

Chapel by the Sea
Presbyterian Church (USA)
6th Sunday of Easter
May 21, 2017



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

Dr. Adkison

PRELUDE

Prelude in C

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 #302*

I Danced in the Morning

SIMPLE GIFTS

CALL TO RENEWAL (I John 1:8-9)

Marylu Marshall, Liturgist

"If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

Let us confess our sins to God and to one another....

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

Marylu Marshall, 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

Marylu Marshall, Liturgist

As far as the east is from the west, so have our sins been separated from us. Friends, believe the Gospel and be at peace.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Amen!

**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

Dr. Adkison

PRAYER OF BLESSING & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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

Meditation

G.B Pergolesi

**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

Marylu Marshall, Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 11:19-26

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

“Be Like Barnabas”

Dr. Adkison

ANTHEM

Thy Word
Chancel Choir

Michael Smith

PASTORAL PRAYER

Dr. Adkison

**HYMN #280*

Amazing Grace

AMAZING GRACE

**BENEDICTION*

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE*

Go Now In Peace

D. Besig

**POSTLUDE*

Fugue in C

J.S. Bach

**Denotes standing, if able. Copyrights observed through Christian Copyright Licensing International – CCLI # 29921*

The flowers today are given by Cliff & Wanda Hart in celebration of their 61st Wedding Anniversary.

SERMON OUTLINE:

“BE LIKE BARNABAS”

- I. BARNABAS: A GENEROUS GIVER (ACTS 4:36-37)
- II. BARNABAS: A FAITHFUL FRIEND (ACTS 9:26-27)
- III. BARNABAS: A COMMITTED ENCOURAGER (ACTS 11:22-26)
- IV. BARNABAS: A FORGIVING BROTHER (ACTS 15:36-41)

A Service of Healing

A Service of Healing will follow the 10:00 a.m. service at the front of the Sanctuary. This service of prayers for healing reflects our belief that God’s purpose for us all is a life of wholeness for our mind, body, and spirit. The ministry of healing is an integral part of our Christian witness. So, too, our prayers are complementary to the work of medicine and other forms of healing, which are also channels of God’s loving and transforming purpose. All are welcome to share in this ministry to pray for themselves or for another person or situation. There will be an opportunity for those who wish to come forward to share in the laying-on of hands, anointing with oil, and a brief moment to share concerns privately with the Pastor. Our hope is that as a Christian community all who attend will feel God’s acceptance, love, and this will sustain us in our process of healing.

Weekly Announcements

Gladiolus Learning and Development Center (G.L.A.D.) — We are in need of someone to deliver cookies to the Gladiolus Learning and Development Center for the Pre K graduation anytime during the day on Friday, May 26. Call Anita Turner at (239) 357-9883 for more information.

Immokalee Soup Kitchen — Volunteers are needed to help serve hungry farm workers at the Immokalee Soup Kitchen. Chapel volunteers the fourth Friday of each month. The Chapel bus leaves at 9:30 a.m. and returns about 2:45 p.m. The sign-up sheets are posted in Silver Hall. The next outing is May 26.

Sisters In Spirit (SIS) — On Tuesday, June 13 at 11:30 a.m. SIS will enjoy lunch at Gulf Shore Grill. Both men and women are invited. Hope to see you there! Call Nancy Combs for more information at (239) 233-8630.

Home Health Care — Join us On Tuesday, June 13 at 9:30 a.m. in Silver Hall. Learn how to maintain your independence in your own home. Cathy Brady, RN, BS Director of Clinical Operations of Home Health Services for Lee Health will explain the details of home health care, telehealth monitoring at home and free lifeline services. RSVP to chapelbts.org or (239) 463-3173 ext.20. or fill out the Communication Card in the Sunday Bulletin.

Flowers — To have flowers displayed at the Sunday Worship Service and noted in the weekly bulletin & newsletter, please fill out a card in the Church Office and the chart on the bulletin board, or call (239) 463-3173.

Sew N Sews — Sew N Sews is open to all women. We meet every Thursday, from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Contact Rexann Hosafros at (239) 463-7227 for more information.

Music — Make beautiful music to worship and honor God? Join the Choir, Handbells or and/or the Chapel Cats at Chapel. Call Lois Doggett at (239) 463-5583, Nancy Combs at (239) 233-8630 for more information.

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.

Classes at Chapel by the Sea

Solomon's Porch Theological Reading Group, Adult Study and Discussion —Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. here at Chapel in Silver Hall in the Session Room. The book is called Windows on the World of Jesus Time Travel to Ancient Judea by Bruce J. Malina. All are welcome to attend the class. The book is free.

Children's Church & Nursery — All children are welcome to join our Children's Church and Nursery on Sunday morning at the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

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, May 21

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Soloist Rehearsal
 9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
 11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Healing Service
 11:15 a.m. Discipleship and fellowship

Monday, May 22

12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Bridge

Tuesday, May 23

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Solomon's Porch
 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Stated Session Meeting

Wednesday, May 24

12:00 p.m. Soloist Rehearsal
 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday, May 25

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Sew N Sews
 12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Bridge

Friday, May 26

9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Immokalee Soup Kitchen

Saturday, May 27

No Scheduled Events

Sunday, May 28

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Soloist Rehearsal
 9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Monday, May 29

OFFICE CLOSED
 Memorial Day

***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)
 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 9:00 a.m.–
 10:00 a.m.

Prayer Guide — May 21, 2017

“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...

- Nancy Hennenberger
- Maddie DeFrancesco
- Laura & Lynda
- Bob and Barbara
- Tommy VanOyen
- Stacey Cline
- Nancy Roberts
- Aubrey
- Don Breese
- Jody and Jack
- Those suffering from addiction
- Drew Smith
- Wilma Brown
- Steve Glaub
- Sharon Davis
- O’Doherty Family
- Jeff Bechtel & Family
- Jim Zimmerman
- Art Rollins & Family
- Mary Jo Jacobs
- Bob Nunn
- Roger Welton
- Ethan Biter
- Rose Martin
- Drew Filchak
- Paula, Kaylie, Mike & Janice
- LaCombe Children & Grandchildren
- Elizabeth Paige
- Bill & Carl Furry
- Louis Jibben
- Vann Turner
- Robert Simmons
- Susan Leone
- Anne Goetz
- Joan & Jack Steelsmith
- Janie Ravencroft
- RJ
- Anna Goetz
- Priscilla Wonkka
- Tim, Randy, & Paul
- Paula Lemieux
- Our Country and President
- Phyllis Koehler
- Laura Moccio
- Donna O’Flynn
- Pam Cox
- Cookie Wimmer
- Steve and Robin
- Norman Silvernail
- Bri
- Eric Petric
- Wilma Brown
- Ilene Walker
- Kirk Salvage, USAF
- Alyssa Lomangino, USN
- Laurie & Craig Furlong
- Karin, Lindsey, Joanie
- The Klein Family
- Ted & Bobbie
- Julie and Cam Folan
- Joshua Stevens, USN, state-side
- Tomas Masi & fellow soldiers
- Unspoken
- Kylee and Family
- Bobby & Anita Adkison
- The Adkison Family

Please pray for the family of Emma Ward Kolpek, who passed away on May 10, 2017.

Ushers: Jan Kitchen, Dave Pohl, Ginny Young, Bob Young
Greeters: Charlotte Fergus and Emily Porter
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
*Chapel Phone (239) 463-3173 *chapel@chapelbts.org *www.chapelbts.org