

rich@aol.com) or Joe Kirkpatrick (813-988-8601, josephkirkpatrick@hotmail.com). EVERY 1ST AND 3RD TUESDAY (9/18) 7:00 P.M.-9:00 P.M. Meets at the Pothoven home to study *The Knowledge of the Holy* by A.W. Tozer. Contact Ken Pothoven (ken@pothoven.net).

WEDNESDAY NIGHT -5:45-6:30 P.M.
WEDNESDAY "PIZZA NIGHT" DINNERS
Enjoy Pizzamania pizza (cheese, pepperoni/ sausage or veggie) with salad and dessert. Children (under 5): \$3.00, (5-9): 1 slice -\$4.00, Adults: 2 slices-\$6.00, with a family max. of \$20.00. Write "Wed. Dinner" (with # in each age group) on your Friendship Register form to insure the right number of pizza are bought.

END OF SEPTEMBER
CHRISTMAS BRUNCH TABLE HOSTESSES
This month the Women's Ministry is organizing the volunteer table hostesses team for our 24th Annual Christmas Brunch (December 8, 9:00 - 11:15 a.m.). Each hostess sets and decorates a table for 8, expressing her individual style and Christmas cheer. To volunteer, for additional information, contact Ginny Bremer (813-907-8312, vbremner11@verizon.net).

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 7:45 A.M.
MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP GROUP
All men are invited to attend a meeting on Saturday morning, September 15, at 7:45 a.m. to learn about participating in this fall's Men's Discipleship Group. Questions? Talk to Pastor Freddy.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19-12:30 P.M.
PACESETTERS' LUNCH
Join the fun and food at Café Fresco, 27209 State Road 54 Wesley Chapel, Fl 33543 (West of Wiregrass on SR 56, just before the Sports and Field facility on the

north side).

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 7:00-10:00 P.M.
PHOS WORLDVIEW MOVIE NIGHT
Middle and high school students, join us at the home of the Atkinsons to watch the movie, *Tangled*, and discuss the world-views of the main characters.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 8:30 A.M.
MEN'S BREAKFAST
Hot, delicious breakfast for only \$8.00 (collected at the breakfast). A message from our Pastor Freddy Fritz. Come enjoy and bring a friend. To sign up write "Men's Breakfast" on your Friendship register form or contact Brian Carrier (813-841-9146, brian@bcflorida.com).

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 12:00-1:00 P.M.
USHER'S QUARTERLY TRAINING
All current ushers and anyone interested, men or women, please join us for the Quarterly Usher's Training. See James Nichols after the Worship Service.

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 -20
WOMEN'S JOINT RETREAT
At the Florida FFA Leadership Training Center in Haines City, hosted by Covenant Presbyterian Church. Tara Barthel is keynote speaker. Brochures are available in the narthex and on the visitor's table with detailed information on cost, schedule, registration form, and directions.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 5:30 - 8:00 P.M.
NIGHT IN BETHLEHEM PRE-PLANNING
This traditional Christmas outreach event will draw scores of families from the community. Preparations start now. If you are interested in participating or helping plan contact Bett Correa (813-690-6739, bett_v@hotmail.com).

Petitions

Health

Barbara Bentley (continuing health issues); **Lou Bentley** (recovery from surgery for kidney cancer); **Diane Collier** (limbic encephalitis); **Mac Burchfield** (recovery from stroke).

Loss

James and Jena Barber, and family for the death of their unborn child; the family of **Frank Tobar** as they grieve his death Wednesday (9/12) morning.

This Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table

Brian and Alisa Carrier

Greeters

Phil and Chris Lear

Ushers

Javier Lugo, Martine Extermann, Colin Jensen, Jim Childers, and Jonathan Massie

Children's Church

Brenda Ausmus, Mary Jo Jensen, and Alexis Collier

Nursery

Bill & Jo Campbell

Deacon on Duty

Mike Bowman

Next Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table

Wes and May Mollard

Greeters

Roger Kaiser and Bof Mallary

Ushers

Bob McQueen, Julie Welzien, Reid Donaldson, Rick Donaldson, and Vince Hladek

Children's Church

Brenda Ausmus, Mary Jo Jensen, and Nathaniel Barquin

Nursery

Alisa Carrier, Jennifer Isaac and Julissa Rhoden

Deacon on Duty

Brad Collier

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 hand 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
Custodian..... Chris 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

Session

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

Diaconate

Bob McQueen (Chairman)
Mike Bowman
Brad Collier
Rick Donaldson
Bob Guest
Jonathan Massie

Missionaries

Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu..... NHMI
Dick Fisher..... MNA Chaplain
Esaie & Natacha Etienne..... MTW
Jeff & Jenny Lee..... RUF
Pam Johnston..... CHA
Ken & Tammy Matlack..... MTW
Ross & Aislinn Meyer..... Wycliffe
Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas..... Wycliffe
Rene & Lilli Palacio..... SIM
Carla Stevens..... MTW
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg..... Wycliffe

Meeting Times

Sunday:

8:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Children's Church
12:30 p.m. Welcome Lunch
5:00 p.m. PHOS dinner/ youth group meeting

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study
5:45 p.m. Family Night Dinner
6:15 p.m. Dare to Declare Choir Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting
Kids of the King Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Pioneer Clubs
7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday:

7:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting

Saturday:

7:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study
Men's Discipleship Group

Ministry Teams

Membership

CareNet
Class 101
Emptynesters
Hospitality
Nursery
Pacesetters
Prayer

Maturity

Class 201
Adult CE&F
Children
Growth Group
Men's Bible Study
Women's Bible Study
Women's Ministry
Youth

Ministry

Class 301
Ministry Deployment
Missions
Class 401
Church Planting
Missions Committee
NTCA
Outreach

Magnification

Worship Service
Music Ministry
Greeters
Ushers

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Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church

Sunday, September 16, 2012 10:30 a.m.
After Pentecost

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and Jim Aldrich

Worship Service

† Please stand as you are able

PRELUDE..... Debi Hensley

† GREETING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS..... Please sign the Friendship Register

MISSION STATEMENT MOMENT..... Walk for Life..... Cheryl Barber

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..... Today Is the Day

† PRAYER OF INVOCATION

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone. As we remember the lavish gift of your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESSBased on Isaiah 54:8, 43:25, 44:22

"In a surge of anger I hid my face from you for a moment, but with everlasting kindness I will have compassion on you," says the Lord your Redeemer. "I, even I, am he who blots out your transgressions, for my own sake, and remembers your sins no more." "I have swept away your offenses like a cloud, your sins like the morning mist. Return to me, for I have redeemed you."

SONG OF RESPONSE ...Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord ..Hymnal 465

GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH WSC 27Hymnal page 871

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 1:20-23 Page 527

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALMPsalm 23Trinity Psalter

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 8:27-38 Page 844

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 SONGHeaven's Jubilee..... Women's Trio

Caroline Coffey
Brooke Stinnett
Christine Todd

PREPARATORY SONG..... Rejoice, the Lord Is KingWorship Choir

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

SCRIPTURELuke 1:1-4 Page 855

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON.....Introduction to the Gospel of Luke Rev. Freddy Fritz
Sermon notes

Sermon Notes
(cont.)

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG Tell Me the Old, Old Story Hymnal 625

† BENEDICTION

Ushers may assist latecomers to find their seats.

Children, ages 3 to Second Grade, are dismissed to Children's Church in Room 20.
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 come back to you).

Parents: For the safety of your children, please accompany them to the bathrooms.

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!

To participate in the Mini Café parents must fill our 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 it personally to a CC staff member.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Memory Verse for the Month

Live the New Life
Matthew 18:20

"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."

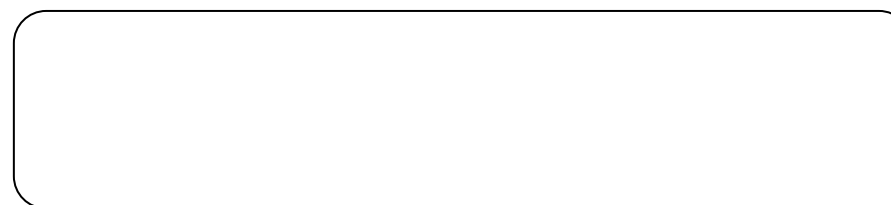
Matthew 18:20

Fellowship

September *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table

Treasurer's Corner			
General Fund Income & Expense			
Year Ended July 31, 2012			
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
General Fund Giving	\$ 353,318	\$ 375,164	\$ 21,846
Other Income (Interest, Rent, etc.)	\$ 44,175	\$ 28,058	\$ (16,117)
General Fund Expenses	\$ 397,493	\$ 403,222	\$ 5,729
Ahead (Behind)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Missions Fund			
Goal			\$ 40,150
Total pledged for 2012-2013			\$ 40,145
Funds received 3/1/2012-7/31/2012			\$ 16,912
By His Grace, For His Glory			
Goal			\$ 450,000
Total pledged			\$ 282,714
Funds received through 7/31/2012			\$ 43,623

(Unaudited figures -- for internal use only.)



THANK YOU

"Thank you church family for all your love, support, help, meals, and prayers during our recent move on September 1st. We feel so blessed to be part of such a caring church family. God Bless and love, Javier, Patty, and Isabel Lugo"

SHORT TERM MISSIONS TRIP COORDINATOR
Missions needs someone with administrative and organizational skills to act for next 2 years as the Coordinator of our Church's Short Term Summer Missions Trips. For more information write "Coordinator" on your Friendship Register form, or contact Jim Aldrich (813-929-4964).

2012-2013 GROWTH GROUPS

EVERY OTHER WEEK (9/9), 5:00P.M.-7:30

P.M.

Meets at the church to share a meal and:

- Studying 1 John, 2 John, 3 John. Study. Contact Kevin Nobles (813-714-0142, knobles1@verizon).
- College and Career focus. Contact James Nichols (615-598-6394, James-Nichols@tampabaypresbyterian.org)
- Meets at home of Knox home for a study based on the book *Gospel Growth*. Contact Doug Knox (813-205-5004, sd_knox@yahoo.com).

EVERY 2ND AND 4TH SUNDAY (9/23)

6:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.

Meets at the Aldrich home for a discipleship study-*The Gospel Centered Life*. Contact Jim Aldrich(813-994-4879, jald-