

THE LORD'S SUPPER
We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper today 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 Benevolence Fund will follow the Communion Service.

TODAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, SUNDAY MAY 19 & JUNE 2
FIRST VBS STAFF ORIENTATION
All on-site Staff and Youth Interns are required to attend only one of the four Orientations. Sooner is better! Please note the change in times. (The dates are unchanged.) Today from 3:00 - 5:00 in the double classroom; Wed., May 8 from 7:00 - 9:00 PM; Sun., May 19 from 3:00 - 5:00 PM; Sun, June 2 from 3:00 - 5:00 PM. The new Team Panning Meeting TBD (date is to be decided.)

SATURDAY, MAY 11 AND TUESDAY, MAY 14
WOMEN'S MINISTRY ACTIVITIES
• Cornerstone Presbyterian is having a brunch Saturday, May 11, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Brook Breed will speak on, "Are You Ready to Step Out of Your Box?"
• The Presbytery of Southwest Florida has also invited women to hear Dr. Bryan Chapell speak on Tuesday, May 14, on "Marriage and Ministry." Lunch at noon, at Holy Trinity PCA, with Dr. Chapell's talk immediately following at 1:00 p.m. Signup sheets for both events are posted on the bulletin board outside the ladies' room.

Petitions

Health

John Andel (ongoing health issues and fatigue); **Jena Barber** (success of procedure to prevent pre-term labor, kidney function concerns, and anemia; baby's heart defect to correct itself); Melissa Miller, daughter of **Joe and Cindy Burns** (healthy pregnancy, due in June); Michelle Smith, daughter-in-law of **Gary and Pat Smith** (healthy pregnancy, due in July); **Becky Jordan** (recovery from head injury); Tyler Jeffries, son of **Ted Jeffries** (recovery from wounds in the war in Afghanistan); **Barbara Bentley** (continuing health issues); **Diane Collier** (limbic encephalitis).

Pregnancy

Aislinn Meyer	June
Melissa Miller	June
Michelle Smith	July
Jena Barber	August
Insook Ha	November

This Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table
Joseph and Lillian Barquin
Greeters
Roger Kaiser and Bob Mallary
Ushers
Bill Campbell, Melissa Noel, Todd Bayley, Garry Gawrych, and Phil Lear
Children's Church
Eileen Fritz, Wendy Compton, and Colby Tomasello
Nursery
Jeff and Lindsay Montoney
Deacon on Duty
Rick Donaldson

Next Week's Volunteer

Welcome Table
Brian and Alisa Carrier
Greeters
Bill and Nora Jeffries
Ushers
Earl Myers, Melissa Noel, Alan Polasky, Jeff Chapman, and Roger Kaiser
Children's Church
Eileen Fritz, Wendy Compton, and Colby Tomasello
Nursery
Eric and Luana Isaac, and Wicke Egbert
Deacon on Duty
Bob Guest

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 5:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
The Korean Open PCA Church that has been meeting here for the last year or so will have their first official Worship Service. We have an opportunity to serve this church plant by helping with set-up, serving food, and clean-up, to free up the members to connect with visitors. If interested, contact James Nichols (813-973-2484, JamesNichol@tampabaypresbyterian.org).

MONDAY, MAY 20, 7:00 P.M.-8:30 P.M.

INTERNATIONAL DESSERT POTLUCK
Come and meet the members of the ESL Bible Study & Conversation Class. We have students from all over the world practicing English and studying God's Word. Bring a dessert and share the love of Christ with encouragement. For more information, contact Heather Tomasello (813-753-8567).

MONDAYS, JUNE 10-JULY 15, 6:30-8:00 P.M.

WOMEN'S SUMMER EVENING BIBLE STUDY
The topic: "Prayer: Does it make any difference?" To register, write "EWBS" on your Friendship Register form. To help with teaching, registration/assimilation, prayer group leadership, or researching, contact Melissa Bayley (melbay4@gmail.com).

Welcome

We are glad you are worshipping with us today. Please let us know you are here by signing the Friendship Register located at the end of each row. **Let us know how we can pray for you** by filling out the prayer request section of the form, and placing it in the offering plate, or handing it to an usher. The staff of the church will pray confidentially for these requests.

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.

