

# SPRING HILL CHURCH

JANUARY 2024

# **BE SALT AND LIGHT**

Yesterday while in a restaurant I noticed our waitress had scars on her neck,

I tried not to stare but as I looked closer I could clearly see they were burn scars.

I then looked at her face as she was handing out drinks to all of us at the table and I saw sadness. Her eyes didn't sparkle and she looked tired.

Was it because of her burns? What/who caused them? Was she abused? All the questions were echoing in my mind as I was trying to figure out "how" she got the scars.

But I stopped trying to figure out how she got them. It didn't matter. I looked her in the eye and made contact with her and I smiled and tried to convey to her that I was her friend.

Don't forget when you're in a restaurant to be kind, smile and look your waitress/

waiter in the eyes. Talk to them as if they were your son, daughter, grand daughter/ grandson.

The I - 2 hours you're there could be the only "Jesus" they'll ever see! It could be the only glimpse of the gospel they'll ever encounter! Take notice of people around you. Be the light in their darkness. We don't have to beat people over the head with the Bible to show the gospel to them! If your wearing a "I love lesus" shirt while at the Red Lobster you'd better prove it in your words and actions!

When you look at someone with love and compassion and talk to them with kindness and a genuine concern for them they'll see and feel the love of lesus!

Pray to have the eyes, ears and heart of Jesus to look beyond what's in front of you!

You want to minister? Pray for Godly "encounters" ...Pray for "Godly moments" ...where you will experience what the true work of the gospel is! It is then when you'll see Jesus and he'll humble and mold you to be His mouth, hands and feet.

Ministry isn't just a platform it's an every day walk and talk! It's servanthood. It's washing the feet of others without needing a pan of water!

Ministry can happen in Olive Garden, Walmart, the Dollar Store or the Pggly Wiggly!

Be salt and light where ever you go!!

### Matthew 5: 13

"Ye are the salt of the earth; but if the salt have lost his savour, wherewith shall it be salted? it is thenceforth good for nothing...."

### PRAYER REQUEST:

- JASON
- NICHOLAS
- DENNIS & SANDY
- SHANNON
- SHARON
- DALE & DONNA
- ASIAN MISSION
- THE LOST
- OUR CHURCH
- JAMIE, LACEY & KIDS
- BRUCE & PATSY
- DON
- KENNY
- TRACEY
- LAWRENCE & JAN
- CODY, LAURA & KIDS
- TOMMY & ANGIE
- MIKEL & FAMILY
- MIKE & MARY
- FRAN
- THE NEW YEAR
- OUR PRESIDENT & LEADERS

Having a rough day? Place your hand on your heart.

Feel that? That is called purpose. Your alive for a reason.

Never Give Up!

You are SPECIAL.



Everybody thinks I'm crazy. They say, "You take the Jesus thing too seriously." Well I don't know, but Christ took me pretty seriously when He died for me on the cross.



### LORD, THANK YOU THAT YOU ARE:

Strong when I am weak. Present when I feel alone. Wisdom when I don't know what to do. My guide when I feel lost. Hope when I lose confidence. Faith when I have none. Peace in the midst of the storm. Manna when I am hungry. Rest when I am restless. My defender when I am accused. My protector when I am attacked. My strong tower when I am overwhelmed. My provision when I am broke My healer when I am sick. My friend when I have none. My comforter when I am afraid. There when I call. Thank you that you are my everything!

It's ok to pray. Pray
out loud, pray in your
head, pray in a
whisper, pray on
your knees, pray in
the car, pray in the
shower.

**JUST PRAY!** 





You are not too dirty
for God to cleanse.
You are not too broken
for God too fix.
You are not too far
for God to reach.
You are not too guilty
for God to forgive.
And you are not
too worthless
for God to love.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL.... 10:00AM SUNDAY WORSHIP.... 11:00AM SUNDAY NIGHT.....6:00PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT....7:30PM

**EVERYONE WELCOME** 

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# Life is an echo.

What you send out - comes back
What you sow - you reap
What you give - you get
What you see in others - exists in you
Do not judge - so you will
not be judged
Radiate and give love
and love will come back
to you

We are not
all in the same boat.
We are in the same storm.
Some have yachts,
some have canoes,
and some are drowning.
Just be kind and help
whoever you can.

WHEN OUR TIME ON THIS
EARTH IS DONE. MONEY
OR MATERIAL THINGS
WILL NOT MATTER. BUT
THE LOVE. TIME AND
KINDNESS WE'VE GIVEN
OTHERS WILL SHINE
AND LIVE ON FOREVER.

# January 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Ē	Sat
	I	7	ಣ	4 MICHELLE	S	<b>9</b>
7 CONFERENCE	8	6	10	11	12	13 WORK DAY
14	15	16	17 SHARON	18	61	20 DONNA
21	22	23 CRIMSON	24	25	26	27
28 SANDWICH NIGHT	29 LAAWRENCE	30 LACEY MIKEL	31			