

SONG OF RESPONSE

Here In Your Presence

**The time is now, the place is here, we come into your presence, you melt away our fear. We lift our lives, we lift our hearts, we praise you, Lord, for who you are.**

(Repeat from top)

*Chorus*

*Here in your presence, grace conquers sin, mercy and love overflow. Here in your presence, again and again, you wash us whiter than snow.*

**And when we fall, you lift us up. You bathe us with your mercy, you fill us with your love. Your breath of life renews the soul, and once again you make us whole.**

*Chorus*

**The time is now, the place is here.**

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**GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Shorter Catechism 23-26

What offices doth Christ execute as our Redeemer?

**Christ, as our Redeemer, executeth the offices of a prophet, of a priest, and of a king, both in his estate of humiliation and exaltation.**

How doth Christ execute the office of a prophet?

**Christ executeth the office of a prophet, in revealing to us, by his Word and Spirit, the will of God for our salvation.**

How doth Christ execute the office of a priest?

**Christ executeth the office of a priest, in his once offering up himself a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice, and reconcile us to God, and in making continual intercession for us.**

How doth Christ execute the office of a king?

**Christ executeth the office of a king, in subduing us to himself, in ruling and defending us, and in restraining and conquering all his and our enemies.**

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 1:8-2:10  
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The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

† PSALM

Psalm 19 (vv. 7-11)  
Hymnal 152

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 16:13-20  
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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

Softly and Tenderly (Hymnal 479, vv. 1 & 4)  
Millie Myers

PREPARATORY SONG

I Walk Today Where Jesus Walked

Written by Geoffrey O'Hare  
Brooke Stinnett

DISMISSAL

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

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

Luke 11:37-53  
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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

Woes to the Pharisees and Lawyers – Part 1  
Rev. Freddy Fritz

Sermon Notes

†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), 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			
General Fund Income & Expense			
One Month Ended July 31, 2014			
	Budget	Actual	Variance
General Fund Giving	\$ 443,642	\$ 393,837	\$ (49,805)
Other Income (Interest, Rent, etc.)	\$ 11,260	\$ 10,649	\$ (611)
General Fund Expenses	\$ 454,902	\$ 431,902	\$ (23,000)
Ahead (Behind)	\$ -	\$ (27,416)	\$ (27,416)
Missions Fund			
Goal			\$ 45,000
Total pledged for 2014-2015			\$ 38,414
Funds received 3/1/2014-7/31/2014			\$ 19,645
By His Grace, For His Glory			
Goal			\$ 450,000
Total pledged			\$ 282,714
Funds received through 7/31/2014			\$ 245,666
<small>(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)</small>			

August *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table

Our Memory Verse of the Month  
Rely on God's Resources  
1 Peter 5:7  
...casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.  
1 Peter 5:7  
His Peace

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.

FALL CHILDREN'S CHOIR SEASON

Dare 2 Declare (3<sup>rd</sup>—8<sup>th</sup> grades) rehearsal has begun. If interested, fill out the insert in the bulletin and place it in the offering plate. Questions—See Debi Hensley (813-786-0122, dbh@macfar.com) or Pat Smith (813-624-6431, pas7745@aol.com).

TODAY, 12:00-2:00 P.M.

ESL TRAINING  
Anyone interested in helping with the ESL program, please join us as we talk about the class and how it is run. Pizza lunch provided.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 12:15 A.M.

STATE OF THE CHURCH LUNCH  
To help with clean-up, write "SOCA-vol"; to

attend write "SOCA", # of adults and # of children, on your Welcome Card. There is a list below of suggested covered dishes to bring by last name.

Last Name begins with:	Please bring the following suggested dish. Allow for enough for 10 people.
A-C	<b>SALADS:</b> Salad & Salad dressing, deviled eggs, veggie tray with dip, Fruit Salad, Cheese Platters
D-G	<b>BREAD:</b> 2 loaves bread or 2 dozen dinner rolls
H-M	<b>MEAT PLATTERS:</b> cold cuts, cold chicken, cold ham, hot dogs/buns
N-R	<b>SIDES:</b> Macaroni Salad, Potato Salad, Cold Bean Salad, Baked Beans, jello salad, cold slaw.
S-Z	<b>DESSERT</b>

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 1:00 P.M.

