

Ending

**We sing hallelujah, we worship in awe. Immortal, invisible God. Immortal, invisible God.**

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† PRAYER OF ADORATION

**GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN**

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on Isaiah 44:21-22

Remember these things, O Jacob, and Israel, for you are my servant; I formed you, you are my servant; O Israel, you will not be forgotten by me. I have swept away your transgressions like a cloud, and your sins like mist; return to me, for I have redeemed you.

SONG OF RESPONSE

Great Is Thy Faithfulness  
Hymnal 32

**GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism 73-75  
Trinity Hymnal page 875

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33  
Page 269

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

PSALM

Psalm 130  
Trinity Psalter

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 4:25-5:2  
Page 978

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

There Is a Redeemer

**There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God’s own Son; precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.**

Chorus

**Thank you, oh, my Father, for giving us your Son, and leaving you Spirit ‘til the work on earth is done.**

**Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names; precious Lamb of God, Messiah, O for sinners slain.**

Chorus

**When I stand in glory, I will see his face, there I’ll serve my King forever in that holy place.**

Chorus

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DISMISSAL

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

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

Luke 19:11-27  
Page 878

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

The Parable of the Ten Minas  
Rev. Freddy Fritz

Sermon Notes

**Let us sing, though fierce temptation threaten hard to bear us down! For the Lord, our strong Salvation, holds in view the conqueror’s crown. He who washed us with his blood, he who washed us with his blood, he who washed us with his blood soon will bring us home to God.**

**Let us wonder; grace and justice join and point to mercy’s store; when through grace in Christ our trust is, justice smiles and asks no more. He who washed us with his blood, he who washed us with his blood, he who washed us with his blood has secured our way to God.**

**Let us praise, and join the chorus of the saints enthroned on high; here they trusted him before us, now their praises fill the sky. “Thou hast washed us with thy blood, thou hast washed us with thy blood, thou hast washed us with thy blood, thou art worthy, Lamb of God!”**

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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 Giving	\$11,303.00	\$8,174.00	\$3,129.00
General fund fiscal year is August 1 to July 31			
Missions Fund Giving	\$19,409.75	\$20,831.00	(\$1,421.25)
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	\$16,190.00
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

Our Memory Verse of the Month  
Be Christ’s Disciple  
2 Corinthians 4:5  
For what we preach is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus’ sake.  
2 Corinthians 4:5  
Serve Others

**August *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table**

WOMEN’S MINISTRY 15 MEETING

There will be a WM 15 meeting after Worship today. Take a few minutes to greet friends, then meet in classroom 23 at 12:00 p.m. to get the latest information on women’s events. Think about any concerns or new ideas you may want to share.

PIONEER COORDINATOR AND ASSISTANT COORDINATOR PROVIDED

God has provided a Coordinator for Pioneer Clubs in Cathy Gartman! She will be assisted by her daughter, Meredith, a Youth intern. Thanks for praying! If you are available to join the 2015-2016

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE**

† CLOSING SONG

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

**Let us love and sing and wonder, let us praise the Savior’s name! He has hushed the law’s loud thunder, he has quenched Mount Sinai’s flame. He has washed us with his blood, he has washed us with his blood, he has washed us with his blood, he has brought us nigh to God.**

**Let us love the Lord who bought us, pitied us when enemies, called us by his grace, and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes. He has washed us with his blood, he has washed us with his blood, he has washed us with his blood, he presents our souls to God.**

PC Team, please contact Cathy (CathyGartman@gmail.com, call/text 813-482-2442).

**CAMP KILIMANJARO VBS.**

Did you hear that volcanic explosion? No, not the Kilimanjaro volcanos. That roar was the burst of the spiritual gifts erupting over the last several weeks to make VBS happen! Many thanks to all those on site and off who made investments in sharing Jesus with kids in our community in prayer, time, funds, craft items, and energy. Special thanks to those who gave of themselves sacrificially!

**ESL MINISTRY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**

This is for everyone with a heart for reaching internationals...right here in our own backyard! Last year, we ministered to over 35 internationals from all corners of the world. No need to speak a foreign language and materials are provided. You just need to be friendly and patient. The class meets from 9:30-11:30 a.m. (weekday TBD) with about an hour/week of preparation. If interested in being a teacher, assistant, substitute, or to help with administrative tasks, please contact Heather Tomasello (813-753-8567).

**NTCA PRESCHOOL FURNISHING A NEW CLASSROOM**

There are a few items needed for which we would glad accept gently used donations: Play kitchen, baby dolls (plastic body, please), doll clothing, duplos, preschool building toys, large

plastic animal toys, jungle, farm, or dinosaurs. To donate, contact NTCA (813-973-2443, ntca@newtampachristianacademy.org).

