**9/3/23 When There Literally is a Storm! Philippians 4:4-13,19**

* We sometimes call events or situations in life storms.
* What do we do when the storm is actually a storm?
* Are we certain that God will rescue us?

**1. What a mighty God we serve!**

* How many were fully prepared for Hurricane Idalia?
* God’s Word says don't worry about anything, instead, pray about everything!
* It is God that is in control of the wind and the rain and everything around us and not Mother Nature!
* Have you found out that if you trust Him, He will provide!

**Philippians 4:6-7; 1 Thessalonians 5:17**

**2. We can rejoice because of the Lord!**

* We look around and think about what could have happened. We rejoice!
* We see evidence that the Lord is at hand!
* Are our thoughts fixed on the things that are true, honorable and right?
* Do you still rejoice even after the actual storm?

**Philippians 4:4-5, 8-10**

**3. What lessons have been learned?**

* Have we made a self evaluation and decided to do and be better?
* Will we be content regardless of the situation?
* Do you still proclaim “I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me?”
* We thank the Lord for supplying all of our needs according to His riches in glory!

**Philippians 4:11-13, 19**