STATE OF THE CHURCH ADDRESS  
Our annual State of the Church Address will

follow the SOCA lunch. All communicant members are expected to attend. We will receive ministry reports, adopt the 2014-2015 budget, and learn about what we believe God is leading us to accomplish for the expansion of his kingdom.

**MONDAYS, SEPTEMBER 1 – NOVEMBER 3, 6:30-8:30 PM (EWBS) AND WEDNESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 3 – NOVEMBER 5, 9:00-11:30 AM (MWBS)**

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY-FALL 2014

During the first four weeks we will finish the final two chapters of Left of Matthew and then begin Right of Malachi. We will continue with Right of Malachi in our Spring 2015 study. Childcare for both sessions is by reservation. For MWBS childcare will be available for infants to preschoolers; for EWBS it will be available for children of any age. Cost of books and materials is \$10.00. Registration forms are located in the narthex.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 3:00-7:00 P.M.**

COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP CLASS

If you are interested in becoming a communicant member or just finding out more about TBPC, please join us. This is the class that covers membership requirements, TBPC beliefs and vision, and history of the PCA and TBPC. A pizza dinner and childcare (if needed) will be provided. Please RSVP on the Welcome Cards so that we can get the right amount of food and a babysitter if needed. The class is required for membership at TBPC.

**Petitions**

Loss

For **Dora Burchfield** and family as they grieve the death of her husband, **Mac Burchfield** on Monday, August 11.

Ministry

**Jon Fritz** (Missions trip to Ghana orphanage).

Health

**Kerry Roys** (rehab after knee surgery); **Betty McQueen** (severe back pain); **Ken Pothoven's** sister, Carol Topp (bone cancer); Roy Braxton, uncle of **Bill and Ted Jeffries** (injuries from a motorcycle accident); Morgan Jeffries, nephew of **Bill and Ted Jeffries** (loss of use and feeling in his legs); **Mia Jeffries** (treatment for acute leukemia); **Joelle Nobles** (healing for digestive problems); **Jena Barber** (improved kidney health); **Diane Collier** (limbic encephalitis).

**This Week's Volunteers**

**Welcome Table**

Jeanne Higby and Barbara Hess

**Greeters**

Martine Extermann and Bert Barber

**Ushers**

Bob McQueen, Jim Childers, Reid Donaldson, Rick Donaldson, and Vince Hladek

**Children's Church**

Michelle Hunter, Gertrude Hunter, and Jessica Hunter

**Nursery**

Alisa Carrier, and Jennifer and Luana Isaac

**Deacon on Duty**

Bob Guest

**Next Week's Volunteer**

**Welcome Table**

Alan Polasky

**Greeters**

Rick and Deborah Donaldson

**Ushers**

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

**Children's Church**

Heather Tomasello, Barbara Hess, and

Becky Jordan

**Nursery**

Deborah Donaldson and Avril Massie

**Deacon on Duty**

Todd Bayley

**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. 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**

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) .....Garry Gawrych

**Session**

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

Jim Aldrich (Emeritus)  
Joe Kirkpatrick (Emeritus)  
Ken Pothoven (Emeritus)

**Diaconate**

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

Bob McQueen (Emeritus)

**Missionaries**

Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu ..... NHMI  
Chaplain James Cochell ..... PRCC  
Peter and Lauren Dishman .....MTW  
Esaie & Natacha Etienne .....MTW  
Chaplain Ted Hamm ..... PRCC  
Jeff & Jenny Lee.....RUF  
Pam Johnston .....WA  
Ken & Tammy Matlack .....MTW  
Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas ..... 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 24, 2014 at 10:30 a.m.  
After Pentecost

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and Bert Barber

**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

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship  
Hymnal 381

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

**GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN**

CONFESSION OF SIN

Based on Psalm 51:10-12

**Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on Isaiah 49:15; 66:13

Can a woman forget her nursing child, or show no compassion for the child of her womb? As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you, says the Lord.