

bring a friend. To sign up write "Men's Breakfast" on your Friendship Register form or contact Brian Carrier (813-841-9146, brian@bcaflorida.com).

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 12:30 P.M.
PACESETTERS' CHRISTMAS LUNCH
The Pacesetters will be meeting at the church at 12:30 p.m. for their annual Christmas Luncheon. Meat will be provided. Just bring a side dish or dessert. Come enjoy the games, prizes and Christmas carols. There will be NO gift exchange this year. Please RSVP to Randi Mallary (813-972-0504) by Monday, December 3.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 9:00-11:15 A.M.
WOMEN'S MINISTRY'S 24TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BRUNCH
Ladies of our church, friends, and family members, please accept our invitation to focus on the Advent season with guest speaker Betty Combee for fun, fellowship, and a message which will prepare your heart and mind for the true meaning of Christmas. Our theme, "The Grace and Peace of Christmas," will lead us to contemplate the undeserved favor, the unspeakable joy, and the peace beyond understanding that we find in Jesus Christ. Tickets: \$10.00 ladies and girls ages 9 and over, \$8.00 girls ages 8 and under. They will be sold in the narthex before and after

Worship Service from November 4 through December 2.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9, 7:00-11:00 P.M.
PHOS YOUTH GROUP CHRISTMAS PARTY
All youth are invited to come to the bonfire, make s'mores, take a hayride and exchange gifts as we celebrate the birth of our Savior. For more information contact Anna Barber (813-731-3469).

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 6:00-11:00 P.M.
PHOS BABYSITTING SERVICE NIGHT
Spend an evening out with your spouse, go shopping or just relax. We will provide pizza, games, activities, and additional older chaperones. To participate, contact Lauren Fritz (813-731-7663, 813-907-2568, laurenfritz@verizon.net) to ensure that we have enough chaperones and pizza. Merry Christmas!

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16, 6:00-7:30 P.M.
"SOUNDS OF THE SEASON" COCERT
The Music Ministry of TBPC presents the gift of a Christmas Concert to our Church family and friends. Come and enjoy all the choirs and other special music as we celebrate the Christmas season with an evening of music.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 7:45-9:00 A.M.
LAMP DISCIPLESHIP CERTIFICATE PROGRAM
LAMP Seminary has certified Tampa Bay Presbyterian as a site for their Discipleship Certificate Program. The initial Certificate Program will focus on training men to then train others in the congregation in this course of Biblical discipleship. For more information, see the brochure in the bulletin or narthex, or contact Pastor Freddy (813-973-2484).

Petitions

Health

Jena Barber (recovery from cardiac surgery revision); **Tyler Jeffries**, son of **Ted Jeffries** (recovery from wounds in the war in Afghanistan); **Barbara Bentley** (continuing health issues); **Diane Collier** (limbic encephalitis); **Mac Burchfield** (recovery from stroke).

Pregnancy

Trina Jeffries (girl) January
Aislinn Meyer June

This Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table
Jeanne Higby and Barbara Hess
Greeters
Phil and Chris Lear
Ushers
Javier Lugo, Martine Extermann, Luke Egbert, Colin Jensen, and Jonathan Massie
Children's Church
Heather Tomasello, Shawn Nobles and Becky Jordan
Nursery
Bill & Jo Campbell
Deacon on Duty
Bob McQueen

Next Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table
Bruce Mulledy and Alan Polasky
Greeters
Roger Kaiser and Bob Mallary
Ushers
Bob McQueen, Jim Childers, Reid Donaldson, Rick Donaldson, and Vince Hladek
Children's Church
Michelle Hunter, Gertrude Hunter, Becky Jordan
Nursery
Jennifer Isaac and Julissa Rhoden
Deacon on Duty
Mike Bowman

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

Diaconate

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

Missionaries

Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu.....NHMI
Esaie & Natacha Etienne..... MTW
Jeff & Jenny Lee..... RUF

Missionaries (cont.)

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
Adult CE&F
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Children's Church
5:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Dinner and Service
Tuesday:
10:00 a.m. Memory Mornings!
7:00 p.m. Pothoven Growth Group
Wednesday:
7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal
Thursday-Friday:
Office Closed for Thanksgiving
Saturday:
7:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study
Men's Discipleship Group
9:45 a.m. Hanging of the Greens

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 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, November 18, 2012 10:30 a.m.
After Pentecost

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and James Nichols

Worship Service

† Please stand as you are able

PRELUDE Debi Hensley

† GREETING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Please sign the Friendship Register

MISSION STATEMENT MOMENT...Missions Ministry..... Heather Tomasello

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

The earth is the Lord's, for he made it:

Come, let us adore him.

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness:

Come, let us adore him.

The mercy of the Lord is everlasting:

Come, let us adore him.

Lord, open our lips.

And our mouths shall proclaim your praise.

† OPENING SONG Worthy Is the Lamb

Thank you for the cross, Lord. Thank you for the price you paid. Bearing all my sin and shame, in love you came, and gave amazing grace.

