



Fisherman

March 2010

From the President.....

Paul writes to the Christians in Rome that patience and encouragement, given by God, will help them live in harmony with each other. And by doing so, they can join together in one voice and give praise to God. Paul continues, "So accept each other just as Christ has accepted you, then God will be glorified." Romans 15:13. In verse 14 Paul brings it home, the reason he is writing to them. "I myself am convinced, my brothers, that you yourselves are full of **goodness**, complete in knowledge and competent to instruct one another."

When you hear the word goodness what do you think of? The quality of being good or decent. Maybe behaving properly and/or being honest. These are all fine, but these meanings are not quite what Paul was writing about.

If we look and read carefully at the Word of God we will be made aware of the goodness of God that Paul is referring to. This trait is mentioned approximately 35 times, depending on what version you are reading.

Abundant in living kindness, for our God is tolerant and patient. He is willing to wait while we turn away from sin and ask for forgiveness. We too need to forgive just as God forgives us. Matter a fact I do believe I have prayed this may times before, something like, ..."and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors..."

Unfailing love, which reminds me of John 3:16, if by chance you are not familiar or can't remember it, now would be a great time to look it up.

He loves righteousness and justice. I think we would all agree that the Lord our God is right in saying we are sinners and the only way to get right is to confess our sin so we can follow Him more closely.

The Goodness of God is not prejudice or jealous, He has compassion on all his creation and we should too. Does covet come to anyone's mind and didn't Jesus say something about **LOVING** thy neighbor, yes I'm sure He did. Many other terms, meanings come to mind, but if I keep giving them to you, you will not look for them yourself.

So, how do we attain these traits that are in the nature of Christ. The Bible tells us, "*But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives, he will produce this kind of fruit in us: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Here there is no conflict with the law.*" *Galatians 5:22* We are unable to do it on our own, we need to allow Him to come into our lives and rule our lives. We need to know him, love him and imitate him. Another verse I came across says this, "*But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure. It is also peace loving, gentle at all times, and willing to yield to others. It is full of mercy and good deeds. It shows no partiality and is always sincere. And those who are peacemakers will plant seeds of peace and reap a harvest of goodness.*" *James 3:18* When you have the opportunity, read James 3:13-18, to become a wiser person.

It is your choice, will you choose to present the Goodness of God to others or will you not.

God's Goodness appears in two ways, giving and forgiving.

"*You are a chosen people. You are royal priests, a holy nation, God's very own possession. As a result you can show others the goodness of God, for he called you out of the darkness into his wonderful light.*"

1 Peter 2:9

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"To strengthen the local church by providing a continuing atmosphere for individuals to share and experience the living Christ."



Community News

WOMEN'S WEEKEND #19

weekend verse:

*"being confident of this that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus."
Philippians 1:6*

I am excited and honored to serve the Lord and our community as the next Rectora for Women's #19 to be held at Camp Asbury on April 8-11, 2010.

I would greatly appreciate your prayer support. As you pray for the weekend, would you please be in prayer for the members of the

Lead Team:

Julie Yanckek- Rectora
Paul Yancheck- Spiritual Director
Deb Griest- Spiritual Director
Nicole Enold -Asst. Rectora
Barb Jackson- Asst. Rectora
Lisa McNeely- Chief Aux
Jo-Ann Bush- Asst. Chief Aux
Karena McCandless -Co Music Director
Elizabeth Burton- Co Music Director
Staci Lowell- Weekend Chair
Judi Crytzer- Prayer Coordinator & Table Leader
Cindy Gecik- Table Leader
Danielle Hospodar- Aux
Donna Eglitis- Table Leader
Eileen Koborie- Aux
Fayth Sims- Table Leader
Fran Moyer- Table Leader
Karen Corcoran- Table Leader
Kathy Roseneau- Aux
Laura Pietras- Aux
Laurie Pantelemon- Table Leader
Lori DeWitt- Table Leader
Nanci Melster- Aux
Nancy Pitrone- Aux
Rosa Digennaro-Hines - Table Leader
Susie Smith- Table Leader
Wendy Hartenburg- Aux

Also, please pray for possible candidates and for what part God might have you play in supporting the weekend. I know that God has great things in store for the weekend, and it takes a whole community to be His vessels to make it happen. May I stay out of His way and allow Him to do His work! In Christ's Love,

Julie Yancheck

GUIDELINES FOR CLEVELAND TD FOURTH DAY SPEAKERS

PURPOSE OF THE TALK:

Sharing the speaker's personal adventures in Piety, Study and Action as experienced after their candidate weekend.

