

**death. We overlook the poor and the hungry and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on 1 Corinthians 15:20-22

Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ.

SONG OF RESPONSE

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

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## GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

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OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 65:17-25

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The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

† PSALM

Psalm 118:12-23

Trinity Psalter

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

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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

I've Just Seen Jesus

Duet by Brooke Stinnett and Kim Semeniuk

DISMISSAL

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

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

Luke 24:1-12

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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

The Resurrection

Rev. Freddy Fritz

Sermon Notes

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

## GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG

Christ Is Risen

**How can it be the one who died has borne our sin through sacrifice, to conquer every sting of death? Sing, sing "Hallelujah!"**

**For joy awakes as dawning light when Christ's disciples lift their eyes. Alive he stands, their friend and King. Christ, Christ He is risen!**

Chorus

*Christ is risen, he is risen indeed! Oh, sing "Hallelujah." Join the chorus, sing with the redeemed: "Christ is risen, he is risen indeed!"*

**Where doubt and darkness once had been, they saw him and their hearts believed; but blessed are those who have not seen, yet sing "Hallelujah!"**

**Once bound by fear, now bold in faith, they preached the truth and pow'r of grace. And pouring out their lives they gained life, life everlasting.**

Chorus

**The power that raised Him from the grave now works in us to powerfully save. He frees our hearts to live His grace; Go tell of His goodness.**

Chorus

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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		Variance
	Actual	Budget	
General Fund	\$278,039.21	\$270,194.00	\$7,845.21
Giving General fund fiscal year is August 1 to July 31			
Missions Fund	\$1,994.33	\$3,058.38	(\$1,064.05)
Giving Missions Fund fiscal year is March 1 to February 28			
By His Grace, For His Glory II Fund			
	Goal	Pledged	Received
	\$350,000.00	\$146,476.00	\$63,786.55
Mortgage	Original Mtg. Amt.	Prin. Pd. to Date	Mtg. Balance
	\$290,205.50	\$77,601.53	\$212,603.97

(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)

### Our Current Memory Verse

Books of the Bible 1:3

Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy, Joshua, Judges, Ruth, 1 Samuel, 2 Samuel, 1 Kings, 2 Kings, 1 Chronicles, 2 Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi. 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 in the Narthex

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

All women are invited to join us during Mondays at 6:30 p.m. or Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. for a five-week overview of Ecclesiastes beginning the week of March 28. Join us as Dr. R. C. Sproul demonstrates how God teaches us more in our suffering than in happy times. Childcare available upon request. Please indicate EWBS (Mon. eve.) or MWBS (Wed. morn.) on your Welcome Card to register.

### TODAY

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

To accommodate extra guests, Children's Church (age 3-Grade 2) will be extended. We highly encourage parents to take their children to Rm 21 beginning at 10:10 a.m. Parents who choose to have their children go to Children's Church with the processional are asked to do what they can to maximize available seating (such as having the child sit in your lap until they leave). Children's Church will be dismissed at noon.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 1 – MAY 13

#### CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED!

Come join us on Fridays from 7-9 p.m. and invite your friends. Christianity Explored walks through the Gospel of Mark, answering the most common questions about Christianity and faith. The schedule of each evening includes a meal, a discussion, a talk about the topic of the night, and a wrap up. Please RSVP on the Welcome Card so that we can get an accurate head count for food. If you have a question, please contact Pastor James (james@tampabaypresbyterian.org).

### SUNDAY, APRIL 3

#### 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.

11:50 A.M. - CONGREGATIONAL MEETING  
The purpose of the meeting is to announce the discipline of a communicant member.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 9**

9:30 A.M. – NTCA TRIKE-A-THON  
Volunteers are needed for this family event and fundraiser to help supervise game and activity stations, give prizes, and interact with children and parents. Come get to know the families who come through the doors of our church each weekday morning. Teens, can earn volunteer hours for scholarship programs. To volunteer, please contact Cheryl Barber (813-494-5380 or ntca@newtampachristianacademy.org).

