ROMANS

No Longer Your Master Romans 6:1-23

> April 28, 2019 Mark Harpld, Associate Pastor

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Church family,

Can you imagine inviting guests over for dinner and then throwing a few leftovers into the microwave to serve them? If you were to do that, would it not speak volumes about how you really feel about them and their importance in your life?

The same holds true of our serving God. Giving Him the leftovers of our lives speaks volumes about His true worth to us. When God asked Abraham to give Isaac back to Him as an act of worship (Gen 22:1), He called it a test — a test to see if there was anything in his life that he treasured more than God.

When it comes to our priority of serving the Lord, it is no different with us. There are times when God will require something really difficult of us in order to accomplish His work.

For example, God may ask you to lay aside your natural instincts of seeking revenge, so that you might demonstrate God's love (Romans 12:17-21). He may call you to sacrifice portions of your time and money in assisting fellow believers (2 Cor.8:1-5). He may require you to move to another state or even another country in order to tell others about the saving gospel of Christ (Acts16:9-10).

The manner by which we respond to what God requires, indicates the level of commitment we really have toward Him, and whether or not we are serious in our relationship with Him (Acts 9:1-8). Anyone can offer God the leftovers. Only those who love Him more than anything or anyone will give the very best of their lives to Him (Romans 12:1). Will you give him your best or your leftovers?

In His Service.

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WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

We are so glad you made it today!

Grab an info packet in the lobby and a Bible from the information desk. There is a mother-baby suite in the NE corner of the Worship Center Babies and Preschoolers can join us in the preschool area.

1st-6th Graders, your groups meet at 9:15-10:15AM, and you'll be released to "Energize" from the 10:30 Service.

THIS WEEK AT EG FIRST

Sunday, April 28:

Pastor's Prayer Team: 8:30 AM (Rm 104) Open to All

Prayer First: 8:30 AM (Conference Rm)

Library Open: 8:45 - 9:15 AM and 10:00 - 10:30 AM

United Discipleship: 9:15 AM (Youth Zone) Youth Open Nights: 6 PM (Youth Zone)

Monday, April 29:

Freedom Celebration Choir Rehearsal: 7 PM (Choir Rm)

Tuesday, April 30:

Ironmen Bible Study: 9:15 AM (Rm 301)

"Questions Jesus Asked" Library: 9:30 AM - Noon

Boutique: 10 AM - Noon (Rm 200)

Food Pantry & Community Assistance: 10 AM - Noon

Wednesday, May 1:

Men's Life Group: 1:30 PM (Conference Room)

Dinner Served: 5 PM (Worship Center) Library Open: 5:45 PM - 6:15 PM Wednesday Night Programs: 6:15 PM

- * Adult Bible Study and Prayer Meeting
- * EGKids (Room 304)
- * Youth (Youth Zone): Roaming Thru Romans
- * Hooking on Hump Day [Crocheting]: (Rm 104)
- * Seekers of the Word (Conference Room)

Praise Band Rehearsal: 6:30 PM Traditional Choir Rehearsal: 7:30 PM

Thursday, May 2:

Boutique: 10 AM (Rm 200)

Food Pantry & Community Assistance: 10 AM - Noon

Friday, May 3:

SALT Class Fellowship: 6 PM (Rm 400 AB)

Saturday, May 4:

Youth Cinnamon Roll Prep: (Kitchen)

OUR MISSION: LOVE GOD. LOVE PEOPLE. SHARE JESUS. REACH THE WORLD

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

VBS Team Meetings

Sunday, May 5: 3-5 PM in the Youth Zone

or

Saturday, May 18: 3 - 5 PM in the Youth Zone

Freedom Celebration Choir Sign Up

Sign up today using the Connect Card.

