

Chapel by the Sea
Presbyterian Church (USA)
8th Sunday after Pentecost
July 10, 2016



Chapel by the Sea was the first church on our island and remains a church for the community, welcoming all people seeking to know and serve Christ. We are a mission for Jesus Christ and church for all seasons...

...seasons of life

...seasons of the year

...seasons of our growth as Christians

A WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

TOLLING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Choral Prelude

J.S. Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dr. Adkison

Peace be with you

And also with you

Let us praise the Lord!

The Lord's name be praised!

**HYMN #379*

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

SOLID ROCK

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

Elise Missall, Liturgist

Our Father in Heaven, you know us from the beginning. You see in us more good and beauty than we have dared to believe. You beckon us to do more than we have dared to try. Forever you call our names. But we have filled our ears with the sounds of the world; we have timidly spoken of your great love; we have doubted the gifts hidden within each of us.

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy and forgive us.

Searcher of hearts, shine your forgiving light into our hesitancy, and embolden us to live with such joy that all the world may know of your love. Let it be so. Amen.

GOOD NEWS OF FORGIVENESS

As far as the east is from the west, so have our sins been separated from us.

My friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel and be at peace.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Amen!

(Please rise and let us sing)

**GLORIA PATRI*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,

World without end. A – men, A – men.

CHILDREN'S SERMON & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Dr. Adkison

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE GIVING OF OFFERINGS

To God On High

Mendelssohn

**DOXOLOGY*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A-men.**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Elise Missall, Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Philippians 3:12-14

Dr. Adkison

May these words of my mouth and
this meditation of my heart
be pleasing in your sight,
LORD, my Rock and my Redeemer.
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

“Forgetting and Remembering”

Dr. Adkison

ANTHEM

Dona Nobis Pacem (From the 16th Century)
Chancel Choir

Hal Hopson

PASTORAL PRAYER

Dr. Adkison

**HYMN #339*

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE

**BENEDICTION*

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE*

Go Now In Peace

**POSTLUDE*

Arrival of the Queen of Sheba

G.F. Handel

The flowers today are given by Robert Liston in loving memory of his wife Lois.

**Denotes standing, if able.*

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Weekly Announcements

Step Up and Do Your Part, July 12 and July 26, 2016 — Adult falls continue to be a leading cause of injury and death in Lee County. The numbers are staggering; one out of three seniors fall each year, 20 percent of those who fall are hospitalized, and 50 percent of those who are hospitalized pass away within a year. “Falls are both unintentional and preventable,” says Mark Tesoro, Injury Prevention Educator/Analyst for Trauma Services at Lee Memorial Health System. “Through education, risk assessment and free health care screenings, we continue to raise awareness of preventive measures that can keep seniors safe.” To help the community learn ways to help improve balance and prevent falls the Trauma Center and Chapel by the Sea are hosting a falls prevention health event that is free and open to the public and includes a “*Step WiseLee*” presentation on Tuesday, July 12 and a brief, individual balance screening on Tuesday, July 26. Both classes run from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Chapel campus in Silver Hall. *Please email the Chapel Office at denise@chapelbts.org to register to attend as space is limited.* The “*Step WiseLee*” initiative began in Sept. 2009 to unite local health care agencies, residents, family and friends to collaborate in preventing falls and fall-related injuries and deaths in Lee County. For a more detailed checklist on how you can help prevent falls and fall-related injuries and deaths, visit www.stepwiselee.com. For more information call Ann Fossum at (239) 463-3173 Ext. 13 or email Ann@chapelbts.org

SIS (Sister’s In Spirit) — SIS stands for “Sisters In Spirit” and is a group of women here at Chapel who meet once a month. All women are welcome to join! This month SIS will meet for lunch on Tuesday, July 12 at the Yucatan restaurant at 11:30 a.m. Please fill out the Communication Card at Worship Service, or call Nancy Combs at (239) 233-8630 if you are going so we know how many reservations to make.

Operation Christmas Child Reminder — The Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Mission Project officially begins Sunday, August 14. “Whoever receives one little child in My Name receives Me.” Matthew 18:5

Solomon’s Porch Theological Reading Group, Adult Study and Discussion — We have started a new session of our Solomon’s Porch Theological Reading Group. The book is called *The Celtic Way of Evangelism: How Christianity Can Reach the West...AGAIN*, by George G. Hunter III. We will meet on Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. here at Chapel in Silver Hall in the Session Room. The cost of the book is \$14.00. All are welcome to join!

July 12: Chapter 4, “The Celtic Christian Community in Formation and Mission”

July 19: Chapter 5, “How Celtic Christianity Communicated the Gospel”

July 26: Chapter 6, “The Missionary Perspective of Celtic Christianity”

August 2: Chapter 7, “The Relevance of First-Millennium Celtic Christianity for Third-Millennium Western Christianity”

August 9: Chapter 8, “The Celtic Future of the Christian Movement in the West”

Immokalee Soup Kitchen —Chapel will volunteer at the Immokalee Soup Kitchen the fourth Friday of each month. The bus leaves Chapel at 9:30 a.m. and returns at 3:30 p.m. The sign-up sheet for the “Friday Soup Kitchen” is located on the left wall through the double-doors in Silver Hall.

Aging To Perfection Program — Strengthening Healthy Lifestyles program for older adults. Three 90-minute sessions will be offered on August 1, 8, 15. Community Cooperative presents the Aging to Perfection Program. This program empowers older adults by enhancing their problem-solving skills and the ability to manage difficult situations. It is designed to connect people and resources with innovative ideas and strategies to live a healthy lifestyle as we age. The 3-session interactive program, is in partnership with The Hanley Center and Chapel by the Sea. Each session will begin at 10:00 a.m. and end by 11:30 a.m. and will take place at Chapel by the Sea (in Silver Hall) on Ft. Myers Beach. For more information call Ann Fossum (239) 463-3173 ext. 13 or email Ann at ann@chapelbts.org. To register email Denise at denise@chapelbts.org or call the church office at (239) 463-3173.

