

astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

SONG OF RESPONSE My Heart Is Filled With Thankfulness

**My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who bore my pain; who plumbed the depths of my disgrace and gave me life again; who crushed my curse of sinfulness and clothed me in his light and wrote his law of righteousness with pow'r upon my heart.**

**My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who walks beside; who floods my weaknesses with strength and causes fears to fly; whose ev'ry promise is enough for ev'ry step I take, sustaining me with arms of love and crowning me with grace.**

**My heart is filled with thankfulness to him who reigns above, whose wisdom is my perfect peace, whose ev'ry thought is love. For ev'ry day I have on earth is given by the King; so I will give my life, my all, to love and follow him.**

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GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Westminster Shorter Catechism 27-28

Wherein did Christ's humiliation consist?

**Christ's humiliation consisted in his being born, and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross; in being buried, and continuing under the power of death for a time.**

Wherein consisteth Christ's exaltation?

**Christ's exaltation consisteth in his rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending up into heaven, in sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the last day.**

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 3:1-15

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALM Psalm 8 How Magnificent Is Your Name

**You have covered the heavens with your majesty. A stronghold you have established to silence the enemy.**

*Chorus*  
***O Lord, our Lord, how magnificent is your name throughout all the earth. O Lord, our Lord, how magnificent is your name throughout all the earth. How magnificent is your name.***

**You have remembered your people. You've crowned them with majesty. The moon and the stars are his cover. Creation is under his feet.**

*Chorus*  
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NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 16:21-28

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

Joy In My Heart  
Worship Choir

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

† SCRIPTURE TEXT Luke 11:45-54  
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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON Woes to the Pharisees and Lawyers – Part 2  
Rev. Freddy Fritz  
Sermon Notes

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.**

**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			
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
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

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.

CONGRATS TO AUGUST GRADS  
Chelsea Joy Pfannenstiel graduated from American Public University

TODAY, 12:15 A.M.  
STATE OF THE CHURCH LUNCH  
To help with food set-up and clean-up, see LeeAnn DeStefano after the Worship Service.

TODAY, 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  
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

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.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 6:00-8:00 P.M.  
GORDON GROWTH GROUP  
We will meet every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday to watch and discuss the Ligonier DVD series "Holiness of God" at various homes. Write "Growth Group" on your Welcome Card or contact Fred Gordon (813-973-4579) to register.

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 8:30 A.M.**

**MEN'S BREAKFAST**

All men are invited to come and bring a neighbor or a friend. The cost will be \$8.00 per person. If interested write "Breakfast" on your Welcome Card or contact Brian Carrier (brian@bcflorida.com, 813-841-9146).

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7**

**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION SUNDAY!**

**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.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

**CHRISTIAN ED SUNDAY 2014**

The Gospel Changes Everything! Rev. Sammie Brooks, the PCA pastor of Grace Presbyterian Church in Lake Suzy, FL is very excited about joining us for the Sunday School hour and the Worship Service. Sammie comes with his wife Connie, a full palate of school and ministry experience, a passion for Biblical Worldview perspectives, and a few favs – like the Gators.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PIONEER CLUBS**

As the school year goes into full swing Pioneer Clubs needs 3-4 volunteers in order to make this year a success. Please contact Lindsay Montoney (864-561-1721) or Jena Barber (813-943-6885) if you are interested.

**Petitions**

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**

Alan Polasky

**Greeters**

Rick and Deborah Donaldson

**Ushers**

Lenny Chew, Martine Extermann, Garry Gawrych, and Jonathan Massie

**Children's Church**

Heather Tomasello, Barbara Hess, and Becky Jordan

**Nursery**

Deborah Donaldson and Avril Massie

**Deacon on Duty**

Todd Bayley

**Next Week's Volunteer**

**Welcome Table**

Ted and Mia Jeffries

**Greeters**

Roger Kaiser

**Ushers**

Bill Campbell, Todd Bayley, Garry Gawrych, and Phil Lear

**Children's Church**

Heather Tomasello, Barbara Hess, and Becky Jordan

**Nursery**

Jeff and Lindsay Montoney

**Deacon on Duty**

Bill Jeffries

**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

**Missionaries (cont.)**

Rene & Lilli Palacio .....SIM  
Carla Stevens.....MTW  
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg .....Wycliffe

**Meeting Times**

**Today:**

8:45 a.m. Children's Sunday School  
Adult CE&F  
LAMP Certificate  
PHOS Youth Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Children's Church

12:00 p.m. State of the Church Lunch

1:00 p.m. State of the Church Address

5:00 p.m. PHOS Youth Dinner and Meeting

**Monday:**

Office Closed

6:30 p.m. Evening Women's Bible Study

**Tuesday:**

6:00 p.m. Gordon Growth Group Meeting

7:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting

8:00 p.m. Outreach Team Meeting

**Wednesday:**

9:00 a.m. Morning Women's Bible Study

6:15 p.m. Dare 2 Declare Choir Rehearsal

6:30 p.m. LAMP Degree Program

7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

**Saturday:**

7:45 a.m. LAMP Certificate

8:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast

**Sunday:**

8:45 a.m. Children's Sunday School

Adult CE&F

LAMP Certificate

PHOS Youth Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Children's Church

12:00 p.m. Welcome Lunch

3:00 p.m. Communicant Membership Class

5:00 p.m. PHOS Youth Dinner and Meeting

**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**

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**Magnification**

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**Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church**

Sunday, August 31, 2014 at 10:30 a.m.  
After Pentecost

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and Doug Hayman

**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 95:1-2

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.

† OPENING SONG

O Worship the King  
Hymnal 2

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

**GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN**

CONFESSION OF SIN

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on Isaiah 53:4-6

Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. All we like sheep have gone