



# Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church

Sunday, September 8, 2013 at 10:30 a.m.  
After Pentecost

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and James Nichols

## 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 Psalm 100

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.

**Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.**

Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us and we are his;

**we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.**

Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

**For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.**

† OPENING SONG .... All People That on Earth Do Dwell..... Hymnal 1

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

### GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord, you come to us, but we do not recognize you; you call, but we do not follow; you command, but we do not obey, you bless us, but we do not thank you. Please forgive and help us. Lord, you accept us, but we do not accept others; you forgive us, but we do not forgive those who wrong us; you love us, but we do not love our neighbors. Please forgive and help us. Lord, you showed us how to carry out your mission, but we still insist on our own; you identified yourself with outcasts, the needy, and the poor, but we do not bother to find out what is happening to them; you suffered and died for the sake of all, but we do not give up our comfortable lives. Please forgive and help us, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

## 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  
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

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

#### Diaconate

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

#### Missionaries

Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu .....NHMI  
Chaplain James Cochell .....PRCC  
Esaie & Natacha Etienne..... MTW  
Chaplain Ted Hamm .....PRCC  
Jeff & Jenny Lee..... RUF  
Pam Johnston ..... WA  
Ken & Tammy Matlack ..... MTW  
Ross & Aislinn Meyer..... Wycliffe  
Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas ..... Wycliffe  
Rene & Lilli Palacio .....SIM

#### Missionaries (cont.)

Carla Stevens..... MTW  
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg ..... Wycliffe

#### Meeting Times

**Today:**  
8:45 a.m. Sunday School  
Adult CE&F  
Communicant Membership Class  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Children's Church  
12:15 p.m. A Cappella Emsemble Rehearsal  
12:30 p.m. Welcome Lunch  
5:00 p.m. Nobles Dinner and Growth Group Meeting  
PHOS Dinner and Youth Meeting  
Kirkpatrick/Aldrich Growth Group  
6:00 p.m. Meeting  
**Monday:**  
6:30 p.m. Evening Women's Bible Study  
**Tuesday:**  
7:00 p.m. NTCA Board Meeting  
**Wednesday:**  
9:00 a.m. Women's Morning Bible Study  
6:15 p.m. Dare 2 Declare Children's Choir Rehearsal  
6:30 p.m. Kids of the King Children's Choir Rehearsal  
7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 p.m. LAMP Degree Program Meeting  
**Thursday:**  
7:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting  
**Saturday:**  
7:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study  
9:00 a.m. Men's Ministry Team Meeting  
SW FL Presbytery Women's Presentation  
**Sunday:**  
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Adult CE&F  
Communicant Membership Class  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service  
Children's Church  
12:30 p.m. Emptynester's Lunch  
5:00 p.m. PHOS Dinner and Youth Meeting

#### 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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event on Wednesday, September 18. Enrollment fee is \$25 for the first child and \$20 for each additional child, capping at \$65. If you have questions, contact Lindsay Montoney (lindsayjoanne90@hotmail.com or call/text 864-561-1721).

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 9:30 A.M.

SOUTHWEST FLORIDA PRESBYTERY FOR MINISTRY AREA DISCUSSION GROUPS.

- **Session Clerks** facilitated by TE Freddy Fritz, Pastor of Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church
- **Music and Worship Teams** facilitated by Adam Davidson, Director of Arts & Worship at Trinity Lakeland
- **Apologetics: Evangelism and the Pastor** facilitated by Dr. Scott Oliphint, Professor of Apologetics at Westminster Theological Seminary
- **Men's Ministry** facilitated by Dave Enslow, Director of Next Steps for Men
- **Women's Ministry** facilitated by Barbara Aills

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 12:30 PM

EMPTYNESTERS LUNCHEON  
Our lunch will be at "Taste of Boston" Seafood Restaurant, 1944 Bruce B. Downs Blvd, Wesley Chapel (across from the Wiregrass mall in the Publix plaza). We look forward to sharing food and fellowship as we begin the fall and winter season! Please RSVP to Sandy Neal, (813-973-7814, sandybill1941@gmail.com) by Friday, September 13.

### Petitions

#### Health

**Madge Virgo** (recovery from surgery); Cile Mitchell, **Nora Jeffries'** sister-in-law (get on the lung transplant list); **John Andel** (ongoing health issues and fatigue); Tyler Jeffries, son of **Ted Jeffries** (recovery from wounds in the war in Afghanistan); **Barbara Bentley** (continuing health issues); **Diane Collier** (limbic encephalitis).

#### Pregnancy

**Insook Ha** November  
Jennifer Garcia December

### This Week's Volunteers

#### Welcome Table

Keri Gawrych

#### Greeters

Roger Kaiser and Bob Mallary

#### Ushers

Garry Gawrych, Earl Myers, Melissa Noel, Alan Polasky, and Roger Kaiser

#### Children's Church

Eileen Fritz, Wendy Compton, and Colby Thomasello

#### Nursery

Eric and Luana Isaac, and Wicke Egbert

#### Deacon on Duty

Rick Donaldson

### Next Week's Volunteer

#### Welcome Table

Joseph and Lillian Barquin

#### Greeters

Phil and Chris Lear

#### Ushers

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

#### Children's Church

Eileen Fritz, Wendy Compton, and Colby Thomasello

#### Nursery

Bill & Jo Campbell

#### Deacon on Duty

Bob Guest

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

##### CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAY

Four events to focus on incorporating God's truth into every facet of our lives: a combined Youth and CE&F hour, Worship Service, Swap Shop Lunch, and evening workshop. Presenters will be Rev. Peter Dishman, Lauren Fritz, Carla Stevens, and TBPC "home folks" in all stages of life-long learning.

