

## GETTING TO KNOW YOU



### Devotional by Elder Sandra Roman

#### UNSHAKEABLE TRUTH

I thank God for the conference this year. ‘UNSHAKABLE’ is what God named it. He gave us Hebrews 12: 28 Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe.”

The Kingdom of God is the message Jesus preached most about. He spoke to them in parables painting a picture of



### HELLO FROM HELEN

Hello family,

Wow!! What an exciting month October was. First of all, we unveiled our new sign on Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. It is bigger and more beautiful than I think any of us could have ever imagined.

We still have Pastor Michael, Deacon Ken Barnett, Nicholas Freeman, Anthony Freeman, Carlos Machado and more dedicated people working outside every day to constantly make improvements to our parking lot. The whole parking lot was “Black Topped” this month. The church just keeps getting more beautiful every minute. It’s all very exciting.

**Unshakeable!!!** We had our conference and it was through the

the inward work of the Holy Spirit.

Jesus said to Nicodemus in John 3:3, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. And in John 3:5, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. I like the phrase, "enter into" as it speaks of leaving a natural place and entering into a spiritual place.

It is the new man, the Christ man, that will see (perceive, notice, discern, discover) and enter (come to life) into the Kingdom of God.

It's God's Unshakeable Faith,  
Unshakeable Love,  
Unshakeable Truth.

roof!! Our founding father, Pastor Phil Sr. opened the conference with prayer, and then Pastor Phil gave us a wonderful message. On Saturday, Elder Nicole Freeman gave us a message of hope and love. On Sunday, Pastor Michael gave us another wonderful message. All the message were to let us know that we are **UNSHAKEABLE** with God.

**United Praise** was back together for their annual concert. If at all possible, they get better every year. This time, Jim Dwyer came along with Mignonne Hidalgo, and her son Gil Hidalgo, Linda Vendette, Khalid James and of course our own wonderful praise team, Tric Piiley, Tiger Lou Ruiz, Carlos Machado and Brian Walker blessed us with his drums. We heard old favorites, some songs that were new to us and just plain old worship music. We had our usual barbeque however with a new twist. It rained, but we didn't let that stop us at all, the chef's Jack and Linda Cooper grilled our hot dogs and hamburgers in the kitchen. We had an indoor concert and we all had such a good time. There was also dancing in the aisles. The whole thing was magical, just as it always is.

We have a lot to look forward to toward the end of 2019; Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m., we will be decorating the church for Christmas, Thursday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. we will have our Family Thanksgiving Dinner. On Friday December 6<sup>th</sup> is our Tree Lighting Ceremony, and on Saturday December 14<sup>th</sup> we will all meet here at the church at 7:00 a.m., get on a bus and go to the Holy Land Experience. This will be an all day trip and reservations were made and paid for in advance.

**The holiday's are going to be GREAT!**

Stick around because there is always something going on and we do everything we do as a family. There is so much love in this church and there is no place I'd rather be. Blessed!

Until next month,  
Love and blessings,  
Helen J. Caliendo



## Who Am I?

- \*I was born in Pennsylvania
- \*I have also lived in New York and Bedford, Indiana
- \*My favorite color is black
- \*I am very creative
- \*Once I jumped out of a high tree into the water
- \*I loved riding horses as a child
- \*I love going to the beach
- \*I have two children
- \*I have worked as at reading blue prints for windows and doors
- \*I love Elvis Presley
- \*I love funny movies

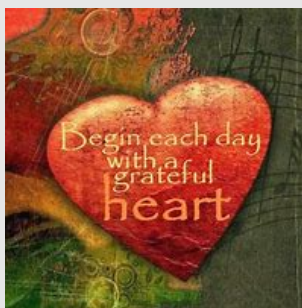


## Meet Elder Janet Petruzzello

- \*I love to read
- \*I have grown children and grandchildren
- \*I used to work for Ideal toys
- \*I do enjoy cooking
- \*I love Italian food
- \*My favorite author the Holy Spirit
- \*My favorite singer is Michael W. Smith
- \*My favorite actor is Kevin Costner
- \*I love to watch Frasier
- \*I like to travel
- \*Thanksgiving is my favorite

- \*My favorite actor is Eddie Murphy
- \*I have been to the Bahamas
- \*I love Christmas
- \*I love the sound of the ocean
- \*I love the smell of a rose
- \*I love to be outdoors
- \*My auto biography would be named "Compassion"
- \*The best part of waking up is looking up at the sky and knowing Jesus made it all
- \*Going to Hawaii and Italy are my bucket list
- \*If I ruled my own country, the first law you would introduce would be that everyone needs to be nice to each other

