

by their parents. Teach us to open our hearts and our homes to all your children. Forgive us when we are negligent and uncaring for those who are elderly, for those who are forgotten in nursing homes, who merely exist in their old age, who cannot afford medical care, who suffer from a careless society. Teach us to open our hearts, to open our homes and churches, to visit the lonely, to bring your love into their lives on this earth. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Based on Hebrews 10:10;  
Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A 66

We have been made holy through the sacrifice of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. This is God’s gospel promise: to forgive our sins and give us eternal life by grace alone because of Christ’s one sacrifice finished on the cross.

SONG OF RESPONSE

By His Wounds

**He was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our sins. The punishment that brought us peace was upon him. And by his wounds, by his wounds we are healed.**

**He was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our sins. The punishment that brought us peace was upon him. And by his wounds; by his wounds we are healed.**

Chorus:

*We are healed by your sacrifice in the life that you gave. We are healed for you paid the price, by your grace we are saved. We are saved.*

**He was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our sins. The punishment that brought us peace was upon him. And by his wounds; by his wounds we are healed.**

Chorus

**He was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our sins. The punishment that brought us peace was upon him. And by his wounds; by his wounds we are healed.**

**What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.**

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### GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles’ Creed  
Trinity Hymnal 845

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Hosea 1  
Page 751

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

† PSALM

Psalm 3  
Trinity Psalter  
(Children Age 3 through Grade 2 dismissed to Children’s Church)

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 15:35-58  
Page 961

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

We Give Thee But Thine Own  
Trinity Hymnal 432

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

2 Timothy 2:1-7  
Page 995

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

A Good Soldier of Christ Jesus  
Rev. Freddy Fritz

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

### GOD COMMUNES WITH US

† SONG

Not What My Hands Have Done  
Trinity Hymnal 461

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Grape juice (in grape-colored cups) in outer ring of tray; wine (clear-colored cups) in inner rings of tray.

### GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG

The Old Rugged Cross

**On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross, the emblem of suff’ring and shame; and I love that old cross, where the dearest and best for a world of lost sinners was slain.**

Chorus:

*So I'll cherish the old rugged cross, till my trophies at last I lay down. I will cling to the old rugged cross, and exchange it some day for a crown.*

**O that old rugged cross, so despised by the world, has a wondrous attraction for me; for the dear Lamb of God left His glory above to bear it to dark Calvary.**

Chorus

**In the old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine, a wondrous beauty I see; for 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died to pardon and sanctify me.**

Chorus

**To the old rugged cross, I will ever be true; it's shame and reproach gladly bear. Then He'll call me some day to my home far away, where His glory forever I'll share.**

Chorus

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† BENEDICTION

† OFFERING

Benevolence Fund

† DISMISSAL SONG

Threefold Amen  
Trinity Hymnal 740

Children, ages 3 to Fifth 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 11:45 a.m. (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 and the "Meet & Greet Café". 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. All songs reprinted with permission. CCLI License #264182.

**Visitors: Please visit the Welcome Center in the narthex for information about the church and a free booklet.**

### Announcements:

Treasurer’s Corner			
as of 08/28/22			
Fiscal YTD	Actual	Budget	Variance
<b>General Fund</b>	\$30,317.60	\$32,970.10	(\$2,652.50)
Giving General fund fiscal year is August 1 to July 31			
<b>Missions Fund</b>	\$28,511.59	\$24,666.25	\$3,845.34
Giving Missions Fund fiscal year is March 1 to February 28			
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

September Trumpet is available in the narthex.

CHURCH RETREAT

Join us at Lakewood Retreat on October 7-9 for “The Great Treasure Hunt.” Pastor Scott Simmons will lead the sessions based on Proverbs 2:1-5. We will dig deeper in God’s Word, enjoy fellowship, and enjoy lots of fun activities. Please see the insert in today’s bulletin for more details and for the registration form. Please register by September 18. Questions? Contact Ashleigh Kemp (kempash@gmail.com).

TODAY

THE LORD’S SUPPER

We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper today 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.

CHILDREN’S CHURCH

Children ages 3 through 2nd grade will be dismissed for Children’s Church during the singing of the Psalm and then will return to their parents during the song following the sermon. All children in grades 3 – 5 will remain in the service.

**5:00 P.M.: YOUTH GROUP**

All youth (6<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grade) are encouraged to join us in the Youth Room. We will eat dinner, have fun, and study the Bible and learn how it applies to our lives together.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10**

9:30 A.M.: THE WORKSHOP MINISTRY

All are welcome to come and help make jump ropes from the t-shirts that were donated (Thank you!). No experience needed! The jump ropes will be placed in the Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. Please write “**TWM**” on your Welcome Card if you plan to attend.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11**

**6:00 P.M.: EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE**

Join us for an evening Worship service the second Sunday of each month. Our current sermon series is "A Prophet for Today." Childcare will be available.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**

**12:30 P.M.: BRUNCH BUNCH**

Please join the Brunch Bunch for lunch at Beef O Brady's (27315 St Rd 54). Please write "BB" on your Welcome Card or RSVP to Alisa Carrier by Friday, September 16 (jastod9291@yahoo.com or 813-600-0209) if you would like to attend.

