

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on Romans 8:9-11

You are not in the flesh; you are in the Spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also through his Spirit that dwells in you.

SONG OF RESPONSE

All to Jesus I Surrender
Trinity Hymnal 562

GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed
Trinity Hymnal 845

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 2:14a, 22-32
Page 910

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALM

Psalm 67
Trinity Psalter

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

John 20:19-31
Page 906

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

From the Sun's Rising
Trio: Bert Barber, James Barber, and Melody Barber

DISMISSAL

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

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

Ephesians 2:1-3
Page 976

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

The Way We Were
Rev. Freddy Fritz

Sermon Notes

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

COMMISSIONING

Bert & Cheryl Barber
MTW - Colombia

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG

And Can It Be That I Should Gain
Trinity Hymnal 455

† BENEDICTION

† MEET AND GREET CAFÉ

Children, ages 3 to Second Grade, are dismissed to Children's Church in Room 4. Nursery care is provided in Room 13, across from the Ladies' Restroom, during the Worship Service. Parents: Please pick up your children at 11:45 a.m. (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 and the "Meet & Greet Café". 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 Center 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	\$285,778.77	\$249,935.00	\$35,843.77
Giving General fund fiscal year is August 1 to July 31			
Missions Fund	\$6,733.58	\$6,057.69	\$675.89
Giving Missions 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	\$116,945.48
Mortgage	<u>Original Mtg. Amt.</u>	<u>Prin. Pd. to Date</u>	<u>Mtg. Balance</u>
	\$290,205.50	\$124,594.94	\$165,610.56
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

April *Trumpet* is available in the Narthex

Our Current Memory Verse

Psalm 1:4

The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

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

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.

Mas Tamaulipas is a group of young men and women who believe no kids should miss the great experience of going to school and later graduating. The Missions Committee is partnering with this group to raise supplies for children in C. Victoria Tamaulipas. School supplies such as pencils, pens, crayons, sharpeners, erasers, glue sticks, scissors, notebooks, and backpacks may be dropped off in the West Wing hallway in the box labeled Mas Tamaulipas now through April 30.

SUNDAY, APRIL 23

BERT & CHERYL BARBER COMMISSIONING SERVICE

Join us for refreshments following today's Commissioning Service for Bert and Cheryl Barber as missionaries. They will initially go to language school in Costa Rica. Then, they will join the Mission to the World and Reformed University Fellowship - Global team in Bogota, Colombia.

12:15 P.M.: EMPTYNESTERS' LUNCH

Please join the Emptynesters' for lunch at Ruby Tuesday (17520 Bruce B. Downs Boulevard). Looking forward to enjoying great food and fellowship together! Please see Sandy Neal if you would like to attend.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

6:15 P.M.: VBS PLANNING MEETING

Would you like to help make VBS great? Join us for VBS planning meeting in the sanctuary overflow area. Questions? Contact Holly Hawkes at 813-360-2077 or hol-lacej@gmail.com.

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

11:00 A.M.: 4TH ANNUAL MEN’S GOLF TOURNAMENT

All men are invited to join us for our Fourth Annual Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church Golf Tournament at Pebble Creek Golf Course in Wesley Chapel. Please arrive at the course by 11:00 to join us for lunch at Mulligan’s Irish Pub and warmups or at 12:30 p.m. to play. Prizes will be awarded to closest to the pin, longest drive, and winning team. The cost is \$30.00 per person and lunch will be on your own. Please write “Golf” on your Welcome Card or contact Brian Carrier at 813-841-9146 or e-mail brian@bcaflorida.com.

11:00 A.M.: SISTER-TO-SISTER: SHOWER OF BLESSINGS

The Women’s Ministry invites women of all ages to join them for a Spring Brunch from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Barb Hess’s home (10587 Belmullet Drive, San Antonio; avoiding I-75 is recommended, due to construction). Please bring your favorite covered dish and be ready for fun and fellowship. Questions? Please contact Barb Hess at bhess105@gmail.com or 352-668-4935.

