

Chapel by the Sea
Presbyterian Church (USA)
11th Sunday after Pentecost
August 20, 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

Majesty

J. Hayford

CALL TO WORSHIP

Our hearts are hard, O God –

Soften them with your love.

Our hands are clenched, O God –

Open them with your grace.

Our feet are planted too firmly, O God –

Invite us to walk with you.

Our lives are not our own, we know –

Let us live and move and have our being in you, O God. Amen.

**HYMN #482*

Praise Ye the Lord, Almighty

LOBE DEN HERREN

CALL TO RENEWAL

Beth Cherry, Liturgist

And so we live our lives imperfectly, for we are flawed. But we are also loved by the God in whose image we were created. Let us remake ourselves toward that image as we make our confession before God and each other.

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

Beth Cherry, Liturgist

Holy Lord, God of life, hear our prayer:

Forgive us when we follow those paths that do not lead to life,

That lead instead to violence, or hate, or fear,

Paths that lead to dread and death.

Forgive us when we forget that you offer us life,

Life that is abundant and eternal,

Life that began at the creation of all things.

Forgive us, turn us to the right path,

and let your love and grace flow over us and the world.

We pray in Jesus' name and for his sake. Amen.

GOOD NEWS OF FORGIVENESS

Beth Cherry, Liturgist

Friends, hear the Good News: the mercy of God is from everlasting to everlasting. Let us proclaim the Good News:

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia! 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.**

OFFERTORY

I Must Tell Jesus with Blessed Assurance

M. McDonald

Duet: Landon & Lois Doggett

**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

Beth Cherry, Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:1-2; I Corinthians 2:6-16

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

“Study”

Dr. Adkison

Sermon Series on the Spiritual Disciplines

ANTHEM

Glorify Your Name
Chancel Choir

L. Dean Bye

*HYMN #263

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

ST. DENIO

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go Now In Peace

D. Besig

*POSTLUDE

Postludium in C Minor

J. S. Bach

*Denotes standing, if able.

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Did you know that the PCUSA set aside this Sunday to celebrate the gifts of young Presbyterians?

In the midst of a beautiful and broken world, we have a vision for ministry with young people that unites youth in Christ with all other generations and proclaims the love of God without end. This vision gives us hope for a Church that:

- Is authentic, made up of communities of faith that live what they proclaim;
- Participates in, and pays witness to, the lively, joyful reality of the grace of God for the whole world;
- Helps young people to understand what it means to be saved by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, so that they will, as God does, view all people with love and possibility;
- Expresses God's boundless love by embracing young people as they are, where they are, and where they could be, inspiring them to share their ideas, dreams and unique gifts with the world and the church;
- Acknowledges and celebrates youth as the keepers of God's world, capable of serving as agents of healing, friends to the friendless, and leaders along the path of Jesus;
- Encourages young people to live and lead with humility, but also with confidence and joy;
- Accepts that it may be changed, even re-made, through the power of the Spirit and by youth's energy, freshness and vitality.

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

Immokalee Soup Kitchen — Chapel members will volunteer at the Immokalee Soup Kitchen on Friday, August 25th. The Chapel bus leaves at 9:30 a.m., returns about 2:45 p.m. The sign-up sheets are posted in Silver Hall.

Labor Day Luncheon — Join us Sunday, September 3, following Worship and Communion Services for our Labor Day Weekend Picnic. We will gather in Silver Hall to celebrate and share food, fellowship and watermelon seed-spitting fun! All are welcome!

Parking Volunteers Needed — Chapel will open its overflow parking lot to beach goers over the Labor Day weekend, starting Saturday, September 2, 2017. We need parking attendants to help over the 3-day period. Contact Ed Milde at (239) 322-7828 if you are available to help:
Saturday, September 2 from 10:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 3 from 12:00 p.m. — 4:00 p.m.
Monday September 4 from 9:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. for the first shift and
12:00 p.m. — 4:00 p.m. for the second shift. Parking attendant t-shirts will be available when you arrive on your selected day.

Cub Scouts — The new season of Cub Scouts will start on September 6, 2017. The group meets every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at Chapel by the Sea in Silver Hall. If you know of any children who would like to join or have questions, contact Ed Milde, Chapel member and Cub Scout Liaison, at (239) 322-7828. Spread the word and bring a friend.

Solomon's Porch Theological Reading Group, Adult Study and Discussion — Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. at Chapel in Silver Hall in the Session Room. We are reading The Gospel of Mary Magdalene, with commentary.

