

SOLD OUT

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INSPIRATIONAL †

CALENDAR OF EVENTS †

BIRTHDAYS

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to take the Word of God out into a broken world to those who struggle and feel lonely, hopeless and abandoned. Going out and sharing the message that there is hope. That Jesus Christ saves souls from the muck and mire setting the lost on a solid foundation.

The purpose of this newsletter is to inform, inspire, and invite anyone seeking a loving and caring church family. All are welcome (Adults 18 and over) to join us in praise and worship. Doors open at 9:15 a.m. Sundays.

See Sold Out Events Page



On Sunday September 27 Mom and Dad returned along with Milt's sister Starla and daughter Savannah.



THE SOLD OUT BAND

The Sold Out Band is the worship band for Sold Out Ministries Inc. and is available to play at your next event. Be sure to visit our website, email us at soldoutallin@gmail.com. Contact

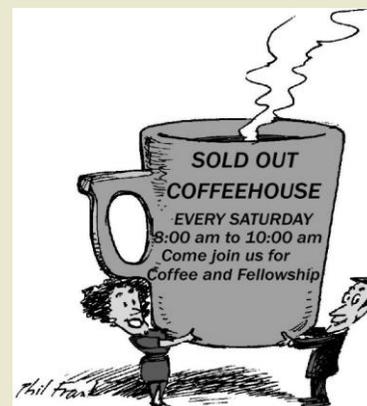
Milt @ (727) 458-9905 or
Dawn @ (727) 458-7124

FOOD PANTRY

IS HELD ON THE FIRST AND THIRD SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH DURING COFFEE HOUSE HOURS 8:00 AM TO 10:00AM

The Continental Inn

Is located at
12810 U.S. HWY 19N
CLEARWATER, FLORIDA
33764
Contact Dawn @
727-458-7124



The Store House is open whenever our doors are open
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SOLD OUT FAMILY MEMBER RETURNS

He suffered pain and infection for a very long time. Although he wanted to, he was not able to climb the stairs to attend praise and worship, or any other Sold Out event. Our Brother Chuck endured and never once gave in to the fiery darts that came his way. Before his medical issues Chuck attended every function both here and on the road. Recently, Chuck lost one of his legs due to illness. It was hard on him to not to be able to get up the stairs. He kept the faith, affirming that he would soon be able to return. After being fitted with a prosthetic, he was able to return. Chuck is an inspiration to all of us because he kept the faith through all his trials and tribulations. He remained strong and determined. WELCOME BACK CHUCK! WE MISSED YOU!

THE BLANK PAGE

The Blank page is an artist's canvas to paint a masterpiece. It's a sculptor's lump of clay to be molded into something magnificent. It's a place for a writer to assemble the "write" words in the "write" order to create an unforgettable story. All three are gifts from God.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

It is that time of year again when we pause to count our blessings. A time to give thanks for all we have. This is something we should be doing all year long. Thanking God for our health, the roof that protects us from the elements. Food that nourishes, and clothing that covers. Grateful for The Sold Out Family and friends that have been made. And within that family we are thankful for someone to share our tribulations and victories with. So thankful for a place to go to worship and a place to praise God. Blessed to have a place to go on a Saturday morning for coffee and fellowship. Thankful for the big

things as well as the small and unseen. So during this time of thanksgiving take a moment to think about these things. Be aware of what you do have and not what you don't.

Give thanks to the Lord, call on His name; make known among the nations what He has done.

(1 Chronicles 16:8)

We give thanks to You, O God, we give thanks, for Your name is near; men tell of Your wonderful deeds. (Psalm 75:1)

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name. (Psalm 100:4)

HAPPY THANKSGIVING
TO ALL AND MAY GOD



BLESS, ABUNDANTLY.

Jim Ellis 

I JUST WANT TO THANK YOU

Today I woke to another beautiful day with the birds singing,

I just want to THANK YOU for that gift

I just want to THANK YOU for the blue sky, warm sun and twinkling stars at night, Yes. I THANK YOU!

For all the days that make up my past, the ones of beauty, and the ones that are dark,

I just want to say THANK YOU!

For the life yet to live, for its joy, and yes, for its disappointments, for the pain I will feel. I just want to say THANK YOU!

For the women in my life, mother, daughter, sister, girlfriends and wives.

I just want to THANK YOU!

For the men you put in my heart; dad, sons, and friends, so many friends I have had. I just want to say THANK YOU!

For the people whose lives that have touched mine, and I didn't even know their names.

I just want to say THANK YOU!

For the gift of your son Jesus and the way to salvation He showed me. For His apostles who carried His teachings and put them in my heart by your Word.

I sure do want to say THANK YOU!

I THANK YOU for all the men you placed on my path, and for the words you gave me that may change their path.

There are so, so many times that my gratefulness does not come close to Your gift, but, I pray Lord, that you hear (shema) my heart. You are my true Love.

Oh, Lord, my God, my strength, my purpose is, I want to say thank you, THANK YOU for being my God!!!