**BYFAITH MAGAZINE**

Please pick up your copy at the Welcome Center in the narthex.

**AUGUST**

**PACESSETTERS AND EMPTYNESTERS ON BREAK**  
We will not meet this month. We will be back for more fun and fellowship in September. Have a great summer!

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 7:13 P.M.**

**FALL CHOIR SEASON KICK-OFF PARTY**  
Love God's music? Like to be a part of the choir? Please join us. No auditions! Just complete the registration form in the bulletin, put it in the offering plate or give to Debi Hensley, then show up. Questions? Contact Debi Hensley (813-786-0122, dbh@macfar.com) or Pat Smith (813-624-6431, pas7745@aol.com).

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 8:00 A.M.**

**ANNUAL "REFRESH THE NTCA MULCH!"**  
Volunteers needed. Bring shovels, rakes, wheelbarrows, and a little muscle and time. Many hands make short work. Please sign up by writing "**Playground**" on your Welcome Card.

**Petitions**

**Pregnancy**

**Holly Hawkes** August  
**Kori Gawrych** September

**Health**

**Nancy Kirkpatrick** (recovery from foot surgery); **Joe Kennedy**, friend of **Roy Riley** (heart attack); **Carol Topp**, sister of **Ken Pothoven**, (bone cancer); **Kim Cozzolino's** father, **Fred Lewis** (colon cancer that has metastasized to his lungs); **Mike Smith**, son of **Gary and Pat Smith** (spino-cerebellar ataxia; for wisdom, provision, peace); **Betty McQueen** (severe back pain and recovery from stroke); **Jena Barber** (improved kidney health).

**This Week's Volunteers**

**Welcome Table**

Fred and Maggie Gordon

**Greeters**

Brian and Alisa Carrier

**Ushers**

Bill Campbell, Garry Gawrych, Todd Gartman, Roger Kaiser, and Alan Polasky

**Children's Church**

Cheryl Barber, Nora Jeffries, and Ryan Coffey

**Nursery**

Luana Isaac and Wicke Egbert

**Deacon on Duty**

Garry Gawrych

**Next Week's Volunteer**

**Welcome Table**

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**Greeters**

TBD

**Ushers**

Lenny Chew, Martine Extermann, Luke Egbert, Jonathan Massie, and Alan Polasky

**Children's Church**

Cheryl Barber, Nora Jeffries, and Ryan Coffey

**Nursery**

Bill & Jo Campbell

**Deacon on Duty**

Jonathan Massie

**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. 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**

Senior Pastor .....Rev. Freddy Fritz  
Associate Pastor ..... Rev. James Nichols  
Office Administrator .....Melissa Noel  
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).....Eileen Fritz  
Pianist (p/t)..... Debi Hensley  
Office Assistant (p/t).....LeeAnn DeStefano  
Youth (p/t).....Ethan Hayman

**Session**

Bert Barber  
Freddy Fritz (Moderator)  
Fred Gordon  
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)

**Missionaries**

Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu .....NHMI  
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Chaplain Ted Hamm .....PRCC  
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Ken & Tammy Matlack ..... MTW  
Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas ..... Wycliffe  
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  
Men's Ministry  
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

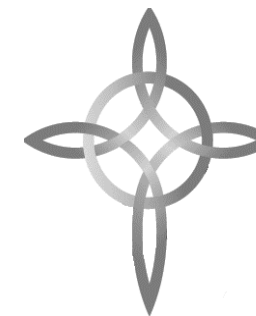
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**Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church**

Sunday, August 9, 2015 at 10:30 a.m.  
Proper 14

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and Ed Jordan

**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 Psalm 92:1-2

It is good to praise the LORD and make music to your name, O Most High,  
**to proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night.**

† OPENING SONG

Immortal, Invisible

**Immortal, you are not like a man that you change your mind or change your plan. Invisible, our human eyes can't see the depths of your majesty.**

Chorus

**You're the God of forever and ever, amen; the alpha, omega, beginning, and end. We sing hallelujah, we worship in awe. Immortal, invisible God.**

**Immortal, you are not bound by death. You're the living God, my very breath. Invisible, you are not bound by space, but your glory is filling this place. Yes, your glory is filling this place.**

Chorus

**Immortal, yet you once died for me, to pay my debt, to set me free. Invisible, you will not always be, 'cause you're coming to reign as our king and the saints will fall down at your feet.**

Chorus