

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on Matthew 11:28-30

Jesus said: Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

SONG OF RESPONSE

Jesus Paid It All
Trinity Hymnal page 308

GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Psalm 130
Trinity Hymnal page 308

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 55:1-9
Page 615

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 63:1-8
Trinity Psalter

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 10:1-13
Page 957

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING

General Fund
Please place Welcome Card in the Offering Plate

OFFERTORY SONG

Instrumental

† PREPARATORY SONG

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus
Hymnal 481

DISMISSAL

Children (Age 3 through Grade 2) to Children’s Church

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

Luke 22:1-6
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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

The Plot to Kill Jesus
Rev. Freddy Fritz

Sermon Notes

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG

By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God In the light of creation's grand design in the lives of those who prove his faithfulness who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth with the power of his promise in their hearts of a holy city built by God's own hand, a place where peace and justice reign.

Chorus

We will stand as children of the promise. We will fix our eyes on him, our soul's reward till the race is finished and the work is done. We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day when the longed-for Messiah would appear with the power to break the chains of sin and death and rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith the church was called to go in the power of the Spirit to the lost to deliver captives and to preach good news in every corner of the earth.

Chorus

By faith this mountain shall be moved and the power of the gospel shall prevail. For we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon his name.

Chorus 2x

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† BENEDICTION

† MEET AND GREET CAFÉ

Children, ages 3 to Second Grade, are dismissed to Children’s Church in Room 21. Nursery care is provided in Room 13, across from the Ladies’ Restroom, during the Worship Service. Parents: Please pick up your children at 11:55 a.m., after the Children’s Church Mini Café (except on Communion Sunday or when there is a lunch following Worship Service, when they will return to you during the closing song). Parents: For the safety of your children, please accompany them to the bathrooms. To participate in the Mini Café, parents must fill out a Medical Emergency form (in the narthex or Friendship Register) in reference to food allergies. If your child has food or other serious allergies, and is attending Children’s Church (CC) for the first time, please fill out the front and back of the CareNet Medical Emergency Information form (in the narthex), escort your child to CC, and hand them personally to a CC staff member. Please silence all communication devices. Please refrain from applause and flash photography during the Worship Service. Please refrain from eating or drinking during the Worship Service.

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Visitors: Please visit the Welcome Table in the narthex for a free book and information about the church.

Announcements

Treasurer’s Corner			
	Fiscal YTD		
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Variance</u>
General Fund	\$244,724.41	\$238,434.00	\$6,290.41
GivingGeneral fund fiscal year is August 1 to July 31			
Missions Fund	\$46,493.30	\$48,178.00	(\$1,684.70)
GivingMissions Fund fiscal year is March 1 to February 28			
By His Grace, For His Glory II Fund			
	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Pledged</u>	<u>Received</u>
	\$350,000.00	\$146,476.00	\$60,509.55
Mortgage	<u>Original Mtg. Amt.</u>	<u>Prin. Pd. to Date</u>	<u>Mtg. Balance</u>
	\$290,205.50	\$15,543.08	\$274,662.42
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

Our Current Memory Verse

Books of the Bible
New Testament: Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts, Romans, 1 Corinthians, 2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 Thessalonians, 2 Thessalonians, 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon, Hebrews, James, 1 Peter, 2 Peter, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John, Jude, Revelation.

Contact the Church Office for an invitation to TBPC’s online Scripture Typer Bible Memory System group.

March *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table

PURSES WITH A PURPOSE

The Women’s Ministry will be collecting gently used purses and travel/sample size toiletries beginning March 13. In honor of Mother’s Day, these items will be taken to a local shelter. Be on the look-out beginning March 13 for a collection box in the narthex to drop off your items! Questions? Please contact Jess Hensley JLH12c@my.fsu.edu. Thank you!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Thank you for the many prayer requests you submit! The staff of TBPC considers it an honor to pray for you. As a reminder, if you would like your request published in the Intercessor and website, please be sure to check the box on the Welcome Card.

NTCA OPEN ENROLLMENT

Our church preschool, New Tampa Christian Academy (NTCA), is accepting registrations on a first-come, first-serve basis for the upcoming school year until the classes meet their maximums. NTCA offers an early childhood development morning program for children who are two, three, or four years of age by September 1 of the academic year. All classes meet from 9:00 a.m. until noon with options which include

two, three, and five half-day options per week. For more information about the school and/or the registration process, please contact Cheryl Barber via email at ntca@newtampachristianacademy.org or phone 813-973-2443.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

12:30 P.M.: EMPTYNESTERS’ LUNCH
Please join the Emptynesters for lunch at Mulligan’s Irish Pub, Pebble Creek Golf and Country Club (10550 Regents Park Drive, just south of the church). Looking forward to enjoying great food and fellowship with you! Question? Please contact Sandy Neal, 813-973-7814 or sandybill1941@gmail.com.

SUNDAY, MARCH 6

THE LORD’S SUPPER
We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper next Sunday in remembrance of Christ, to proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes, and to be spiritually revived and strengthened in our faith. Children’s Church children will return to parents during the song prior to communion. A Deacons’ Offering for the Benevolence Fund will follow the Communion Service.

MONDAY – WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7-9

NTCA EASTER CENTERS – ASSISTANCE REQUESTED
With the help of costuming and props our pre-school children will learn Jesus’ resurrection story. Volunteers are needed on Monday, Tuesday, and/or Wednesday, March 7-9, from 8:45 a.m. until noon. Assistance is needed in transforming the sanctuary into Easter Centers and/or to be a costumed storyteller in one of the centers. We can use your help on one or all three of the mornings. A group of little voices exclaiming, “He is alive!” might be an inspiration to you this Easter, please let me know if you can help. Contact Cheryl Barber at 813-973-2443, or 813-494-5380, or ntca@newtampachristianacademy.org.