#### FRIDAY-SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8-10

##### 2013 PCA GLOBAL MISSIONS CONFERENCE

"The Sprit Moves" conference will be held in Greenville, SC, where missionaries, students, musicians, pastors, artists, Christian leaders, businesspeople, youth workers, doctors, teachers, all believers, can come together to learn and rejoice. See the bulletin insert for more information.

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 5:30-8:00 P.M.

##### NIGHT IN BETHLEHEM COORDINATOR AND TEAM NEEDED

Come be part of our traditional, exciting, and highly visible community outreach! This family event features the sights, sounds and smells of the Nativity, complete with live animals, crafts and yummy treats. If you are interesting in serving, please contact Eileen Fritz (EileenFritz@verizon.net or call / text 813-731-0457).

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS .....based on Micah 7:18-20

Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over the transgression of the remnant of your possession? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in showing clemency. He will again have compassion upon us; he will tread our iniquities under foot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea. You will show faithfulness to Jacob and unswerving loyalty to Abraham, as you have sworn to our ancestors from the days of old.

SONG OF RESPONSE.....Jesus Paid It All .....Hymnal 308

### GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH .....based on Psalm 23

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name’s sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Deuteronomy 30:15-20 ..... Page 172

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALM.....Psalm 1.....Hymnal 564

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Philemon 1-21.....Page 1000

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 .....No one ever cared for me like Jesus ..... Millie Myers

I would love to tell you what I think of Jesus, since I found in him a friend so strong and true; I would tell you how he changed my life completely. He did something that no other friend could do.

All my life was full of sin when Jesus found me, all my heart was full of misery and woe; Jesus placed his strong and loving arms around me, and he led me in the way I ought to go.

Chorus

*No one ever cared for me like Jesus, there’s no other friend so kind as he; no one else could take the sin and darkness from me. O how much he cares for me! O how much he cares for me!*

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PREPARATORY SONG..... Big Mighty God.....Worship Choir

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

† SCRIPTURE ..... Luke 6:12-16.....Page 862

† PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON .....The Twelve Apostles .....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 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

John 1:12

But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, . .

John 1:12

Must Receive Christ

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Treasurer’s Corner			
General Fund Income & Expense			
Year Ended July 31, 2013			
	Budget	Actual	Variance
General Fund Giving	\$ 418,372	\$ 393,862	\$ (24,510)
Other Income (Interest, Rent, etc.)	\$ 10,600	\$ 11,288	\$ 688
General Fund Expenses	\$ 428,972	\$ 405,150	\$ (23,822)
Ahead (Behind)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 0
Mission Fund			
Goal			\$ 45,000
Total pledged for 2013-2014			\$ 37,260
Funds received 3/1/2013-7/31/2013			\$ 19,773
By His Grace, For His Glory			
Goal			\$ 450,000
Total pledged			\$ 282,714
Funds received through 7/31/2013			\$ 145,245
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

September *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.

#### GROWTH GROUPS

Growth Groups for adults begin this week. Please sign up on the Friendship Register if you would like to join a Growth Group (small group Bible study), or talk to any elder.

#### COMMUNICANT MEMBERSHIP CLASS

A Communicant Membership Class is held

during the Adult CE&F hour (8:45 - 10:00 a.m.). This class will meet in the associate pastor’s study (room 3) and is designed for newcomers who are interested in becoming communicant members of the Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church. A newcomer may begin at any week (say, for example, at week 7) and continue for 8 sessions (until the following week 6, in this example). Questions? Talk to Pastor Nichols.

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

PIONEER CLUBS ADVANCE ENROLLMENT Children 3 years old (by March 1, 2013) through Grade 8 may enroll. Regular enrollment will be on Kick-off Night, a family

### GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG .....Come, Praise , and Glorify

**Come, praise and glorify our God; the Father of our Lord. In Christ, he has in heav’nly realms, his blessings on us poured. For pure and blameless in His sight, he destined us to be, and now we’ve been adopted through his son eternally.**

Chorus

*To the praise of your glory. To the praise of your mercy and grace. To the praise of your glory. You are the God who saves.*

**Come, praise and glorify our God who gives his grace in Christ. In him our sins are washed away; redeemed through sacrifice. In him, God has made known to us the myst’ry of his will; that Christ should be the head of all, his purpose to fulfill**

Chorus

**Come, praise and glorify our God for we’ve believed the Word. And through our faith we have a seal; the Spirit of the Lord. The Spirit guarantees our hope until redemption’s done; until we join in endless praise to God, the Three in One.**

Chorus

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† BENEDICTION

† MEET AND GREET CAFÉ