Pray for *Karen Ohrenberger* who is recovering from a craniotomy to remove a benign brain tumor.
Pray for *Yeremi who has started basic training to begin his Army service.
Pray for *Toni Bonadio who is having several health challenges.
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***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, Gina Porto
***Pray for those suffering from long term illnesses:**
 Nadine Keller, Greg & Linda Cerminara, Jeremy Sazone, Flo Repecko, Pat Yaglowksi. 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
Elders: Bruce Pancoast 203-583-0551
Minister: Ron Saracino 203-913-8345
Spanish Ministry: Elmer Sandavol
 914-914-486-9146
Deacons: Ray Fernandes 203-502-8871
 Luis Ruiz 203-610-2396
 Bob Discala 203-521-7252
 Patrick Keller 203-218-9517
 Derin Wilson 203-36

e **Bible class 10am, Worship Service 11 am**
Online bible class and worship service
Go to our website :
trumbullchurchofchrist.org
Week 011/05/23
Song Leader: Derin Wilson
Lord's Table: Andrew Langalis
Closing Prayer : Ray Fernandes
Usher: TBD
Week ending:
Donations: \$ 4732
Expenses: \$6763