*If you think you know who I am, contact Helen in the church office with your guess. All correct guesses will be published in next months issue of 'Getting to Know You'.*



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## Thankful, Grateful Heart

By Deborah Ann Belka  
Lord, give me a thankful heart,

- holiday
- \*I love spending time at the beach
- \*The best part of waking up is "Saying good morning to the Lord"
- \*My warning label would say: "Be Prepared to Laugh"
- \*The song that describes me is "I Got Sunshine on a Cloudy Day"
- \*My autobiography would be titled "For the Love of God"
- \*Favorite cologne is "Daisy Love" by Marc Jacobs

1 correct guess from  
Pastor Michael Porzio



### ONE OF MY FAVORITE BIBLE VERSES

**John 3:16**

*For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten S,on that whosoever believeth in Him shall not perish, but have everlasting life.*

one that is appreciative  
one that to all Your blessings  
is attuned and sensitive.

Let it be a heart,  
that sings its daily praise  
let it be my heartfelt gratitude  
that to You I earnestly raise.

Let me have a heart,  
truly thankful for all things  
no matter what in my life  
You should choose to bring  
Let my heart flow with,  
the rivers of Your peace  
so my appreciation to You  
I may continually release.

Lord, give me a thankful heart,  
one that is steadily hopeful  
let it be the heart of one . . .  
who is truly, forever grateful!

**1 Chronicles 16:34**

***"O give thanks unto the Lord;  
for he is good; for his mercy  
endureth for ever."***

\*It's great to know that God loves  
us so much!

**Marie Hall**

**Deuteronomy 31:6**

*Be strong and of a good courage,  
fear not, nor be afraid of them: for  
the Lord thy God, He it is that  
doth go with thee; He will not fail  
thee, nor forsake thee.*

\*This verse gives me the courage  
to keep the faith and to know that  
everything will be alright because  
He is always with me. Ed

**Edith Kelley**



If God is your co-pilot - swap  
seats







## HUEVOS RANCHERO

Peg Lynch

6 eggs – scrambled

¼ c. piccata sauce (recipe attached)

¼ c. guacamole (recipe attached)

½ c. cheddar cheese (shredded)

Grease large frying pan using oil, butter or a combination there of. Heat to a medium heat. Once oil/butter is bubbling, pour in eggs. Wait until eggs form together using a spatula move pocket of eggs that hasn't formed over to the end of the pan. Next add the Piccata sauce and guacamole. Last add the cheese. Turn off heat once cheese has melted, serve.

Optional – Serve with sour cream on the side with slices of oranges and avocado. Can be served with ham. Bon appétit!

### **Guacamole**

1 Hass avocado smashed together with 1 Floridian avocado

1 tomato or if you like it warmer, one tomatillo diced small

1 small onion – minced fine

1 clove of garlic – smashed and diced small

2 cloves of garlic – smashed and diced

1/8 tsp. cayenne pepper

¼ tsp. onion powder

¼ tsp. garlic powder

½ freshly squeezed lime

Salt and pepper to taste.

**Picata Sauce** (Make this 24 hours prior and place in fridge)

4 tomatoes - seeded and diced small

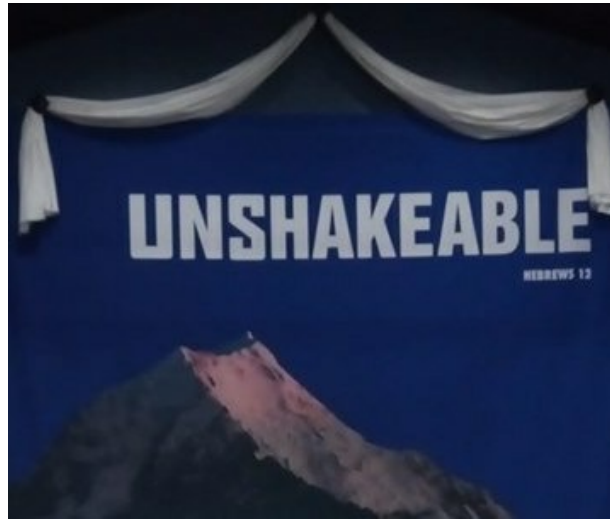
2 cloves of garlic – smashed and minced

½ medium onion - minced fine

10 sprigs of cilantro – rolled and chiffonade

½ any color bell pepper (or) 1 jalapeno pepper –

chopped fine  
A pinch of Cayenne pepper  
1 freshly squeezed lime, and zest  
Salt and pepper to taste.



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