Staff

Pastor.....Rev. Freddy Fritz
Pastoral Intern..... James Nichols
Office Administrator.....Melissa Noel
NTCA Director.....Cheryl Barber
CustodianChris Christopher
Nursery (p/t).....Marianne Cali
Bookkeeper (p/t).....Joanne Campbell
Music (p/t).....Debi Hensley
Children (p/t).....Eileen Fritz
Youth (p/t).....James Barber
Pianist (p/t).....Debi Hensley
Office Assistant (p/t).....LeeAnn DeStefano
Outreach Assistant (p/t).....Garry Gawrych

Session

Jim Aldrich
Bert Barber
Freddy Fritz (Moderator)
Fred Gordon (Sabbatical)
Doug Hayman (Sabbatical)
Joe Kirkpatrick
Doug Knox (REIT)
Kevin Nobles
Ken Pothoven (Clerk)

Diaconate

John Ausmus (DIT)
Mike Bowman (Sabbatical)
Rick Donaldson
Garry Gawrych (DIT)
Bob Guest
Jonathan Massie
Bob McQueen (Chairman)

Missionaries

Nathaniel & Cherita AdawonuNHMI
Esaie & Natacha Etienne MTW
Jeff & Jenny LeeRUF
Pam Johnston CHA
Ken & Tammy Matlack..... MTW
Ross & Aislinn MeyerWycliffe
Kevin & Gertrude NicholasWycliffe
Rene & Lilli Palacio SIM
Carla Stevens..... MTW
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg Wycliffe

Ministry Teams

Membership CareNet Emptynesters Hospitality Nursery Pacesetters Prayer	Maturity Adult CE&F Children Growth Group Men's Bible Study Women's Bible Study Women's Ministry Youth	Ministry Ministry Deployment Missions Church Planting Missions Committee NTCA Outreach	Magnification Worship Service Music Ministry Greeters Ushers
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Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church

Sunday, May 5, 2013 10:30 a.m.
Sixth Sunday of Easter

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and Ken Pothoven

Worship Service

† Please stand as you are able

† PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Please sign the Friendship Register

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP.....based on 1 Peter 1:3-5

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

He has given us new life and hope. He has raised Jesus from the dead.

God has claimed us as his own.

He has brought us out of darkness. He has made us light to the world.

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

† OPENING SONG Crown Him with Many Crowns Hymnal 295

† PRAYER OF INVOCATION

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

If, at times, we deny you: God forgive. When the risks of discipleship are high, and we are nowhere to be found: God forgive. When we wash our hands of responsibility: God forgive. When we cast our lot with powerful oppressors

and seek to buy freedom with silver: God forgive. When fear keeps us from witnessing to your truth, or prejudice keeps us from believing it: God forgive. In the bright light of Easter morning, O God, our sin is exposed, and your grace is revealed. Tender God, raise us in your love so that, with joy, we may witness to your awesome deeds, in the name of Jesus, the risen one. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS based on 1 Corinthians 15:54-57

“Death has been swallowed up in victory.” “Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?” The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

SONG OF RESPONSEI Will Sing of My RedeemerHymnal 650

GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH WSC 93-97 Hymnal page 876

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 16:9-15 Page 925

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALM Psalm 101 (vv. 1-8) Trinity Psalter

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

John 14:23-31 Page 901

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERING General Fund
Please place Friendship Registration form in Offering Plate.

OFFERTORY SONG Debi Hensley

PREPARATORY SONG When I Survey the Wondrous Cross
Dare to Declare

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

† SCRIPTURE Luke 5:17-26 Page 861

† PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON Jesus Heals a Paralytic Rev. Freddy Fritz
Sermon Notes

GOD COMMUNES WITH US

SONG My Faith Has Found a Resting Place Hymnal 468

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Bread

Cup

Grape juice (in grape-colored cups) in outer ring of tray; wine (clear-colored cups) in inner rings of tray.

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG One Day He’s Coming Hymnal 327

† BENEVOLENCE OFFERING

† BENEDICTION

† MEET AND GREET CAFÉ

†Ushers may assist latecomers to find their seats after the Call to Worship.

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 or Friendship Register), 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 for a free book and information about the church.

Have a taste of something special with a new friend at the Meet and Greet Table!

Our Memory Verse for the Month

Proclaim Christ
Romans 5:8
...but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
Romans 5:8

Christ Paid the Penalty

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Treasurer's Corner			
General Fund Income & Expense			
Eight Months Ended March 31, 2013			
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
General Fund Giving	\$ 278,915	\$ 271,346	\$ (7,568)
Other Income (Interest, Rent, etc.)	\$ 7,067	\$ 7,603	\$ 536
General Fund Expenses	\$ 285,981	\$ 271,170	\$ (14,812)
Ahead (Behind)	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 7,780</u>	<u>\$ 7,780</u>
Missions Fund			
Goal			\$ 45,000
Total pledged for 2013-2014			\$ 37,260
Funds received 3/1/2013-3/31/2013			\$ 5,289
By His Grace, For His Glory			
Goal			\$ 450,000
Total pledged			\$ 282,714
Funds received through 3/31/2013			\$ 119,604
(Unaudited figures -- for internal use only.)			

May *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table.