LENGTH OF THE TALK:

Usually 5 – 10 minutes. Should be limited to maximum of 10 minutes.

RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO THE SPEAKER:

- TD Reunion Group Foldout pamphlet (see questions listed under Piety, Study & Action).
- Your TD Weekend Sponsor
- The Cleveland TD Executive Committee

STRUCTURE OF THE TALK & MISCELLANEOUS NOTES:

- Introduce yourself – name, church where you worship and your TD Candidate Weekend.
- Ask someone to pray for you at the beginning of your talk.
- **Do not** discuss any details of your TD Weekend or any other TD Weekend. Make the focus of the talk your Fourth Day experiences after your candidate weekend.
- RELAX, you are among the Community of Believers!

OUTREACH

TIME, TALENT AND TREASUSRE

Do you have Time and or a desire to share the living streams God has coursing through you to nourish others? Would you like to or have a desire to share your Fourth Day with other Pescadores and possibly other potential candidates? Do you have a Talent that you would like to share in the Praise and Worship of our Savior? Become a Treasure, a Living Sanctuary, to and for others at an upcoming Secuela.

When you have a desire, when the Spirit fills you to overflowing, share with your community and become a Treasure beyond value to all by sharing your Fourth Day experience and/or sharing your musical talents (musical and/or instrumental) at an upcoming Secuela.

Secuelas are set up monthly to give our Christian community a time to revisit our relationships with each other in the presence of our Lord. Please come and if you have a desire or need to share your Fourth Day or talent please contact; Dan & Cassandra Kearney @ (330) 562-9714 or Don & Birgit Rudden @ (440) 892-9402.

Peace and Grace to All,
Don & Birgit



Community News

Dear Community,

I have included in this month's Newsletter other communities who will have their own weekends in the month of March. I would encourage you, along with Nanci and myself, to participate in sending palanca their way. Here we have an opportunity to be God's hands and feet, no matter the distance, to extend love and grace just like we received during our personal weekend. I like the way the international website describes palanca, "Bear in mind that letters in and of themselves are not palanca! Letters are merely one vehicle in which we convey the actual palanca being done at that time. In other words, the effort, thoughts and prayers that go into the letters are actually the palanca, not the letters themselves."
(<http://www.tresdias.org>)

Here are examples of palanca:

PERSONAL PALANCA: This is palanca performed on behalf of individual candidates and team members. It is most frequently demonstrated in personal notes that are not meant for anyone but the recipient.

- A brief note of encouragement
- Reassurance that God will meet the candidate right where he is
- Adding an encouraging scripture is recommended (reminding of God's promises, etc).
- Let them know you are praying for them (and do it!).
- It is important to have personal palanca available for Friday and Saturday. (It's a lever, so use it).
- You can include small items that can fit in an envelope can be included. Such as "pass it on" cards, small bookmarks, small pins, etc.
- **Do not** refer to any special events that happen over the weekend. Your palanca may not be delivered when you expect it to be, so you wouldn't want to spoil the surprise.
- **Do not** refer to home or family. It's important to maintain the focus and sequestered nature of the weekend.
- **Do not** talk about how you felt on your weekend. The candidate may be having a very different experience and you wouldn't want to set him/her up for disappointment.
- **Do not** mark palanca for delivery at specific times. You may specify a particular day, as well as "am" or pm", but not specific times.

GENERAL PALANCA: This is palanca performed on the weekend in general. It is most frequently demonstrated in notes, letters or posters that are addressed to the team and candidates, often accompanied by small gift items or tokens.