Thank you for this love, Lord. Thank you for the nail-pierced hands. Washed me in your cleansing flow, now all I know, your forgiveness and embrace.

Chorus

Worthy is the Lamb, seated on the throne. Crown you now with many crowns! You reign victorious, high and lifted up, Jesus, Son of God, sent from heaven, crucified. Worthy is the Lamb, Worthy is the Lamb

Repeat from the top

Chorus

Ending

Worthy is the Lamb, Worthy is the Lamb.

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† PRAYER OF INVOCATION

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

You asked for my hands, that you might use them for your purpose. I gave them for a moment, then withdrew them, for the work was hard. You asked for my mouth to speak out against injustice. I gave you a whisper that I might not be accused. You asked for my eyes to see the pain of poverty. I closed them, for I did not want to see. You asked for my life, that you might work through me. I gave a small part, that I might not get too involved. Lord, forgive my calculated efforts to serve you— only when it is convenient for me to do so, only in those places where it is safe to do so, and only with those who make it easy to do so. Father, forgive me, renew me, send me out as a usable instrument, that I might take seriously the meaning of your cross. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS..... Based on Romans 8:15-17

You did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, “Abba! Father!” it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ.

SONG OF RESPONSECome Thou Fount Kids of the King

GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH..... WSC 36..... Hymnal page 872

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

1 Samuel 1:4-20..... Page 225

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALM..... Psalm 101 (vvs. 1-6)..... Trinity Psalter

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 13:1-8 Page 849

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

OFFERINGGeneral Fund
Please place Friendship Registration form in Offering Plate.

OFFERTORY SONG..... He Loved Me..... Women’s Trio
Caroline Coffey
Brooke Stinnett
Christine Todd

† PREPARATORY SONGLet Your Heart Be Broken

Let your heart be broken for a world in need: feed the mouths that hunger, soothe the wounds that bleed, give the cup of water and the loaf of bread—be the hands of Jesus, serving in his stead.

Here on earth applying principles of love, visible expression—God still rules above—living illustration of the Living Word to the minds of all who’ve never seen or heard.

Blest to be a blessing, privileged to care, challenged by the need apparent everywhere. Where mankind is wanting, fill the vacant place; be the means through which the Lord reveals his grace.

Let your heart be tender and your vision clear; see mankind as God sees, serve him far and near. Let your heart be broken by a brother’s pain; share your rich resources, give and give again.

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

SCRIPTUREJames 3:13-18Page 857

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON..... Wisdom from Above.....Mr. James Nichols

Sermon Notes

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG..... How Great Is Our God

The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty; let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice. He wraps himself in light, and darkness tries to hide, and trembles at his voice, and trembles at his voice.

Chorus
How great is our God! Sing with me: how great is our God! And all will see how great, how great is our God!

And age to age he stands, and time is in his hands; beginning and the end, beginning and the end. The Godhead, three in one, Father, Spirit, Son, the Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

Chorus 3x
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† BENEDICTION

† MEET AND GREET CAFÉ

†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!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Treasurer’s Corner			
General Fund Income & Expense			
Two Months Ended September 30, 2012			
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
General Fund Giving	\$ 69,729	\$ 71,532	\$ 1,803
Other Income (Interest, Rent, etc.)	\$ 1,766	\$ 323	\$ (1,443)
General Fund Expenses	\$ 71,495	\$ 62,969	\$ (8,526)
Ahead (Behind)	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 8,886</u>	<u>\$ 8,886</u>
Missions Fund			
Goal		\$ 43,000	
Total pledged for 2012-2013		\$ 40,145	
Funds received 3/1/2012-9/30/2012		\$ 24,137	
By His Grace, For His Glory			
Goal		\$ 450,000	
Total pledged		\$ 282,714	
Funds received through 9/30/2012		\$ 53,460	
(Unaudited figures -- for internal use only.)			

Our Memory Verse for the Month

Live the New Life

Hebrews 10: 24-25

And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

Hebrews 10:24-25

Fellowship

November *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table

END-OF-YEAR GIVING

The Session is recommending that if anyone in our church family has extra funds (perhaps from an end-of-year bonus) and would like to make an additional contribution to the church that it go to our *By His Grace, For His Glory* Capital Stewardship Campaign (for the addition of six new rooms).

TODAY, 5:00 P.M.

ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER AND SERVICE

This is a wonderful time for our church family. We bring our favorite holiday dishes, and all are invited to share some of the ways that God has blessed them throughout the year.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

MEMORIAL POINSETTIAS ORDER DEADLINE

This is the deadline to submit your order for a poinsettia. You can to honor a person/organization and brighten the church from December 2 till you take them home Christmas Eve. The dedication list will appear in the bulletin for the Christmas Eve Service. Use the order form in the Friendship Register. Fill it out and put it in the offering plate with \$7.00 per plant. Write “*Poinsettia*” on the check or envelope.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 8:00 A.M.

MEN’S BREAKFAST

Hot, delicious breakfast for only \$8.00 (collected at the breakfast). The message will be by James Nichols. Come enjoy and