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TODAY, 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 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" CONCERT
The Music Ministry of TBPC presents the gift of a Christmas Concert to our church family and friends. Come, bring friends and family to enjoy all the choirs and other special music as we celebrate the Christmas season with an evening of music. Invitations are in today's bulletin and in the narthex.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22

PHOS YOUTH GROUP CAROLING
Everyone is welcome to join our youth as they visit some of our members and shut-ins in the community to sing favorite Christmas carols. For more information,

Petitions

Health

Melissa Harding, daughter of **Bob and Dale Moore** (recovery from a stroke); **Becky Jordan** (recovery from head injury); **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).

Loss

Rick and Linda Hallstrand as they grieve the death of Rick's mother, Marge Hallstrand on December 3.

Pregnancy

Trina Jeffries (girl) January
Meredith Plunkett January
Aislinn Meyer June

contact Anna Barber (813-857-3469).

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 7:00 P.M.

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE
Please use the invitation card in the Friendship Register, or in the narthex, to invite friends and family to participate in our *Candlelight Service of Lessons and Carols*. If you can help by bringing a hospitality platter of cheese, fruit, veggies, or sweets to share, please write "CE" on your Friendship Register form and the item you will bring. Please bring them 30 minutes before the start of the service.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 7:45-9:00 A.M.

LAMP DISCIPLESHIP CERTIFICATE PROGRAM
LAMP Seminary has certified Tampa Bay Presbyterian as a site for its Discipleship Certificate Program. The initial Certificate Program will focus on training men to train others in the congregation via this course in Biblical discipleship. For more information, see the brochure in the narthex, or contact Pastor Freddy (813-973-2484).

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
Rick Donaldson
Bob Guest
Jonathan Massie
Bob McQueen (Chairman)

Missionaries

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

Missionaries (cont.)

Ken & Tammy MatlackMTW
Ross & Aislinn Meyer..... Wycliffe
Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas Wycliffe
Rene & Lilli Palacio.....SIM
Carla StevensMTW
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. Kirkpatrick/Aldrich Group
Christmas Party
7:00 p.m. PHOS Youth Christmas Party
Tuesday:
10:00 a.m. MemoryMornings!
7:00 p.m. NTCA Board Meeting
Wednesday:
6:15 p.m. Dare to Declare Choir Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. Kids of the King Choir Rehearsal
7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal
Thursday:
7:00 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting
Friday:
6:30 p.m. Church Leadership Christmas Party
Saturday:
7:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study

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, December 9, 2012 10:30 a.m.
Second Sunday of Advent

Today's Worship Leaders: Freddy Fritz and Jim Aldrich

Worship Service

† Please stand as you are able

GATHERING SONG*Mary's Magnificat*
Please greet those around you as you take your seats, and then join in the singing

My soul will magnify the Lord; I rejoice in God my Savior, in the wonder of his favor. For he has done great things for me; he was mindful of his servant. Every age shall call me blessed. The Hope of Abraham come in the giving of a Son; for he who promised is mighty in remembering his mercy.

My soul will magnify the Lord for his grace to those who fear him through every generation. The proud He scatters to the wind as the ruler's strength is broken, and the rich are left with nothing. The humble lifted high, and the hungry satisfied; our Portion and our Treasure, our Hope and Help forever.

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Please sign the Friendship Register

MISSION STATEMENT MOMENT..... Children's MinistryEileen Fritz

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP.....based on Isaiah 11:6

We light this candle as a sign of the coming light of Christ.

Advent means coming. We are preparing for the full coming of God's kingdom:

The wolf shall live with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the lion and the fatling together, and a little child shall lead them.

† OPENING SONGThe Advent of Our God

The Advent of our God with eager hearts we greet; and we must praise him in this hour with hymns and anthems sweet.

All glory to the Son, who comes to set us free; with Father, Spirit ever one, through all eternity.

Text: Johannes D. Falk, stanza 1; unknown, stanza 3; translated by Henry Katterjohn. Music: Tattersall's Psalmody 1794. O SANCTISSIMA

† PRAYER OF INVOCATION

This Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table
Bill and Nora Jeffries
Greeters
Rick and Deborah Donaldson
Ushers
Earl Myers, Betty Pothoven, Alan Polasky, Jeff Chapman, and Roger Kaiser
Children's Church
Linda Childers, Melissa Nichols, and Jessica Hunter
Nursery
Eric and Luana Isaac, and Wicke Egbert
Deacon on Duty
Bob Guest

Next Week's Volunteers

Welcome Table
Brian and Alisa Carrier
Greeters
Autar Kaw and Lilly Porter
Ushers
Javier Lugo, Martine Extermann, Luke Egbert, Colin Jensen, and Jonathan Massie
Children's Church
Linda Childers, Melissa Nichols, and Jessica Hunter
Nursery
Bill & Jo Campbell
Deacon on Duty
Jonathan Massie

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord God, our lives are filled with sin. We forget our neighbor's needs and do not love you above all else. We need a Savior. Help us to be ready for Jesus in our own hearts. O come, O come, Savior of the world. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS Based on Isaiah 40:1-2

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Your sins are pardoned. The penalty is paid. Thanks be to God.

† SONG OF RESPONSE We All Bow Down

Princes and paupers, sons and daughters, kneel at the throne of grace. Losers and winners, saints and sinners, one day will see His face.

Chorus

And we all bow down; kings will surrender their crowns and worship Jesus, he is the love, unfailing love, he is the love of God.

Summer and winter, the mountains and rivers, whisper the Savior's name. Awesome and holy, a friend to the lonely, forever His love will reign.

Chorus

Bridge

He is the light of the world and Lord of the cross.

And we'll all bow down; kings will surrender their crowns and worship Jesus. And worship Jesus. And we'll worship Jesus. He is the love, unfailing love, he is the love of God.

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GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH WSC 22 Hymnal page 871

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Malachi 3:1-4 Page 802

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† SONG Away in a Manger Hymnal 205

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 1:3-1 Page 980

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 Debi Hensley

PREPARATORY SONG Panis Angelicus Soloist: Brooke Stinnett

Flute: Lauren Fritz

Piano: Millie Myers

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

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 5:1-21 Page 974

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON The Baptism and the Fullness of the Holy Spirit Rev. Bill Welzien

Sermon Notes

† CLOSING SONG O Come, All Ye Faithful Hymnal 208

† 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			
Three Months Ended October 31, 2012			
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
General Fund Giving	\$ 104,593	\$ 97,873	\$ (6,720)
Other Income (Interest, Rent, etc.)	\$ 2,650	\$ 2,936	\$ 286
General Fund Expenses	\$ 107,243	\$ 102,834	\$ (4,409)
Ahead (Behind)	\$ 0	\$ (2,024)	\$ (2,024)
Missions Fund			
Goal		\$ 43,000	
Total pledged for 2012-2013		\$ 40,145	
Funds received 3/1/2012-10/31/2012		\$ 26,589	
By His Grace, For His Glory			
Goal		\$ 450,000	
Total pledged		\$ 282,714	
Funds received through 10/31/2012		\$ 57,945	

(Unaudited figures -- for internal use only.)

Our Memory Verse for the Month

Live the New Life

Matthew 4:19

And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."

Matthew 4:19

Witnessing

December *Trumpet* available at the Welcome Table.

TODAY

We welcome today's preacher, Rev. Bill Welzien, father of Bett Correa and Julie Welzien, and pastor of Keys Orthodox Presbyterian Church, Key West, Florida.

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 to the building of six new rooms). Please note: the IRS rule is that checks have to be written/dated in December, before the end of the year. Checks received by mail must be postmarked in December to be claimed as