- The letter should be addressed to the team and candidates on a particular weekend. It should include the actual palanca that you will be providing to the weekend - such as:
 - A gift of prayer. Let them know that you will be praying for them. Perhaps you will pray for the weekend every time you have to stop at a red light, or something like that. They should know it. (And you should be sure to honor your commitment)
 - A gift of sacrifice: Perhaps you made something that you are giving to the weekend. Let them know the spiritual significance of the item.
 - Try to include an encouraging scripture. Using the theme scripture of the weekend helps to promote the unity of the weekend.
 - The letter shouldn't be too long - a maximum of one typewritten page. Keep in mind that general palanca is read by the auxiliaries throughout the weekend when time permits, so the letter should not be too long or complex as its meaning may be lost.
- ⇒ This IS where you can refer to your own weekend ("I sat where you are sitting...")
- ⇒ If possible, include small tokens for the team and candidates. The items should have some spiritual significance and can be as simple as some chocolate or candy, as complex as craft items that you and your Reunion Group made, and anything in between. Remember it's the thought, prayer and service that's important, not the actual item itself.
- ⇒ General palanca is also provided in other ways:
 - Providing break food (snacks).
 - Providing candy for the tables.
 - Providing flowers for the dining room or Rollo room.



Community News

Communities having weekends in March

4-Mar-10 Birmingham Tres Dias Women's # 22

Richard and Gwen Reid, Palanca Couple
3502 William & Mary Road
Birmingham, AL 35216
Tel 1-205-823-7626
Email reidrent@charter.net

4-Mar-10 Central Texas Tres Dias Men's # 3

Victoria Dryden, Palanca Coordinator
1411 Briar Hill Dr.
Georgetown, TX 78626
Tel 1-214-395-4886
Email palanca@centraltexasdresdias.org

4-Mar-10 Mid-Carolinas Tres Dias Men's # 39

Jan Millar, Palanca Co-Cordinator (recipient)
606 Mirawood Trail NE
Concord, NC 28025
Tel 1-704-782-1318
Email jmillar@carolina.rr.com

4-Mar-10 Northern Illinois Tres Dias Men's # 35

Joel & Lu Ann Balch, Palanca Couple
1573 Ben Franklin Road
Rockford, IL 61108-6901
Tel 1-815-332-5717
Email Hunbun939@aol.com

4-Mar-10 Orange County (California) Tres Dias

11 Men's
Jim Trebilcox, Community Palanca Coordinator
Tel 1-714-758-0414 Ext. 215
Email jimnesie@sbcglobal.net

4-Mar-10 Southeast Tennessee Tres Dias Women's # 35

Mel and Beth Powell, Palanca Couple
1310 Brookgreen Lane
Ooltewah, TN 37363
Tel 1-423-510-2796
FAX 1-423-510-2796
Email bethpowellbeth@gmail.com

11-Mar-10 Central Texas Tres Dias Women's # 3

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1411 Briar Hill Dr.
Georgetown, TX 78626
Tel 1-214-395-4886
Email palanca@centraltexasdresdias.org

11-Mar-10 Northern Illinois Tres Dias Women's # 35

Joel & Lu Ann Balch, Palanca Couple
1573 Ben Franklin Road
Rockford, IL 61108-6901
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11-Mar-10 Orange County (California) Tres Dias # 12 Women's

Jim Trebilcox, Community Palanca Coordinator
Tel 1-714-758-0414 Ext. 215
Email jimnesie@sbcglobal.net

18-Mar-10 Central Florida Tres Dias Men's # 11

Ron & Tossy Rizer, Palanca Couple
3998 Cypress LNDG S
Winter Haven, FL 33884-2428
Email rrizer1@tampabay.rr.com

18-Mar-10 East Texas Tres Dias Men's # 22

Charles and Sue Wheeler, Palanca Couple
196 CR 612
Nacogdoches, TX 75964
Tel 1-936-560-1313
Email dcw@suddenlink.net

18-Mar-10 Mid-Carolinas Tres Dias Women's # 39

Jan Millar, Palanca Co-Cordinator (recipient)
606 Mirawood Trail NE
Concord, NC 28025
Tel 1-704-782-1318
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18-Mar-10 Mid-Hudson Tres Dias Women's # 152