Ecuador: Today the Final Ecuador \$100 Payment is Due

Want to be part of the 2019 Ecuador Mission trip without traveling? This year we are praying for \$5,500 in Ecuador Missions Giving to carry out things like building materials, translators, Ecuadorian staff, teaching materials and more. Any gift would be truly appreciated and a blessing to those in Ecuador. To give, simply designate "Ecuador" on your giving envelope. You can give online as well. *Received to date* \$4,081.00

Mandatory Meeting Coming Sunday May 19 @ 4 PM

Help For Hire Bulletin Board

Located in the east hallway of our church as a resource to connect you with youth who are looking to earn funds for summer camp and/or mission trip payments. These students are available to perform jobs such as lawn work, babysitting, pet care, and more.

Grad Sunday Deadline is Today!

Attention seniors you must have your bios and senior pictures turned in *today* participate in Grad Sunday on May 19.



GUEST WIFI PASSWORD

For your convenience, our guest password is: 87654321 While you are enjoying WIFI, check out the church website at: egfirst.org. You will find digital copies of the bulletin and calendar of events. You will also be able to listen to or watch past sermons.

FIND US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Instagram: (@churchateaugallie)
Facebook: (Eau Gallie First Baptist Church)
Twitter: (@churchateaugall)

Email: EGFBC-subscribe@yahoogoups.com

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

05/05: Mildred Booth

05/06: Richard Watford, Patty Wallace 05/07: Patricia Rider, Jordan Jinright

05/08: Valeri Ouimette 05/09: Randolph Coffin 05/10: Robert Tinsley

05/11: Virginia Dingley, Paul Shung

IN MEMORY OR HONOR

To Annie Armstrong Offering:

In Memory of her daughter, Shari, by Bebe Ballard



JOIN THE TEAM!

Your KidMin Team is taking applications Grab your's at the Welcome Desk

We would like to invite you to be a part of the team of people who are devoting their time and talents to raise up the next generation of the Church! This is your chance to see God work in amazing ways weekly!

There's a place for you to serve during all service times, with all ages
Get an application at the Welcome Desks and
Email JJinright@egfirst.org for more information.

Facts and Figures April 21, 2019

Weekend Worship Attendance 719

Weekly Budget Needed	18,629.15
Budget Offering	25,163.00
Designated	3,149.90
CTB Debt Retirement	140.00
Annie Armstrong	3,068.00
Ecuador Missions	90.00

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To Date Figures

Budget Goal	298,066.40
Received	324,794.82
CTB Year	5,142.00
Annie Armstrong	6,585.00
Ecuador Missions	4.081.00

Fellowship Supper Wednesday, May 1

Suggested Donation \$5 Adult...\$3 Child...\$15 Family

Garlic Cheddar Chicken. Mashed Red Potatoes, Zucchini. Roll. Pineapple Fluff

Southwestern Chicken Salad

No Reservations Needed

Deacons on Call Apr 28 - May 4

Craig Helpling	693-3040
Jim Offner	537-2147
Marc Kish	288-3521
Joe Mazzella	(347)538-3030

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

"For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord." Romans 6:23 (NLT)

WORSHIP CELEBRATIONS

9 AM Worship with Orchestra and Choir

Choral Praise: "All I Ever Wanted to Be"

Fellowship Song: "I Love You with the Love of the Lord"

Message in Song: Debbie Harden

Worship Songs Today:

Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus Onward Christian Soldiers

Follow On Yes, Lord, Yes Lord, I Want to be a Christian Wherever He Leads I'll Go

Footsteps of Jesus

Blank Sermon Notes available on tables near entrances.

11 AM Worship with Praise Band

Fill This Place Forever Yours Beautiful Things Once and for All No Longer Slaves Stand in Your Love The Lion and the Lamb



MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



The Preschool and Toddler Ministry has such an dedicated team of volunteers that help many of our church families to grow in the faith of our Lord. They consistently love and care for the youngest among us, while providing for their physical needs. **Lisa Faulkenberry** is one of the many who faithfully serve our children each week. Please let them know how much we appreciate them!

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