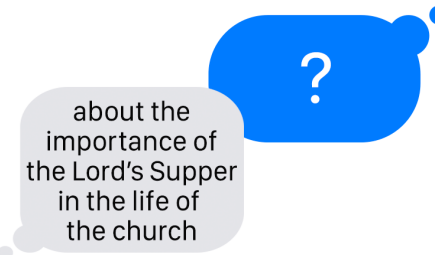


**COURSE CORRECTION: THE LORD'S SUPPER AS A LIGHTHOUSE**  
**1 CORINTHIANS 11:17-34**

1. People (and God) are \_\_\_\_\_ the church  
*Joshua 2:8-11; Exodus 2:7-10*
  
2. \_\_\_\_\_ harms individuals and the church
  
3. Follow \_\_\_\_\_ principles  
*1 Corinthians 10:15-22; Matthew 26:26-29*
  
4. \_\_\_\_\_ yourself  
*Lamentations 3:40; Romans 12:2; 2 Corinthians 13:5-7; Galatians 6:4*
  
5. \_\_\_\_\_ of the exam
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_  
*Matthew 23:25-26; Hebrews 12:4-11; 1 John 1:9*
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_ the test  
*1 Corinthians 9:24-27*
  
6. Strive toward \_\_\_\_\_  
*Ephesians 4:1-5*

# Dear Church...

## WE NEED TO TALK



**1 CORINTHIANS 11:17-34**



### FROM THE PASTOR'S HEART

I cannot thank you enough for how welcoming and loving the church has been to Elizabeth and me. In the midst of all the changes in our lives, it has been the stability provided through meeting with brothers and sisters in Christ at First Baptist Port Charlotte that has provided some balance in our new home. Though we are meeting for the first time, there is a connection and love that has taken place that can only be found among fellow believers in Jesus.

This morning, we will look at one of the ordinances of the church that helps unite the church. The Lord's Supper reminds us of the great sacrifice of our Savior, who ransomed us from the penalty of sin so that we may be united as the family of God. My prayer is that we will grow in unity and love for one another within the church as we are reminded of what it cost Christ to save us. God bless, Pastor Scott

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

**SUNDAY, Mar. 17**

**Deacon of the Day: Ken Ester**

12:30pm Strive Mission Trip Training Mtg. (SC)  
6:00 Sunday Night Strive (McKinneys')

**MONDAY, Mar. 18**

7:00am Men's Prayer Group (FH)  
9:00 Forget-Me-Nots Com. Mtg. (Conf. Rm.)  
10:00 Women's Prayer Mtg. (WC)  
6:15pm AWANA Min. Team Planning Mtg. (FH)  
6:30 High School Guys Bible Study (Music Rm.)

**TUESDAY, Mar. 19**

9:00am Staff Mtg. (Conf. Rm.)  
10:00 Ladies Bible Study - *Anxious for Nothing* (SC)  
1:00pm Ministry to Men Com. Mtg. (Conf. Rm.)  
4:30 Ladies Bible Study - *True Woman 201* (Music Rm.)  
6:30 Student Praise Team Rehearsal (SC)

**WEDNESDAY, Mar. 20**

10:00am Ladies Bible Study - *Discover Your Destiny* (SC)  
**Wednesday evening activities have been cancelled due to spring break and will resume next Wednesday.**

**THURSDAY, Mar. 21**

10:00am Women's Prayer Mtg. (FH)  
10:15 Lunch Bunch (WC)  
6:00pm Ladies Bible Study - *1 & 2 Thess.* (SC)  
6:30 Praise Choir Practice (Music Rm.)  
7:00 Men's Bible Study - *Isaiah* (Sci. Rm.)

**FRIDAY, Mar. 22**

10:00am Sisters Stitching for Jesus (SC)

**SATURDAY, Mar. 23**

8:00am Open Gym Basketball (G)  
9:30 Griefshare (Conf. Rm.)

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**March 24**

1 Corinthians 12:1-11  
& Commentary pages 177-184

**THE NEW CITY CATECHISM** **QUESTION** OF THE WEEK

**Question 6:**

What does the law of God require?

**Answer:**

That we love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; and love our neighbor as ourselves.

### BIRTHDAYS

**Sun.** - Willo Dean Baltimore, Jeremy Dayment, Daphney Douglas  
**Mon.** - Pam Wilcox  
**Tue.** - Sherri Jolicouer-Vana  
**Wed.** - Sharon Woodward  
**Thu.** - Carole Harper  
**Fri.** - Ruth Hering, Sue Page, Leila Porcides, Cindi Wheeler  
**Sat.** - Earl Chappell, Roberta Cottrill, Johnnie Drye, Gabriel Fink, Dot Jones, Lisa Pape

### WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

**Sun.** - Pete & Sue Elgersma, 41 yrs.  
John & Jean Sears, 71 yrs.  
**Fri.** - Jerry & Cindi Wheeler, 47 yrs.

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Pastor Scott Allred John & Carol Murdock  
Johnny & Judy Atkins Nancy Page  
Jim & Lynn Clear Vadim & Julie Pustovit  
Roberta Cottrill Steve & Jackie Robinson  
Michael & Grace Davitt Elia Schaefer  
Paul Lucca Deborah Williams  
Annamarie Melnik Vitalik & Anna Zhigulin  
Danny Moody Jr.

### OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Condolences to the Family & Friends of Jan Turner, in her passing on 3/7.

Condolences to John & Cindy Clark in the passing of their sister-in-law, Michael & Telisha Clark in the passing of his aunt and Daniel & Angela Bozman in the passing of her aunt, Linda, on 3/8.

Condolences to Don & Susie Jones in the passing of her mother, Lola, on 3/8.

Condolences to Mary Jane Hodge in the passing of her husband, Melvin, on 3/13.

**Awana** MINISTRY TEAM PLANNING MEETING  
This Monday, Mar. 18  
Fellowship Hall

6:15pm - Pot luck dinner & fellowship followed by a planning & training meeting for all volunteers.

**SISTERS STITCHING FOR JESUS**

**Beanie Babies — Needed**  
Our Sisters Stitching for Jesus ministry needs Beanie Babies. They can use as many as you donate! Drop them off at the Connection Counter

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**Lunch Bunch** This **Thur., March 21**  
10:15am - Worship Center  
FOR SENIORS

Entertainment this month is the **Mark Dubbeld Family**, with lunch to follow.

**Firstmen**  
First Baptist Port Charlotte

Book Study beginning the week of March 25.

Don't settle for less than God's best. Join in on this epic adventure of becoming God's man. You'll discover how to prevail in tough times and release God's power in every area of your life. Sign up at the Connection Counter or contact Dave Myers at

[Firstmen@fbcportcharlotte.com](mailto:Firstmen@fbcportcharlotte.com)



**Forget-Me-Nots**  
widows & senior care

**Marie Selby Gardens / Der Dutchman**  
Thursday, March 28 · 9:00am

We will leave the church Thurs., Mar. 28 at 9:00am. Price is \$30 which will include a 1½ hour guided walking tour. Afterwards we plan on going to Der Dutchman for lunch. Sign up at the Connection Counter today and next Sunday.

### ENCOURAGEMENT FROM PREGNANCY SOLUTIONS

Hollywood movie "Unplanned" Private Showing  
Friday, March 29

Regal Cinemas Town Center, Port Charlotte  
6:00pm doors open and tickets are required.

Ticket info.: [Admin@supportafterabortion.com](mailto:Admin@supportafterabortion.com)

General info. about the movie: [www.unplannedfilm.com](http://www.unplannedfilm.com)

### FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

2019 Weekly Budget Needs:	\$28,287.48
Budget Receipts 3/10:	\$24,817.48
Budget Needs to Date:	\$282,874.80
Budget Receipts to Date:	\$280,859.24



Total 3 Yr. Commitments:	\$350,640.00
Initial Gifts to Date:	\$985,498.00
Needed to Reach Phase 2	
Goal:	\$14,502.00

**WinShape Camps**



**Chick-fil-A Run**  
**Winshape Camps Road Crew**  
Saturday, March 30 · 7:00 - 11:00am

**We need your help!**

Volunteers are needed to help with the Chick-fil-A Run for the Kids 5k/10k, benefiting Crossroads Hope Academy and WinShape Camps. If you are interested, please contact Chick-fil-A to register. 941-766-6106

We also need cheerleaders to come out and cheer runners on as they come down Quesada Ave., past our Gymnasium, Student Center and Field.

That same morning we will be holding our annual WinShape Camps Road Crew event at Chick-fil-A and need volunteers to assist with games.

If you are interested, please contact Dee at [Dee@fbportcharlotte.com](mailto:Dee@fbportcharlotte.com).

**WINSHAPE CAMP PORT CHARLOTTE**  
JULY 1-5, 2019 · \$169 per child

Register at [www.winshapecamps.org](http://www.winshapecamps.org)

For more info, email [Winshape@fbcportcharlotte.com](mailto:Winshape@fbcportcharlotte.com).



**YOU can be trained and certified to serve in times of disaster.** Interested? Attend the regional Florida Baptist Disaster Relief Training on Sat., April 6, At McGregor Baptist Church in Fort

Myers. An information sheet is available at the 'Say "Yes" to Missions' display.



**Sun., Apr. 7 · 3:30pm**  
**Conf. Room**

If you would like to know more about joining the church, our Pastors lead this time introducing you to our ministries. You can call or email Midge to register. [Midge@fbcportcharlotte.com](mailto:Midge@fbcportcharlotte.com)