

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

God, you placed us in the world to be its salt. We are afraid of committing ourselves, afraid of being stained by the world. We do not want to hear what “they” might have to say, and our salt dissolves as if in water.

Forgive us, Jesus.

God, you placed us in the world to be its light. We are afraid of the shadows, afraid of poverty. We do not want to know other people’s struggles, and our light slowly fades away.

Forgive us, Jesus.

God, you placed us in the world to live in community. Thus you taught us to love, to share in life, to struggle for bread and justice, your truth incarnate in our life. So be it, Jesus. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

May the God of mercy, who forgives you all your sins, strengthen you in all goodness, and, by the power of the Holy Spirit, keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

SONG OF RESPONSE

Hear the Call of the Kingdom

Hear the call of the kingdom, lift your eyes to the King; let His song rise within you as a fragrant offering of how God, rich in mercy, came in Christ to redeem all who trust in His unfailing grace.

Hear the call of the kingdom to be children of light with the mercy of heaven the humility of Christ; walking justly before Him, loving all that is right, that the life of Christ may shine through us.

Chorus:

King of heaven, we will answer the call. We will follow, bringing hope to the world, filled with passion, filled with power to proclaim Salvation in Jesus' name.

Hear the call of the kingdom to reach out to the lost with the Father's compassion In the wonder of the cross, bringing peace and forgiveness, and a hope yet to come: Let the nations put their trust in Him.

Chorus

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GOD CONSECRATES US BY HIS WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Confession of faith 1.4

Trinity Hymnal 848

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Hosea 3-4

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This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

† PSALM

Psalm 67

Trinity Psalter

(Children Age 3 through Grade 5 dismissed to Children’s Church)

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 1:1-11

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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

Think About His Love with The Love of God

Worship Choir

† SCRIPTURE TEXT

Micah 7:8-20

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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

Unshakeable Hope

Rev. Scott Simmons

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GOD COMMISSIONS US TO SERVICE

† CLOSING SONG

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Trinity Hymnal 522

† BENEDICTION

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

Announcements:

Treasurer’s Corner as of 09/11/22

Fiscal YTD	Actual	Budget	Variance
General Fund	\$48,378.72	\$46,158.13	\$2,220.59
Giving General fund fiscal year is August 1 to July 31			
Missions Fund	\$30,015.59	\$26,566.25	\$3,449.34
Giving Missions Fund fiscal year is March 1 to February 28			
(Unaudited figures —for internal use only.)			

September Trumpet is available in the narthex.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD COLLECTION PERIOD

Throughout the month of October, we will collect items to pack in the shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Gift tags for items needed will be available in the narthex beginning Sunday, Sept. 25.

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. Today is the last day to register. Questions? Contact Ashleigh Kemp (kempash@gmail.com).

TODAY

12:30 P.M.: BRUNCH BUNCH

Please join the Brunch Bunch for lunch at Beef O Brady’s (27315 St. Rd. 54). Please see Jennifer Schumm if you would like to attend.

5:00 P.M.: YOUTH GROUP

All youth (6th–12th grade) are invited 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.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

Dr. Stephen Clark will preach. He was born in Jamaica and studied in England and the United States. He is married to Olivia, and they have three children and five grandchildren (all girls!). He is a pastor-scholar. He currently resides in Safety Harbor, FL, and is engaged in a ministry of writing, teaching, and preaching. Dr. Clark’s recent book “As Good As It Gets” will be available at the Welcome Center for purchase for \$20. It is a commentary on the Song of Songs written in the form of a daily study and devotional. It was named book of the month by World Magazine.

12:15 P.M.: OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD VOLUNTEER MEETING

If you are interested in helping to prep for the packing party or being a part of the prayer team, this is the meeting for you! We will meet in the Youth Room after church! Questions? Please contact Kristine Wyss (kristine_wyss@yahoo.com or 615-642-9968).

SATURDAY, NOV 12

3:00 P.M.: OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD PACKING PARTY!