Monday, August 1: Factors that put people at risk and the factors that can protect them. Participants will receive stress balls and ponchos.

Monday, August 8: Relationship building with your doctor and how to improve it, as well as the importance of your pharmacist as a resource. Participants will receive doctor note cards and medicine cards.

August 15: The importance of rituals and traditions, why we need them and how they change over the course of our lives. Participants will receive a canvas shopping bag.

The program is FREE and OPEN to the public.

The Chapel Cats — The Chapel Cats are looking for additional singers to join. If you enjoy singing “Praise and Worship” songs, give our Music Director, Michael Melnikov a call at (239) 331-5301. We are also looking to expand the number of instruments played in this group.

Help Us Bring Scouting Back! — We need your help to reboot our Cub Scout Pack. Scouting is a program that makes a difference in a young boy’s life. You can help a young boy grow into a man with morals, values, and life skills. Volunteer positions range from Cubmaster to committee member with some working directly with the boys and others more behind the scenes. If you are interested to get involved, please contact Holly Tribble at holly@chapelbts.org or call at (239) 463-3173. Thank you!

Help Needed — We are still searching for help in our nursery on Sunday mornings during church. Please help us out by volunteering for one or two Sundays a month. Contact Miffie Greer at miffieg@gmail.com.

Calling All Knitters & Crocheters! — Do you Knit, Crochet, or Sew? All are welcome to join the Sew N Sews on Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Patterns and yarn are available and we greatly welcome donations of yarn in any color. In addition to the prayer shawls, we are still sewing pillow case dresses and shorts for our mission outreach programs. Call Nancy Bell at (845) 863-5222.

Become a Member at Chapel! — Looking for a church to call “Home”? Check the Communication Card to become a member and you will be contacted by one of our Elders and/or Pastor Steve.

The Scallop Shell Window at Chapel



Many early pictures of the baptism of Jesus by John show John using a shell to gather water to pour upon the head of Christ. Just as the windows of the sea oats and grape vine remind us of the sacrament of Holy Communion, the window of the scallop shell reminds us of the other sacrament, Holy Baptism. The Scallop Shell Window was given by Mrs. James E. McGhee.

*A Church for the Community,
The History of Chapel by the Sea,
Presbyterian Church USA,
Pittendreigh (2010, p.50)*

Spiritual Commitment

I will support the church

- by attending faithfully
- by living a Christ-like life
- by giving regularly

I will share the responsibility of my church

- by praying for its growth
- by inviting the community to attend
- by warmly welcoming those who visit

I will protect the unity of my church

- by acting in love toward other members and all people
- by refusing to gossip
- by following the leaders

I will serve the church

- by discovering my gifts and talents and using them.
- by developing a servant's heart
- by studying the Bible daily

**The Week at a Glance...for a complete calendar,
Go to www.chapelbts.org**

Sunday, July 10

9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Monday, July 11

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. CERT

Tuesday, July 12

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. “Step WiseLee”, Silver Hall
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Solomon’s Porch

Wednesday, July 13

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. God’s Table Coordinator Meeting
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Soloist Practice
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday, July 14

10:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Sew N Sews

Friday, July 15

No Scheduled Events

Saturday, July 16

No Scheduled Events

Sunday, July 17

9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Worship Service
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Healing Service

***Weekly Community Events**

*AA, Room 5
Mon, Wed, Thurs
7:30 a.m.

*AA, Room 5
Tues 8:00 a.m. and
10:30 a.m. (Women’s
Group)

*AA, Room 5
Tues, 8:00 p.m.

*AA, Room 5
Thurs, 8:00 p.m.

*AA, Room 5
Fri 8:00 p.m.

*AA/ALANON,
Room 5
Mon 8:00 p.m.

*BOSS (Bay Oaks
Social
Seniors)*Bridge,
Silver Hall
Mon 12:30 p.m.
Thurs 12:30 p.m.
Potluck Luncheon first
Wed of the month.

*God’s Table
(Homeless Outreach)
Mon – Fri
7:00 a.m.–8:30 a.m.

*St. Vincent de Paul
Mon and Fri
9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m.

Prayer Guide — July 10, 2016

“Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus” --Philippians 4:6-7

Please pray for...

- Marge Buss
- Kathy McFalls
- Neil Callahan
- Jon Fossum
- Jim Barrow
- Scott Blumenthal & Family
- Jan Semeraro & Family
- Family members of the Ellyatt Family
- Patrick, Kathy & Joe
- Karin, Aunt Dee, Pam & Dotty
- Roger Rhude & Wilma Brown
- Alyssa Lomangine, USN deployed
- Janice Minto
- Joshua Stevens, USN deployed to Bahrain
- Laurie & Craig Furlong
- The Turner Family
- The Dykema Family
- Faith, Gwen & Judy
- Pam
- Kylee and Family
- Tracy M.
- Wayman Brown
- Anita Adkison
- The Adkison Family

Ushers: Louis & Lynda Monaco, Elise Missall

Greeters: Randy & Bev Belger

Staff: The Rev. Dr. Stephen D. Adkison, Pastor/Head of Staff (skypilot_mddiv@hotmail.com)

Michael Melnikov, Director of Music/Organist

Ann Fossum, Parish Nurse (ann@chapelbts.org)

Denise Armstrong, Office Administrator

Holly Tribble, Administrative Assistant

John Rotach, Facilities Manager

Jose Ramos, Sexton

The Rev. Don Jafvert, Pastor Emeritus

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