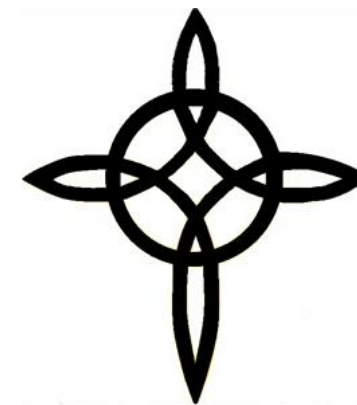
**SERMON NOTES:**

**Welcome**

We are glad you are worshipping with us today. Please sign the Welcome Card located in the holder on the back of each chair. Also, let us know how we can pray for you by filling out the prayer request section of the card, and placing it in the offering plate, or handing it to an usher. Check the box "Include in Intercessor" to have your prayer included in our prayer newsletter, which will be available at the Welcome Center and online.

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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.



**Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church**

Sunday, September 4, 2022 at 10:45 a.m.  
Today's Worship Leader: Freddy Fritz

**Morning 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 86:8-10

There is none like you, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours. All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name. For you are great and do wondrous things, you alone are God.

† OPENING SONG Now Thank We All Our God  
Trinity Hymnal 98

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

**GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN**

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Gracious Father, the God of life, teach us ever more to respect and love all the lives you create. Forgive us our lack of concern and love for those who are yet unborn, who are born with impairments, who are rejected**

**Staff**

Pastor .....Rev. Freddy Fritz  
Assistant Pastor .....Rev. Scott Simmons  
Office Administrator .....Melissa Bayley  
NTCA Director .....Ashleigh Kemp  
Custodian .....Patricia Harshfield  
Nursery .....Abigail Vincent  
Bookkeeper .....Bob Morrison  
Music Director & Pianist .....Yanet Ortiz  
Office Assistant .....LeeAnn DeStefano  
Youth Leaders .....Bert Barber  
Children's Ministry .....Vacant  
Intern .....Jason Knecht

**Session**

Todd Bayley  
Freddy Fritz (Moderator)  
Ed Jordan (Clerk of Session)  
Scott Simmons  
Rich Thompson

Bert Barber (Emeritus)  
Joe Kirkpatrick (Emeritus)  
Ken Pothoven (Emeritus)

**Diaconate**

David Cross (Chairman, Secretary)  
Jonathan Massie (Treasurer)

**Missionaries**

Nathaniel & Cherita Adawonu .....NHMI  
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Chaplain James Cochell .....PRCC  
Peter & Lauren Dishman .....RUF/MTW  
Esaie & Natacha Etienne .....MTW  
Susan Newkirk .....MTW  
Aldo & Abigail Mondin .....RUF/USF  
Ken & Tammy Matlack .....MTW  
Rene & Lilli Palacio .....SIM  
Carla Stevens .....MTW  
John & Karen Stodghill .....MTW

**Meeting Times**

**Today:**

8:30 a.m. Worship Choir & Praise Team Rehearsal  
9:15 a.m. Children's Sunday School  
Youth Sunday School  
Adult Bible Fellowship: Jordan and Thompson  
Leadership Class Introduction  
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service  
12:30 p.m. Welcome Lunch  
5:00 p.m. Youth Group

**Monday: Labor Day (Church Offices Closed)**

**Tuesday:**

7:00 p.m. ESL Beginner Class (Zoom)  
7:30 p.m. Missions Team Meeting

**Wednesday:**

10:00 a.m. ESL Intermediate Class  
5:30 p.m. ESL Intermediate Class (Zoom)  
7:00 p.m. Worship Choir & Praise Team Rehearsal

**Thursday:**

10:00 a.m. ESL Beginner Class (Zoom)  
ESL Advanced Class  
10:30 a.m. ESL Beginner Class  
6:00 p.m. Session & Diaconate Meeting

**Friday:**

10:00 a.m. ESL Intermediate Class

**Saturday:**

7:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study  
Men's Discipleship  
9:30 a.m. The Workshop Ministry

**Sunday:**

8:30 a.m. Worship Choir & Praise Team Rehearsal  
9:15 a.m. Children's Sunday School  
Youth Sunday School  
Adult Bible Fellowship: Bayley, Jordan, and Thompson  
Leadership Class  
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service  
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Service

**Ministry Teams**

<b>Membership</b> Brunch Bunch Hospitality Nursery The Workshop Ministry Prayer	<b>Maturity</b> Adult Bible Fellowship Children's Ministry Men's Bible Study Men's Ministry Women's Bible Study Women's Ministry Youth	<b>Ministry</b> Ministry Deployment	<b>Magnification</b> Worship Service Music Ministry Greeters Ushers
<b>Missions</b> Church Planting Missions Committee NTCA			

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<p><b>This Week's Volunteers</b></p> <p><b>Welcome Center</b> Edward &amp; Diane Rothfuss</p> <p><b>Ushers</b> Jennifer Schumm, Tom Moore, and David Lehmann</p> <p><b>Children's Church</b> Rachel Contrata and Stephanie Smoot</p> <p><b>Nursery</b> Chris and Ashley Powe</p> <p><b>Sound Board</b> Alan Wyss and LeeAnn DeStefano</p>	<p><b>Next Week's Volunteers</b></p> <p><b>Welcome Center</b> Peter Rotolo &amp; Laura Rotolo</p> <p><b>Ushers</b> Martine Extermann, Richard Hunter, and Barb Hess</p> <p><b>Children's Church</b> Rachel Contrata, Stephanie Smoot, Andrew Otero, and David Otero</p> <p><b>Nursery</b> Abigail Vincent &amp; Carey Springer</p> <p><b>Sound Board</b> Jack Diaz, Cathi Diaz, and Anthony Contrata</p>
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