

Announcements

WHOLELIFE CHURCH: Staying Connected with God and Each Other



Church Office

Our staff is working remotely and the church office is currently closed. Find individual staff contact info at wholelife.church/about/staff or call us at 407-898-0451. We are praying for each of you and please do not hesitate to reach out to us and to each other.

Virtual Connections

Staying connected is now even more important. Find links to our website and social media below, where you will find our most up-to-date information:

Our Website:

WholeLife Church	wholelife.church
WholeLife Church Coronavirus Updates	wholelife.church/coronavirus

Facebook:

WholeLife Church	facebook.com/wholelifeorlando
WholeLife Church Prayer Place	facebook.com/groups/148847825158758
WholeLife Kids	facebook.com/wholelifekids
WholeLife Worship Choir	facebook.com/wholelifeworshipchoir
Centered – WholeLife Young Adults	facebook.com/groups/307974903022408

Instagram:

wholelifeorlando	instagram.com/wholelifeorlando
wholelifekids	instagram.com/wholelifekids
wholelifehs	instagram.com/wholelifehs
wholelifeyoungadults	instagram.com/wholelifeyoungadults

Our App:

Go to your App Store and search for FHC (WholeLife Church). Download it for up-to-date WLC notifications and information.

WholeLife High School

Find daily inspirational messages on the wholelifehs Instagram page (created by Taylor Monday).

WholeLife Podcast

Find the current WholeLife Church podcast and all past episodes at <https://www.speaker.com/user/fhcpodcast>.

AdventHealth University Food Drive

AHU wants to ensure their students have reliable access to nourishing foods through the COVID-19 period. They anticipate an increased need for student food pantry services. Keeping the students' needs and your safety in mind, contact Niesha Steinke at 407-303-9474 or niesha.steinke@ahu.edu for ways to donate. *Types of food needed: Soup (especially vegetable), Ramen noodles, Rice, Beans, Granola, protein bars, Oatmeal, Cereal, Tuna, Peanut Butter, Pasta/Pasta sauce, Trail Mix*

Loving People into a Lifelong Friendship with God. #THISISWHOLELIFE

ABOUT SABBATH

What Does 'Keeping it Holy' Mean for Us Today?

SPEAKER: ANDY MCDONALD



March 21, 2020

WholeLife Church & Coronavirus

This week WholeLife Seventh-day Adventist Church will be going virtual, and all on-site meetings and classes have been canceled. We will stream our service at www.wholelife.church/sermons/watch-live and on Facebook ([facebook.com/wholelifeorlando](https://www.facebook.com/wholelifeorlando)) at 9:30 AM and again at 12:00 noon.

Bible Groups

Many of our Bible Groups are studying with their families, connecting with virtual classes, or using our Right Now MEDIA source for video Bible studies (wholelife.church/rightnow).

Youth Groups - birth - 5th grade

Pastor Vivian has provided lots of activities and ideas for parents and children on our WholeLife Kids Facebook page and through emails. If you are not connecting for some reason, contact Vivian@wholelife.church.

Middle School & High School Groups

Pastor Steff is sending out emails for current Sabbath School classes, as well as connecting on social media. Please contact Steff@wholelife.church for more information.

Centered Young Adults

Centered will meet via ZOOM on Saturday at 10:45 am. To join the meeting click on the link below on your phone, tablet, or computer: <https://zoom.us/j/925416218> Contact corbin.wiese12@gmail.com for assistance.

Right Now MEDIA

We've given you FREE access to the biggest video Bible study library in the world! Go to www.wholelife.church/rightnow to start watching right away.

Christ Caring for People, Through People

WholeLife Church (WLC) is committed to discovering new ways to equip our community to serve others. Recently, several individuals from our congregation participated in an intensive training opportunity to become Stephen Ministers. The leaders in this new ministry have chosen "Christ caring for people, through people" as their Mission Statement. They are excited to offer this essential care and are anxious for others who have a passion for this ministry to join them. Pam Nolen is one of these leaders.

WLC: What is Stephen Ministry?

Pam: Stephen Ministry is designed to provide hurting people (care receivers) with confidential, one-on-one, distinctively Christian care. This is provided by extensively trained lay caregivers from the church's congregation who regularly come alongside, actively listen, pray with, and "are there" for a care receiver as they process what is going on in their lives. Stephen Ministers do not try & "fix" the problem, nor do they take the

place of professional counseling.

WLC: Why would someone be interested in joining this ministry?

Pam: Someone may recognize that they have been gifted in this area. They may recognize a need for this type of ministry because of some event in their own lives and step up to provide the care they had, or wish they had been given, at that time. In several places, God's word instructs us to care for one another, and our church's Mission Statement, Values, Strategy, and Metrics speak to our church's intention to care for and serve our community. Also, during leadership training, there were many personal testimonies of the changes and growth that a caregiver experienced while being a Stephen Minister. Beyond that is the reward of intimately being there for another hurting/burdened soul and caring them back onto the road of life.

WLC: What have you learned about yourself from being involved?

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Worship

9:30 am & noon

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements..... Ken Bradley

Prayer

Scripture Genesis 20:8-11

Online Giving

Video Stephen Ministries

Songs of Praise..... Great Things

Holy Water

Come As You Are

Message Andy McDonald

About Sabbath: What Does 'Keeping it Holy' Mean for Us Today?

Song of Response I Will Rest In You

Benediction..... Andy McDonald

Postlude



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Pam: God showed me that several of my skills and gifts that didn't seem to fit other ministries fit Stephen Ministry well. He has been preparing me for this for a while. I also learned that I can always improve on my listening skills!

WLC: How can being involved affect your spiritual life?

Pam: I believe love, trust, and dependence on God deepens as we experience Him working in us, and through us, as we actively care for others.

WLC: What if I'm interested but not sure? Where can I find more information?

Pam: You can speak with a WLC Stephen Minister (Victor Belitchenko, Deanna Carr, Russell Cross, or myself) or Pastor Jeff. Also, stephenministries.org is very informative and easy to navigate.

Applications to become a Stephen Minister are available online: www.wholelife.church/stephenministries.