

Grace Notes

THE PRODIGAL GOD-part 5

"The Feast of the Father"

Luke 15: 11-32

Let's look at the story in the context of the whole Bible.

1. The H_____ condition. (v. 13-17)

2. The D_____ solution. (v. 31-32)

3. The new C_____.

"...because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.'" (v. 32b)

Listen to or download the Messages and Music from Grace @ www.GraceOnTheIsland.com
OR to order a copy of the message on CD, a request form is available at the sound booth.

The Coffee Hour Ministry

Are you interested in helping? A sign-up sheet located in the lobby area of TFEC.

This is a wonderful opportunity to meet other people in the church!

Back by Popular Demand

Summer dinner with your friends

Wed. Aug 11 and Wed. Sept 15 at 5:30 PM in TFEC
UPDATED 8/11 Menu: Greek salad with tangy buttermilk dressing, chicken marbella, rice, broccoli, rolls, orange chocolate bread pudding. Kid's meal: spaghetti and meatballs. \$6.00 per person OR \$12.00 per family. To make reservations, please check **other** on the response card and write the date you will be attending the dinner.

UMW needs donations of pretty china cups and saucers for the Annual Christmas Tea. Please call Barbara Wood at 485-6257.

OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDY

LifeWAY-Christian Education for life classes meet Sunday morning between 9:30 & 11:00 AM. LifeWAY brochures are located at the information window in the Narthex.

Christian Encounters LifeWAY Sunday School Class

9:30-10:30AM in East Wing.

Wesleyan Class Welcomes New Teacher

The Wesleyan Class is pleased to welcome Rev. Sherry Angus as its new teacher as its new teacher, replacing Rev. William Granberry, who so faithfully and willingly taught the class, retired after 20 years. The class will continue to meet in the West Wing from 9L30-10:15AM All are welcome!

Beth Moore Bible Study

Come and join us for this nine week DVD lecture series entitled "The Inheritance" beginning on Wednesday August 4 through Wednesday September 29. Sessions will begin at 6:30 pm in the Friendship room near the traditional sanctuary. There is no study required between sessions, there will be a Listening Guide provided to each participant. Be sure to bring your Bible and a pen to each session! Contact Janet Shahan, 485-8686, for any questions.

OUR MISSIONARIES

Marilyn Beecher-Orlando, Florida
Tushabemukama John Bosco-Uganda
Pat & Karen Burroughs-Campus Crusade
Sara Flores-Bolivia
Mark & Kristen Mikarts-Agape Flights, Venice
Gideons International
Megan Cogburn- Tanzania, Africa
Will Diefenbach, AIM, Dominican Republic

Serve Christ in Our Worship Ministry!

We need additional door greeters to welcome worshippers to our 11:00 service. If interested please check **OTHER** on the response card and write **Greeters**.

Uganda Pastor Support

We are looking for a good working video camera to be donated before August 10th. This is for a Uganda pastor that we have been working with over the last 3 years. Please check **OTHER** on the response card and write **Uganda**.

Needed The Venice Community Dinners needs individuals to coordinate fruit collection and delivery one day every other month. These Community dinners provide a free weekly meal for our neighbors in need, at one of 3 churches in Venice (Grace being one of them). For information, please check **OTHER** on the response card and write **Needed**.

CHILDREN AND PARENTS

NURSERY FOR INFANTS & PRESCHOOLERS
in the main hallway of TFEC

CHILDREN'S CHURCH
K-4th grade during message at LifeJourney

WORSHIP NOTEBOOKS
Weekly Bible puzzles in both services

For more information on Children ministries,
please contact Carla Rollinson at
488-1374 or email at
carla@graceontheisland.com

Reserve a table now for the Grace UMC
"Fall into Christmas" Craft Bazaar
November 13, 2010, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Tables are a \$20 donation. For information, please
check **OTHER** on the response card
and write **Bazaar**.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday August 1
7:30 AM Communion, Peale Chapel
9:00 AM *Life Journey, TFEC
9:30-11:00 AM *LifeWAY Classes
11:00 AM *Worship, Sanctuary
4:30 PM In Mission Celebration, Punch Hall
Wednesday August 4
6:30 PM Beth Moore Bible Study, Parlor B
Thursday August 5
Information is due for August 15th Bulletin
Friday August 6
Office Closes at Noon

*Nursery Provided

CHURCH STAFF

Jay Kowalski & Tom Derrough, Pastors
Carla Rollinson, Director, Children's Ministry
Missy Carfield, Director, Student Ministry
Gene Hodges, Organist/Director, Traditional Music
Jonathan Hinton, Director, LifeJourney Music
Patsye Dulmer, Preschool Director

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Our Vision:
Compelled by Christ's love,
we are friends helping friends
become authentic, enthusiastic
followers of Jesus.