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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE GRADS OF 2020!

Elijah Babcock Meghan Ianchis Dori Sunderland Brant Wallgren



YOU DID IT! We're so proud of you.
We will have a celebration service for you as soon as we can!

Worship Leader: Art; Sound and editing: Pastor Chad

Finances to May 3rd, 2020

Cash: \$57,859.20 Tithes & Offerings: \$82,698.55 Other Revenue: \$15,213.56 Expenses: \$121,749.56

- ETRANSFER is available pvchurchofferings@gmail.com
- Or you may drop cheques off at the church. Please, call first to make sure someone is there.
- Our mailing address is Box 30 Paradise Valley T0B 3R0
 - Call if you want us to pick it up

Mother's Day Not Condemned Luke 10:38-42



Pastor Ryan Sturge
Paradíse Valley Church of God
May 10th 2020

Mother's Day—Not Condemned Luke 10:38-42

I. Introduction

A. A couple of New Testament Women

II. Let's look at this story

- A. These sisters were about as opposite as you can get.
 - 1. Mary and Martha
- B. Jesus talks with Martha.
 - 1. Mary gets a point

III. Another Time we See Mary and Martha Talking with Jesus.

- A. We'll Start the Story at John 11:17-32.
 - 1. Martha's faith much more than Mary's.

IV. Keeping score?

- A. Why in the world would we choose sides with these women?
 - 1. So, the score is tied.

V. So whose side is the right side?

- A. I have the answer for you.
 - 1. Read Romans 8:1.
 - 2. If you are in Christ Jesus, you are on the winning side.

VI Conclusion

A . Mothers, do not fear condemnation if you are in Christ Jesus. You stand righteous because of Christ's work on your behalf on the cross. Even though you may feel you are, you are *not* condemned

by messy homes
by your personal sins
by your miscarriages
by your lack of desire to have more kids
by your inability to cook
by being divorced

by your desire to be alone, away from the kids for a time by your body, which may not be what it once was

by your failures as a mother by your rebellious children

by the frustration of having to daily repeat yourself
by all the fears and tears which take you to the precipice of despair
by not being able to throw the party of the century for your kids
for not feeding your kids meals that could only be made after a trip to Whole Foods
by your need for a vacation

for not living up to the standards of your Mother or Mother-in-law by the stares of those who have no kids when your kids erupt into volcanic screams in public places

- B. Mothers, you may feel condemned, but if you are in Christ, you are not.
 - 1 . Fight with this knowledge of what is real reality.

2. You are not condemned, because you are in Christ.

SENIORS

Larraine Davidson - Kerry's mom
Ralph Magee- Carol & Eleanor's dad
Lil Luthje-Michelle's mom
Fred Grant—Michelle's uncle
Edmond & Aline Coulombe—Pauline's folks

This Month:
Foreign Missions
This Week: First
Church of God—
Edmonton

Please pray

EXPECTANT MOMS:

New: Norma Westhaver—wife of Pastor Stephen (Camps & Drayton Valley) completed 6th round of chemo—awaiting further direction Update: Calderon-Urquia family have their permanent residence cards! They say thank you so much for praying with them.

Ralph Bouck health concerns

The Allan and Adams families—Lora passed away April 11th Johnson family on the passing of Madeline April 15th

Todd Davidson—back injury Mar 21—recovery from surgery

Betty Klukas (Stacy's mom-in-law) recovering from surgery

Alex Flewell—continued healing for lungs

Art Block—recovery for ongoing medical issue

Donna Brown—growths to shrink and disappear

Brynlee Alden (born March 30, 2019) Acute lymphocytic leukaemia

Lyle Klatt - Myasthenia Gravis—pray it goes into remission

David Wood (brother-in-law to David Brundage)—cancer

George Rahmoun—brother-in-law - Janet and Christine - heart issues Irene Martin—COPD

Eleanor Dzus-Adolphe—continued healing on her right knee Margaret (Elaan's mom) —blood clot in her leg

Terry Allan –spiritual healing

Don Coleman-cancer

James Nabende—Our Sunday School Sponsored Child

MISSIONARIES

(*financially supported)

*Tim & Jenn Adams—YWAM

*Gary & Gwen Bistritan—Yap Mike & Lori Blackmer—Edgerton

* Jason & Anita Boucher—NCEM

*Peter & Diane Salmond–Rwanda

*Tim & Colleen Stevenson-Uganda

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