SUNDAY, MARCH 13

DEADLINE TO ORDER MEMORIAL EASTER LILIES
Easter Sunday Memorial/Dedication Easter lilies are available for you to sponsor. If you wish to remember loved ones, while beautifying the sanctuary, please fill out the form in the bulletin to designate your memorial or dedication, along with \$7.50 for each lily. Please note “Easter Lily” on your check or envelope. All orders must be placed by Sunday, March 13. You may take your lily home after the Easter service for your own enjoyment.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

6:00 P.M. - EASTER CANTATA “THAT FIRST EASTER”
TBPC’s music ministry invites you to a musical presentation exploring the voices of those at the very first Easter. Share their joy, their sorrow, their praise, and their commitment as the choirs paint a musical picture for your own praise and worship. Call your neighbors and friends to invite them NOW.

THURSDAY, MARCH 24

7:00 P.M.: MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE
The English name **Maundy Thursday** from the Latin “mandatum novum,” which means “a new commandment.” We will celebrate communion as instituted by Jesus when spoke these words to his disciples as he washed their feet: “A new command I give you: Love one another” (John 13:34).

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

7:00 P.M.: GOOD FRIDAY TENEBRAE SERVICE
In this service of Tenebrae, meaning “shadows” or “darkness,” we aim to experience the loss of light at the death of Christ.

SUNDAY, MARCH 27

8:45-9:45 A.M.: EASTER SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET
Choose an item (bring enough for 10 people) from the tear off sheet in the narthex. Disposable containers are preferred, or label your dishes with your name and collect them afterwards. Please have food at the church by 8:45 am. To sign up, write "EBB" on your welcome card and "Set-up" or "Clean-up" if you can help. It is important that you register so we can make sure there is enough food. Helpers, please be at the church by 8 a.m. to help setup tables and chairs. Thank you!

Welcome

We are glad you are worshipping with us today. Please let us know you are here by signing the Welcome Card located in the holder on the back of each chair. Also, please let us know how we can pray for you by filling out the prayer request section of the card, and placing it in the offering plate, or handing it to an usher. Check the box “Include in Intercessor” to have your prayer included in our prayer newsletter, which will be available at the Welcome Center and on line.

Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church is a member of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

Our Mission is to bring people to Jesus Christ and membership in his church family, develop them to Christlike maturity, equip them for their ministry in the church and life mission in the world, in order to magnify God’s name.

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Session

Bert Barber
Freddy Fritz (Moderator)
Doug Hayman
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Diaconate

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Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas..... Wycliffe
Rene & Lilli Palacio.....SIM
Carla Stevens MTW
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg Wycliffe

Meeting Times

Today:
8:45 a.m. Children’s Sunday School
Adult CE&F
Communicant Membership Class
Leadership Training
PHOS Youth Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Children’s Church
12:30 p.m. Empty Nesters’ Lunch
5:00 p.m. PHOS Youth Dinner and Meeting
Nobles, Nichols, and Hayman Growth Groups

Monday:
6:30 p.m. Women’s Bible Study
Tuesday:
9:30 a.m. ESL Bible Study and Friendship Group
7:00 p.m. Bayley Growth Group (meets at their home)
Outreach Team Meeting
8:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting

Wednesday:
9:00 a.m. Women’s Bible Study
6:15 p.m. Dare to Declare Choir Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Kids of the King Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Pioneer Clubs
7:13 p.m. Adult Worship Choir Rehearsal

Saturday:
7:45 a.m. Men’s Bible Study

Sunday:
8:45 a.m. Children’s Sunday School
Adult CE&F
Communicant Membership Class
Leadership Training
PHOS Youth Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
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Ministry Teams

Membership

CareNet
Emptynesters
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Nursery
Pacesetters
Prayer

Maturity

Adult CE&F
Children
Growth Group
Men’s Bible Study
Men’s Ministry
Women’s Bible Study
Women’s Ministry
Youth

Ministry

Ministry Deployment

Missions

Church Planting

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Outreach

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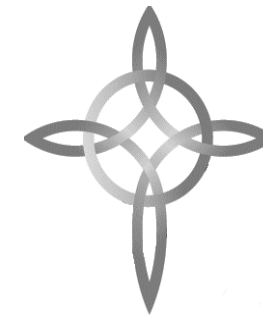
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Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church

Sunday, February 28, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.
Third Sunday in Lent

Today’s Worship Leader: Freddy Fritz

Worship Service

† Please stand as you are able

PRELUDE

Instrumental

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign Welcome Card

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Based on Hebrews 12:2-3

CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of God. Let us consider him who endured such opposition from sinful people, so that we will not grow weary and lose heart.

† OPENING SONG

O WORSHIP THE KING
Hymnal 2

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

This Week’s Volunteers

Welcome Center

Alan Polasky and Melissa Nichols

Ushers

Bob McQueen, Richard Hunter, Rick Donaldson, and Jim Turpen

Children’s Church

Melissa Nichols, Karen Guest, and Ryan Coffey

Nursery

Alisa Carrier, Jennifer Isaac, and Luana Isaac

Deacon on Duty

Rick Donaldson

Next Week’s Volunteers

Welcome Center

Ted and Mia Jeffries

Ushers

Bill Campbell, Bill Jeffries, Phil Lear, and Alan Polasky

Children’s Church

Melissa Nichols, Karen Guest, and Ryan Coffey

Nursery

Drew & Ashley Jeffries

Deacon on Duty

Bill Jeffries