1:00 P.M. - MEN’S GOLF TOURNAMENT  
All men are invited for our second annual TBPC Men’s Golf Tournament at Pebble Creek Golf Club on Saturday, April 9 at 1:00 PM. Please arrive at the course by noon for a boxed lunch and warm-ups. We will have a closest to the pin and longest drive competition. Prizes for the winners and winning team will be awarded. The cost is \$35.00 per person, which includes lunch. Please write Golf on the Welcome Card or contact Brian Carrier @ 813-841-9146 or brian@bcaflorida.com.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**

12:30 P.M.- EMPTYNESTERS’ LUNCH  
Please join the Emptynesters for lunch at Stonewood Grill, 17050 Palm Pointe Drive (across from Red Lobster). Looking forward to enjoying great food and fellowship with you! Please RSVP to Sandy Neal, 813-973-7814 or sandybill1941@gmail.com by Friday, April 15.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20**

12:00 P.M. - THE PACESETTERS’ LUNCH  
In April we will meet at Ruby Tuesdays, 17520 Bruce B Downs Blvd. Join us for fun and food with good fellowship. RSVP Randi Mallary (813-513-4400, randimallary@gmail.com).

**SATURDAY, APRIL 23**

11:30 A.M. – SISTER-TO-SISTER  
All ladies are invited to join us for a social time at the home of Deborah Donaldson beginning at 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 23. This will be a time for us to renew, refresh, and restore. Please bring a salad, mini sandwich, finger food to share. Questions? Please contact Suzanne Swenson at Suzswenson@verizon.net.

**Welcome**

We are glad you are worshipping with us today. Please sign the Welcome Card located in the holder on the back of each chair. Also, 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 online.

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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.

**Staff**

Pastor .....Rev. Freddy Fritz  
Associate Pastor ..... Rev. James Nichols  
Office Administrator .....Melissa Bayley  
NTCA Director ..... Cheryl Barber  
Custodian .....Chris Christopher  
Nursery (p/t)..... Marianne Cali  
Bookkeeper (p/t) ..... Joanne Campbell  
Music (p/t)..... Debi Hensley  
Children (p/t)..... Wendy McLeod  
Pianist (p/t)..... Debi Hensley  
Office Assistant (p/t) .....LeeAnn DeStefano  
Youth (p/t).....Ethan Hayman

**Session**

Bert Barber  
Freddy Fritz (Moderator)  
Doug Hayman  
Ed Jordan  
Doug Knox  
James Nichols  
Kevin Nobles (Clerk)

Joe Kirkpatrick (Emeritus)  
Ken Pothoven (Emeritus)

**Diaconate**

Todd Bayley (Chairman)  
Rick Donaldson  
Garry Gawrych  
Bill Jeffries  
Jonathan Massie

Bob Guest (Emeritus)  
Bob McQueen (Emeritus)

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Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu .....NHMI  
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Esaie & Natacha Etienne..... MTW  
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Ken & Tammy Matlack..... MTW  
Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas..... Wycliffe  
Rene & Lilli Palacio.....SIM  
Carla Stevens ..... MTW  
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg .....Wycliffe

**Meeting Times**

**Easter Sunday:**

8:45 a.m. Easter Breakfast Buffet  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Children’s Church

**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)

**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  
Children’s Church  
5:00 p.m. PHOS Youth Dinner and Meeting  
Nobles, Nichols, and Hayman Growth Groups

**Ministry Teams**

**Membership**

CareNet  
Emptynesters  
Hospitality  
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

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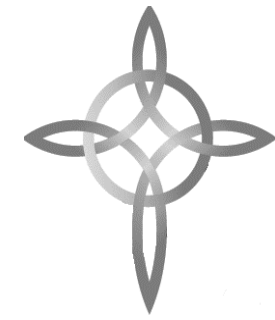
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**Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church**

Sunday, March 27, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.  
Resurrection of the Lord

Today’s Worship Leader: Freddy Fritz and James Nichols

**Worship Service**

† Please stand as you are able

PRELUDE

He Is Lord  
Kids of the King

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign Welcome Card

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

CALL TO WORSHIP

Based on Luke 24:34

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

**The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

**The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

**The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

† OPENING SONG

Up from the Grave He Arose  
Hymnal 276

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

**GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN**

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to**

**This Week’s Volunteers**

**Welcome Center**

Phil and Chris Lear

**Ushers**

Bob McQueen, Richard Hunter,  
Rick Donaldson, Jim Turpen,  
Lenny Chew, and Bill Campbell

**Children’s Church**

Wendy McLeod, Barb Hess, and  
Catie Tomasello

**Nursery**

Alisa Carrier and Jennifer 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**

Wendy McLeod, Barb Hess, and  
Catie Tomasello

**Nursery**

Holly and Jeremiah Hawkes

**Deacon on Duty**

Bill Jeffries