



The Beacon
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Scripture Memorization, January

Matthew 28:19-20

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

MISSIONARY MOMENTS

Dear Island Chapel,

Happy New Year from **Manna on Wheels!** What an Awesome God we serve! What a wonderful year 2015 has been. We've had many challenges, but the blessings have far outweighed the challenges. We continue to distribute food to many ministries, but one story you may find special.

On November 21st, 2015 we had our 3rd annual Dover Thanksgiving Outreach. We served 625 meals with 50+ volunteers. At 2 pm when we were putting away the tables and chairs, a bus load of 60 men came in to eat. We got out the tables and chairs and served them. Pastor Geno shared the Gospel with them and all 60 men prayed to receive Christ! TO GOD BE THE GLORY! That day God gave the increase and a total of 73 prayed to receive Christ! How humbled we are to see God work in people's lives!

That's not the end to this story. All 60 men were at Pastor Geno's church the next day and continued bringing their friends over the next few weeks. Twenty more men prayed to receive Christ! On December 13th, 2015 we cooked for 150 men at the Migrant Camp Outreach where Pastor Geno and his church served the meal, and 40 more men prayed to receive Christ! Out of 150 men, a total of 120 men received Christ as their savior! TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

Looking back over our food box ministry and outreaches we've been a part of for 2015, we are humbled that God allowed **Manna on Wheels** to be a part of 218 decisions for Jesus Christ! Because of your generosity you are a big part in many lives being saved for Christ. Thank you for your monthly gift.

God Bless,
 Buddy Bass

**January's Deacon
 of the Month**

Gene Lane
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Gene and Joyce

SUNDAY SERVICES

January 17, 2016

8:00 and 10:00 am

Sermon:

“All for Harmony?”

Colossians 3:12-17

Adult Sunday School 9:00 am

Children's Sunday School 10:00 am

Nursery available for children 3 1/2 and under

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study

7 pm

**Your generous giving helps supports these ministries,
 selected by The Island Chapel Outreach Committee:**

Ministry	2015/16 Monthly Amount
LOCAL	
Suncoast Association	\$ 874
Manna on Wheels/Lighthouse Ministries	\$ 250
The Next STEPP Pregnancy Center	\$ 250
Florida Baptist Children's Home	\$ 250
D & D Missionary Homes	\$ 225
InterVarsity Christian Ministries	\$ 100
S.T.A.A.R. (Human Trafficking Rescue)	\$ 100
Center for Women's Ministries	\$ 100
NATIONAL	
Military Ministry/Campus Crusade	\$ 225
Jesus Project Ministries	\$ 100
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary	\$ 1,000
INTERNATIONAL	
FL Baptist Convention Cooperative Program	\$ 2,330
North India Christian Ministries	\$ 125
Rafiki Foundation	\$ 125
New Hope Ministries (Haiti Orphanage)	\$ 100

Schedule of Events

Announcements

THIS WEEK		
Jan 18	Ladies' Prayer Breakfast Skyway Diner 4000 34 th Street South	8 am
Jan 19	Men's Prayer Breakfast IHOP 4199 34 th St. So, St Petersburg	8 am
Jan 20	Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting and Bible Study "Understanding Islam"	7 pm
Jan 21	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
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Jan 27	Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting and Bible Study "Understanding Islam"	7 pm
Jan 28	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
Feb 1	Ladies' Prayer Breakfast Skyway Diner 4000 34 th Street South	8 am
Feb 2	Men's Prayer Breakfast IHOP 4199 34 th St. So, St Petersburg	8 am
Feb 3	Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting and Bible Study "Understanding Islam"	7 pm
Feb 4	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
Feb 10	Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting and Bible Study "Understanding Islam"	7 pm
Feb 11	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm

Prayer Breakfasts

Ladies' Prayer Breakfasts

1st and 3rd Monday of every month

8:00 am

Skyway Diner
4000 34th Street South
St. Petersburg, FL

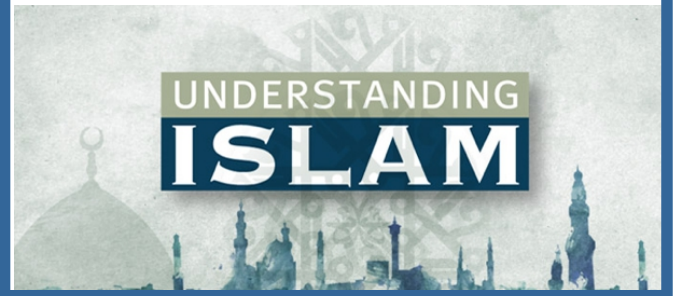
Men's Prayer Breakfasts

1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month

8:00 am

International House of Pancakes
4199 34th St. South
St. Petersburg, FL

Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study



Is your
information
correct in the
Church
Directory?

Please fill out the
UPDATE FORM
in the lobby to make changes



**Missionary
Hosts needed
for one night
on March 18th**

**Please sign up
in the Lobby**