Rosann Miloscia, Palanca Coordinator
109-11 Cartwheel Court
Washingtonville, NY 10992
Tel 1-845-497-7862
Email rosie.tdi.pal@frontiernet.net

18-Mar-10 South Hudson Tres Dias Men's # 66

Cherie Frechette, Palanca Coordinator
100 Halyan Road
Yorktown Heights, NY 10598
Email cfrechette@optonline.net

18-Mar-10 Susquehanna Valley Tres Dias Men's # 42

Mary Allen, Palanca Coordinator
2766 Lycoming Mall Drive
Muncy, Pa 17756
Tel 1-570-419-4243
Email svtd@yahoo.com

18-Mar-10 Western Kentucky Tres Dias Men's # 10

Kevin & Beth Berkley, Palanca Couple
Tel 1-270-522-5047
Please send Palanca to:
C. Henderson
123 Country Club Lane
Hopkinsville, KY 42240
Email chenderson123@newwavecomm.net



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25-Mar-10 Central Florida Tres Dias Women's # 11

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3998 Cypress LNDG S
Winter Haven, FL 33884-2428
Email rrizer1@tampabay.rr.com

25-Mar-10 East Texas Tres Dias Women's # 22

Charles and Sue Wheeler, Palanca Couple
196 CR 612
Nacogdoches, TX 75964
Tel 1-936-560-1313
Email dcw@suddenlink.net

25-Mar-10 Western Kentucky Tres Dias Women's # 10

Kevin & Beth Berkley, Palanca Couple
Tel 1-270-522-5047

Please send Palanca to:

C. Henderson
123 Country Club Lane
Hopkinsville, KY 42240
Email chenderson123@newwavecomm.net

28-Mar-10 United Tres Dias - Chinese Speaking Women's # 13

Ms. Satina Chiang, Palanca Coordinator
16152 Gale Avenue
Hacienda Heights, CA 91745
Tel 1-626-731-8258
Fax 1-626-369-6245
Email utd4jc@yahoo.com

Prayer Requests

I'll be attending the I'll be attending the TDI Secretariat in Rockford, IL next week...I'd appreciate your prayers!

Pam Belknap

We express our condolences to Vicki (W #1) & Bill (M #1) Ryan, upon the passing of Richard Whitmore, Vicki's dad, on March 2nd. The memorial service was held in Battle Creek, MI.



Treasurer's Report

TREASURER'S REPORT AS OF 2-23-10

	<u>Feb 23, 10</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Huntington - Savings	7,270.55
Huntington - Checking	<u>4,988.68</u>
Total Checking/Savings	12,259.23
Accounts Receivable	
Accounts Receivable	<u>3,750.00</u>
Total Accounts Receivable	<u>3,750.00</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>16,009.23</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>16,009.23</u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	2,320.54
Retained Earnings	9,816.69
Net Income	<u>3,872.00</u>
Total Equity	<u>16,009.23</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u>16,009.23</u>

Please consider making a tax deductible contribution to Tres Dias Cleveland to help cover the cost of the upcoming weekends.

Contributions may be sent to:
Denise Palma
28901 Naylor Drive
Solon, OH 44139-1178

If you wish your donation to be used for the Pay-It-Forward program, please indicate "Pay-It-Forward" on the memo line of your check.
Thank you for your continued support.



Calendar of Events

Please prayerfully plan to attend these events. Each Pescadore is an important part of our Community. We desire your fellowship, ideas, and contributions!

SECUELAS - We encourage you to invite family and friends!

Saturday, March 13	7:00 p.m.	Highland Sixth Presbyterian	
Saturday, April 24	7:00 p.m.	Christ Presbyterian	
Saturday, May 8	7:00 p.m.	True Vine Baptist Church	

SECRETARIATS

Monday, March 15	7:00 p.m.	Bay Presbyterian Church	
Monday, April 26	7:00 p.m.	Highland Sixth Presbyterian	
Monday, May 10	7:00 p.m.	Bay Presbyterian Church	
Monday, June 7	7:00 p.m.	Highland Sixth Presbyterian	

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 8th – 11th Women's #19

Next Newsletter Deadline: Monday March 22

Email to: cwoodle@msn.com

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