



# Healing Thoughts

The Glennon House

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## This Week

- **Evening of Soaking Prayer**  
Mon. June 8<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 – 7:00 pm
- **Noon Hour of Prayer**  
Tues. 12:00 – 1:00 pm
- **Tues. Healing Service**  
6:00 pm in the Church
- **Caregiver's Workshop**  
Thurs. June 11<sup>th</sup>  
11:30 – 1:00 pm
- **Prayer Ministry**  
Mon - Fri 9:00 – 5:00

## Upcoming Events

- **Soaking Prayer**  
Tues. June 16<sup>th</sup>  
4:00 – 5:00 pm
- **Generational Healing**  
Tues. June 16<sup>th</sup>  
5:45 in Church

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## The Healing Ministry at All Saints Church

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### What is an Evening of Soaking Prayer



"Do I have to wear a bathing suit?" asked a young woman's quiet voice. (That is a logical question - I mean it is called Soaking Prayer, right?) The answer is, "No". The "soaking" part is silent prayer, not water.

Each session begins with an opening prayer. It is stressed that we pray **silently**, lifting the person up in prayer in Jesus' Name. This is a time to open your entire self to the balm of the Holy Spirit, rather than focusing on a particular ailment. We asked that those receiving prayers place themselves in a mode of thankfulness for healings already received whether it is "by sight or by faith." Thus, "thank you, thank you" rather than, "please, please."

In silence you will be basking in the healing presence of the Holy Spirit, knowing that you are loved by Jesus. During this time of prayer, God saturates not only the person receiving prayer but everyone in the room.

Please join us for a relaxing Evening of Soaking Prayer Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup> from 6 – 7 pm in the Glennon House.

### Caregiver's Workshop - 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the Month - June 11<sup>th</sup> 11:30 - 1:00 pm

This Workshop is a time of refreshment for those who give of themselves regularly as they care for loved ones. The workshop offers an opportunity for discussion and prayer and caregivers are encouraged to receive healing for themselves and their needs. All caregivers are invited to come to this monthly workshop and relax in the Presence of the Holy Spirit and to be recipients of Jesus' healing touch. **Facilitator: Dr. Barbara Keene**

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**GIFTS TO: THE HEALING MINISTRY at ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Winter Park**  
Funding of **The Healing Ministry at All Saints Church, Winter Park**, is independent from the parish budget of All Saints Church. **The Healing Ministry** relies primarily upon contributions made at the Tuesday evening Healing Services and by donations made during visits to *The Glennon House*. The operating costs of *The Glennon House*, its staff, prayer ministry, healing missions and some specially acquired guest teachers, are derived from those generous donations and contributions.

**The Healing Ministry** is an ecumenical expression of the healing gifts of Jesus Christ and welcomes the involvement of believers of every Christian denomination.

## *Healing Thoughts* - **Spiritual Mailbox** – Kirsten Aufhammer

Did you know that Jesus has a personal invitation for you? It is waiting for you in your spiritual mailbox. I encourage you to go to your mailbox and open up the invitation immediately.

I waited.

*It took me 33 years to finally go to my spiritual mailbox and pull out that invitation. I was invited to attend a Bible Study. While I was there I realized that I wanted to be in relationship with Jesus. It was then that I suddenly saw the mailbox appear in front of me. As I walked closer I noticed that the red flag on the mailbox was raised up letting me know that I had mail. I walked closer and pulled the door of the mailbox open. I peeked into the box and pulled out the envelope and saw my name written in calligraphy. Flipping it over, I slid my finger under the flap and opened the envelope. There inside was a lovely cream and gold embossed invitation. My eyes grew wide as I saw that I was being invited by the Lord Jesus Christ to come to a celebration welcoming me into His Family as His beloved Child.*

*RSVP was written in bold letters at the bottom of the invitation.*

*"Well, how was I supposed to RSVP, God?" I asked myself.*

*My eyes grew wide as these words suddenly appeared below the RSVP, "Simply say 'YES'."*

*So I said, "Yes" to Jesus' invitation and became part of His family!*

God desires for all people to say "Yes" to His invitation to be welcomed into His family. I wonder how many people, for some reason or another, don't see their spiritual mailbox right in front of them? God opened Hagar's eyes in the desert so that she could see the well of water right next to her. If He can do that He can open anyone's eyes to their spiritual mailbox with His personal invitation for them.

Accepting Jesus' invitation into His Family is the first step of healing. The Greek word for "save" is *sozo*, but it can also mean "heal" or to "make whole". To many Christians being "saved" means that they accepted Jesus as their Savior and they know they are going to heaven. What they overlook is the fact when they got saved, they also got healed (They are now children in God's family and will spend eternity with Jesus.) Saved & healing go hand in hand.

If you don't know Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior I encourage you to talk with one of All Saints' Priests or the Healing Ministry's Prayer Ministers. Praying for someone's salvation is one of the greatest privileges that we as Christians will ever experience.

Take the first step to receiving your healing. Say, "Yes" to Jesus!

## THE PRAYER REQUESTS YOU GIVE TO US:

Prayer requests are placed in a special basket at *The Glennon House* for one month. These requests are prayed for, individually, each day by prayer volunteers. Every week at the Tuesday evening healing service, those hospitalized or in "imminent need" are prayed for by the clergy and all other names, currently in the Prayer Basket, are prayed for aloud by the congregation.

We use only the first names of those we are praying for, in order to respect their privacy. To have a need placed in the basket, call (407) 647-8925 or drop by.

### Prayer Ministers:

Fr. Al Durrance, Pastor  
Steve Horrell, Dcn. Carolyn Petersen, Dcn. Liz Tucker, Dr. Barbara Keene, Don Jaeger, Doris Matthews, Dick Mead, Kirsten Aufhammer, and others.

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## Youth Ministry

Many parents who attend the Healing Ministry have requested youth care for their older children during the Tuesday Night Service. Well, ask and you shall receive! We heard your requests and we now offer a Youth Healing Ministry opportunity for children ages 6-15 years old in the Thomas Center. (We still have child care for children 5 and under in Rm. 103.) Charles and Lisa Clayton lead this group that offers: lessons on healing, crafts, prayer time for self and others, study time, and free pizza dinner. So bring your children for a fun filled evening, while you attend the Healing Service.

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## Caregiver's Workshop

Join us on the second Thursday of the month from 11:30 – 1:00 pm for the Caregiver's Workshop. The Healing Ministry's mission is to aid and empower all people to receive 'healing' and 'wholeness' from Jesus. This includes those who minister as well as those who receive care. This month, the caregiver group will continue to focus on those who provide care. Caregivers are prayed for as they choose to "pick up their mat" (like the man at the pool called Bethesda) stepping toward healing for themselves and their needs through discussion and prayer time. These workshops are to encourage, comfort and reenergize caregivers. Dr. Barbara Keene and Don & Sarah Jaeger will be the leaders for this workshop. [Click here](#) for more details.

## Extended Prayer Appointments

For those who desire an extended time of individual prayer with a Prayer Minister, please call The Glennon House at (407) 647-8925. Appointments with Prayer Ministers provide ample time for you to sift your heart and communicate your need for prayer.

**The Glennon House has specially trained prayer ministers** who are willing to arrange their schedules to accommodate your needs. Simply call us and we will find a prayer minister who will minister to your specific needs either in **The Glennon House** or by telephone. [Back to top](#)