Submitted by Joe Barefoot

Greetings Sold Out Family

I have been praying for the last two years about moving back to Oregon. When I was there last month for a week visit, it became clear to me. One of the desires of my heart was to be in my children's and grandchildren's lives on a close proximity basis. I moved here in 2013 when my mother was dying from Alzheimer's disease. I was fortunate enough to be given the opportunity to spend with her, the last year of her life. What a blessing.

After my mother passed I jumped into my addiction with both feet. I have struggled with my addictions for the last 35 years going to AA and trying to stay clean and sober.

Five years ago I was blessed to meet Joe Barefoot. I met him at a church I attended across from my mobile home park.

I knew Joe and started attending a weekly Bible study at Hope Church. Joe was instrumental in helping me find work during my struggle with addiction.

I grew up in churches and had a great grand-dad and granddad who were preachers and had their own churches. My grand-dad traveled on the Billy Graham Crusade team for twenty-four years. I was saved at eight years old and I think I was baptized once.

Long story short, Joe invited me to Sold Out for a Thursday night Bible study. I got involved and never looked back. The changes and growth that I have experienced have been unprecedented. I overcame Xanax and opiate addiction all during my tenure here. I literally detoxed off these very powerful drugs during my time at Sold Out. I found victory in Jesus. I have never attended a ministry in my adult years for more than a month. I always sat in the back and never got involved, often showing up late and leaving early.

Getting involved here and being of service is one of the best things that has ever happened to me. I love all of you from the bottom of my heart and will miss all of you. Thank you all for teaching me how to walk with Jesus

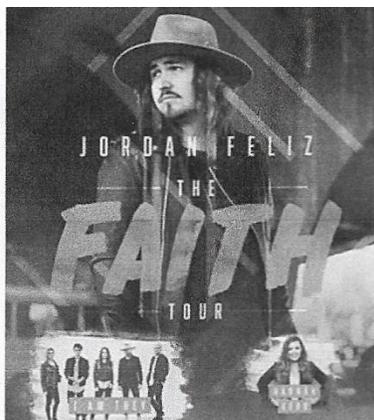
and helping me with my struggles. You all had a huge impact on my life. I will never forget the Sold Out Ministry.

A special shout out to Mom and Dad for their gentleness in spirit and a true example of being Christ-like. The Sold Out Band, my goodness, WOW. Milt, you and Dawn, have been a big part of my life. So many others I did not mention. Thanks for allowing me to serve you. I love you all.

Rob Titus

NOT GOODBYE, JUST SO LONG FOR NOW

Rob has been a very important part of the Sold Out Family. He has given of his time each and every week at Sunday morning



worship, Saturday morning Coffee House and Thursday Bible Study.

Rob has always made himself available when called upon to pick up food donations from Liberty Worship. He has participated in Sold Out road trips and provided transportation to those in need.

Some time ago Rob was faced with a difficult decision. Whether or not to stay here in Florida or move to Oregon. Rob shared with me that he was having a very tough time trying to decide what to do. I suggested to him that when the time came to make a move, he would know.

Thank You Rob for all your dedicated service to Sold out Ministries. You will surely be missed.
 Jim Ellis



ROAD TRIP

Anticipation mounted as the concert at Indian Rocks Baptist Church (October 25th) grew closer. Those who attended this evening of praise and worship, walked away feeling lifted up and inspired. It was one of those events that you don't want to see end. Not only that, it was quality time spent with Sold Out Family.

Down at the River...UH, Pool

And now what are you waiting for? Get up, be baptized and wash your sins away, calling on his name. Acts 22:16

On Sunday October 27th three members of the Sold Out family were Baptized.

SOLD OUT AT LIBERTY WORSHIP CENTER

It was a powerful evening on October 23rd. A time of Praise and Worship with The Sold Out Band. The message was, What does it mean to you, to be **SOLD OUT?**
ALL IN?



SOLD OUT EVENTS

NOVEMBER 28 HAPPY THANKSGIVING

EVERY SATURDAY Come join us for coffee and fellowship
8:00 am to 10:00 am Food Pantry is held on the first (November 2)
and the third Saturday (November 16) of each month.

SUNDAY PRAISE AND WORSHIP 10:00 am doors open at 9:15 am

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00 pm doors open at 6:15

SOLD OUT BAND ON THE ROAD

Monday November 4 Celebrate Recovery 6:15 Abundant Life 1550
Belcher Road Largo

Saturday November 9 Celebrate Recovery Harborside Picnic
Sand Key Park Shelter 2 12:30-6:00 pm

November 15 & 16 D.I.D Conference

Saturday November 23 Hope Church Annual Bazaar
9:00 am to 5:00 pm 7100 142 Ave North Largo

Monday November 25 Celebrate Recovery Abundant Life Pastor
Deborah Kennedy, Testimony 1550 Belcher Road Largo

Thursday November 28 **THANKSGIVING** Suncoast Haven of Rest

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