SUNDAY, APRIL 30

RECEPTION FOR LILLIAN AND NATHANIEL

We will have a farewell reception to honor Lillian Ordahl and Nathaniel Barquin as they leave our church and move to Risor, Norway on May 5. Please plan to join us for cake and refreshments following the Worship service. Any questions, call Suzanne Swenson (703-402-3567) or Karen Guest (813-428-4128).

FRIDAY, MAY 5

5:30 P.M.: RAYS GAME

The Men’s Ministry extends an invitation to everyone to invite their friends and family to join them for a Ray’s game! The Tampa Bay Rays battle against the Toronto Blue Jays, which begins at 7:10 PM. The cost of the trip will be \$40.00. We have 40 tickets for people to attend. The event will include a ticket to the game, bus ride to/from game, and food and drinks on the bus on our way to the game. Please respond to Brian Carrier via email at brian@bcaflorida.com or call him at 813-841-9146. The bus will pick us up at the church and leave at 5:30 p.m. sharp and we will return sometime around 11:00 p.m. after the game. You may write “Rays” on your Welcome Card if you would like to attend.

SUNDAY, MAY 21

NOON: CHILDREN’S MINISTRY VOLUNTEER THANK YOU AND FUN DAY!

Save the Date! Following worship, the Children’s Ministry will host a volunteer thank you and fun day for the kids! We’ll have a bounce house, snow cones, hot dogs, and more! This is also a great opportunity to learn more about the Children’s Ministry and how you can get involved! Please write “CM” and the number attending on your Welcome Card so we can get a count for food! We hope to see everyone there!

3:00 P.M.: NEW MEMBER’S CLASS

Anyone interested in learning more about TBPC is welcome to attend the New Member’s Class at 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., which includes dinner and childcare. Please write “NMC” on your Welcome Card, contact the Church Office or see Pastor Freddy.

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.

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

Freddy Fritz (Moderator)
Ed Jordan (Clerk of Session)

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Joe Kirkpatrick (Emeritus)
Ken Pothoven (Emeritus)

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Carla Stevens MTW
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg Wycliffe

Meeting Times

Today:

8:45 a.m. Children’s Sunday School
Adult CE&F: 1, 2, 3 John
Adult CE&F: What Is Reformed Theology?

10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Children’s Church

12:00 p.m. A cappella Chorale Rehearsal
12:15 p.m. Emptynesters’ Lunch

5:00 p.m. Sunday Dinner & Growth Group (Church)
5:30 p.m. PHOS Youth Group

Monday:

6:30 p.m. Women’s Bible Study

Tuesday:

9:30 a.m. English as a Second Language (ESL)
7:00 p.m. Bayley Growth Group (Bayley home)

Wednesday:

9:00 a.m. Women’s Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Kids of the King

7:00 p.m. Pioneer Clubs

Thursday:

7:00 pm. Leadership Team Meeting

Saturday:

7:45 a.m. Men’s Bible Study

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Ministry Teams

Membership

CareNet
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Pacesetters
Prayer

Maturity

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

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Answers For Life!



Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church

Sunday, April 23, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.
Second Sunday of Easter

Today’s Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz & Ken Pothoven

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

Based on John 10:10

Jesus said, “I have come that they may have life, and may have it to the full.”

† OPENING SONG

Crown Him with Many Crowns
Trinity Hymnal 295

† 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 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.

Today’s Volunteers

Welcome Center
Wes & Mary Mollard
Ushers

Brett Thomas, Richard Hunter,
and Martine Extermann

Children’s Church

Adam and Kyrsteen Webster

Nursery

Alisa Carrier, Jennifer Isaac,
and Josiah Massie

Deacon on Duty

Jonathan Massie

Next Week’s Volunteers

Welcome Center
Phil & Chris Lear
Ushers

Todd Bayley, Melissa Noel,
Roger Kaiser, and Todd Gartman

Children’s Church

Adam and Kyrsteen Webster

Nursery

TBD

Deacon on Duty

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