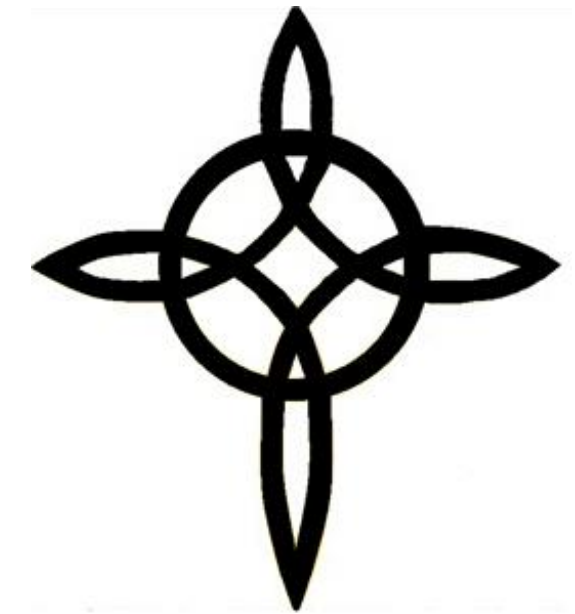
Save the date! More info coming soon!

Welcome

We are glad you are worshiping 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.

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.



Tampa Bay Presbyterian Church

Sunday, September 18, 2022 at 10:45 a.m.
Today's Worship Leader: Scott Simmons

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 95:1-2

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.

† OPENING SONG

A Mighty Fortress is Our God
Trinity Hymnal 92

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

Staff

PastorRev. Freddy Fritz
Assistant PastorRev. Scott Simmons
Office AdministratorMelissa Bayley
NTCA DirectorAshleigh Kemp
CustodianPatricia Harshfield
NurseryAbigail Vincent
BookkeeperBob Morrison
Music Director & PianistYanet Ortiz
Office AssistantLeeAnn DeStefano
Youth LeadersBert Barber
Children's MinistryVacant
InternJason 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 AdawonuNHMI
Chaplain Michael BridgesVeterans' Hospital
Peter & Lauren DishmanRUF/MTW
Esaie & Natacha EtienneMTW
Susan NewkirkMTW
Aldo & Abigail MondinRUF/USF
Ken & Tammy MatlackMTW
Rene & Lilli PalacioSIM
Carla StevensMTW
John & Karen StodghillMTW

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 Fellowships: Bayley (Room 4),
Jordan (Room 20), and Thompson (Room 8)
Leadership Class Introduction
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service
12:30 p.m. Brunch Bunch
5:00 p.m. Youth Group

Monday:

6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study (Zoom)

Tuesday:

10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study
7:00 p.m. ESL Beginner Class (Zoom)

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

5:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study

Friday:

10:00 a.m. ESL Intermediate Class

Saturday:

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

Men's Discipleship

Sunday:

8:30 a.m. Worship Choir & Praise Team Rehearsal

9:15 a.m. Children's Sunday School

Youth Sunday School

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Leadership Class

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

12:15 p.m. Operation Christmas Child Meeting

Ministry Teams

Membership

Brunch Bunch
Hospitality
Nursery
The Workshop Ministry
Prayer

Maturity

Adult Bible Fellowship
Children's Ministry
Men's Bible Study
Men's Ministry
Women's Bible Study
Women's Ministry
Youth

Ministry

Ministry Deployment

Missions

Church Planting
Missions Committee
NTCA

Magnification

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This Week's Volunteers

Welcome Center

Rod & Andrea Proctor
Ushers
Jack Diaz and Derk Shultz

Children's Church

Ashleigh Kemp, Deborah Osibodu,
Clydia Craig, and Daniel Kemp

Nursery

Jill Otero and Brandi Shultz

Sound Board

Nathan Vincent
and LeeAnn DeStefano

Next Week's Volunteers

Welcome Center

Alan Polasky, Joanne Carter
Ushers
Alan Polasky, Edwin Rothfuss,
and Diane Rothfuss

Children's Church

Ashleigh Kemp, Deborah Osibodu,
Clydia Craig, and Daniel Kemp

Nursery

Debbie Jordan & Jennifer Isaac

Sound Board

Anthony Contrata
and LeeAnn DeStefano