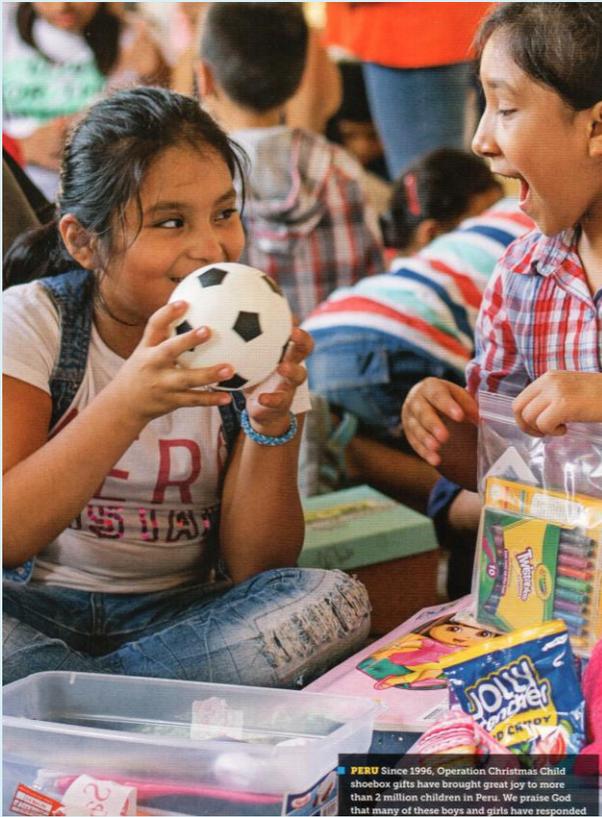
Children's Church — All children are welcome to join our Children's Church and Nursery on Sunday mornings at the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

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.

Music — Make beautiful music to worship and honor God! Join the Choir, Handbells and/or the Chapel Cats at Chapel. Call Lois Doggett at (239) 463-5583 or 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.

Operation Christmas Child



PERU Since 1996, Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts have brought great joy to more than 2 million children in Peru. We praise God that many of these boys and girls have responded

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What toys will you put in your shoebox? So many choices ...stuffed animals, dolls, Legos, toy binoculars, harmonicas, jump ropes, small games, yoyos, cars – the list goes on and on. Playdough is okay, however some of the children might think it is edible. Balls ... tennis balls, whiffle balls, soccer balls, bouncy balls. There are some that have the map of the world imprinted on them. Do not choose ones that have liquid glitter inside. Brightly colored squirt guns are acceptable, just so they don’t look like real guns. Glow sticks are okay.

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, August 20

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.	Healing Service

Monday, August 21

8:00 a.m.	Finance Committee
12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Bridge

Tuesday, August 22

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

Wednesday, August 23

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

Thursday, August 24

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

Friday, August 25

9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Immokalee Soup Kitchen
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Saturday, August 26

No Scheduled Events

Sunday, August 27

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

***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.

***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 — August 20, 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...

- Tag Bridges
- Carol Boney
- Olivia Weil
- Judith McMasters
- Jessie Oatman
- Tim Vandlen
- Bob and Dave
- Shelly Hinrichs
- Hedwig Family
- Steve Glaub
- Jade Pierce
- Mary Lou Ellyatt
- Mary Beth & Family
- Dan Lambert
- Diane Wilson
- Terry B.
- Vivian W. & Family
- Clergy of All Faiths
- Vicki Vogt
- Vicki Dennis
- Kelli Leary
- Barbara Wickell
- Kelly & the Bynum Family
- Rose Martin
- Elizabeth Barber
- Aubrey
- Susan Leone
- Nancy Hennenberger
- Those suffering from addiction
- Drew Filchak
- LaCombe Children & Grandchildren
- Elizabeth Paige
- Our Country & President
- Laura Moccio
- Bri
- Eric Petric
- Wilma Brown
- Eileen Walker
- Kirk Salvage, USAF
- Alyssa Lomangino, USN
- Laurie & Craig Furlong
- Karin and Bill
- The Klein Family
- Ted & Bobbie
- Julie and Cam Folan
- Joshua Stevens, USN, state-side
- Tomas Masi & fellow soldiers
- Unspoken
- Kylee & Family
- Bobby & Anita Adkison
- The Adkison Family

Please pray for the family of Ebba (Bea) Buckley who passed away on Saturday, August 12th.

Ushers: Patsy Cater, Nick & Linda Dundee and Kathy Smith

Greeters: Jan Kitchen & David Pohl

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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