

*Chapel by the Sea  
Presbyterian Church (USA)  
6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany  
February 13, 2022*



*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*

*PRELUDE*                      *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*                      William Shrubsole  
The Chapel Bells

*WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS*    Rev. Jim Berger

*SING ALONG*                      *Drop Kick Me Jesus through the Goal Post of Life*  
Dr. Jim Berger, Guitar  
Dr. Wojciech Wojtasiewicz, Piano

*MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP – PROPERTY*    Steve Fisher

## *CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 1)*

M: Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked,  
or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers;

**C: But their delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law  
they meditate day and night.**

M: They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit  
in its season, and their leaves do not wither. In all that they do,  
they prosper.

**C: The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.  
For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of  
the wicked will perish.**

**1** Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise.

**2** Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;  
Thy justice, like mountains, high soaring above  
Thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

**3** To all, life Thou givest, to both great and small;  
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all;  
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,  
And wither and perish; but naught changeth Thee.

**4** Thou reignest in glory, Thou rulest in light,  
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight;  
All praise we would render; O help us to see  
'Tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee!

<sup>29</sup>Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. <sup>30</sup>When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. <sup>31</sup>But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. <sup>32</sup>Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. <sup>33</sup>When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; <sup>34</sup>but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, <sup>35</sup>the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION***

**Almighty God, we confess that we ignore your command, and try to do things our own way. Forgive our disobedience. Renew our love for you, and make us into holy people in service to you. Use us to make your kingdom real in your world today. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***DECLARATION OF PARDON***

Rev. Berger

***\*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.**

*\*THE APOSTLES' CREED*

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the  
Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day  
he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth on  
the right hand of God the Father almighty; from thence he shall come  
to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church, the communion  
of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the  
life everlasting. Amen.**

*OFFERING MESSAGE*

*OFFERTORY*

*Time of Reflection*  
Dr. Wojciech Wojtasiewicz, Piano

*\*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.**

*INTERCESSORY PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER*

Rev. Berger

**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.**

**3**<sup>17</sup> Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. **18** And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

**4**<sup>1</sup> Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. <sup>2</sup> We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

**ANTHEM**

*Time of Meditation*  
Dr. Wojciech Wojtasiewicz

**GOSPEL LESSON****Matthew 5:1-12 (NRSV)**

Rev. Berger

<sup>1</sup> When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. <sup>2</sup> Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup> "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup> "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

<sup>5</sup> "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup> "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

7.“Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

8.“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

9.“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

10.“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

11.“Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

*SERMON*

*“Blessed are the Peacemakers”*

Rev. Berger

\**HYMN #368*

*I’ve Got Peace Like a River*

AFRICAN-AMERICAN SPIRITUAL

**1** I’ve got peace like a river,  
I’ve got peace like a river,  
I’ve got peace like a river in-a my soul.

**2** I’ve got joy like a fountain,  
I’ve got joy like a fountain,  
I’ve got joy like a fountain in-a my soul.

**3** I’ve got love like an ocean,  
I’ve got love like an ocean,  
I’ve got love like an ocean in-a my soul.

*\*BENEDICTION*

Rev. Berger

*\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE*

*Go Now In Peace*

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**Go Now In Peace, Never Be Afraid.  
God Will Go With You, Each Hour Of Every Day.  
Go Now In Faith, Steadfast, Strong And True.  
Know He Will Guide You In All You Do.  
Go Now In Love, And Show You Believe.  
Reach Out To Others, So All The World Can See.  
God Will Be There, Watching From Above.  
Go Now In Peace, In Faith, And In Love.  
Amen, Amen, Amen.**

*POSTLUDE*

*Inspirational Music*  
Dr. Wojciech Wojtasiewicz

Please join us for coffee, pastry and fellowship in Silver Hall.

\*Denotes standing, if able.

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## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Bible Study with Dr. Jim** –Join us each Tuesday morning, from 10:30 – 11:15 a.m. in the Session Room, Silver Hall. The next series “*The Bible for Dummies*” will begin January 11 through March 15.

If you are unable to come in-person, join us on ZOOM. To participate enter the zoom link into your internet browser, then, use the passcode to enter the bible study room.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81584091814>

Passcode: 409614

If you miss a session, you can always watch a recording on one of our viewing platforms.

**Worship & Music Committee Meeting** – Joins us Monday, February 14 at 9:30 am in the Session Room of Silver Hall. All are welcome. There are many opportunities to serve your community. Please note for this monthly only we are meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of February.

**Concert** – Chapel will host “*Some Enchanted Evening*” with Douglas Renfroe and Kelly Utterback on Thursday, February 17, at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Doug, baritone, will perform a selection of Broadway tunes, accompanied by Kelly on the piano. Advanced tickets \$15; at the door, \$20. A “*Meet & Greet*” reception will follow in Silver Hall. Cash wine bar will be available.

### Giving Opportunities

1. Place donation in offering plate
2. Text: CHAPELFMB \$amount to 73256  
(Example: CHAPELFMB 50 – this represents a \$50 donation)
3. Online: Go to Chapel’s website [www.chapelbts.org](http://www.chapelbts.org)
4. Mail in donation

If have any questions, please call the church office (239) 463-3173.

We’ll be happy to help.

**Communication Cards** – Please take a moment to fill out the communication card you receive with your bulletin. Let us know if you need prayers or a visit or leave a comment on how we are doing. On the back of the card, there is a list of opportunities for you to participate in a Sunday Worship Service. We welcome fresh faces and always need seasoned veterans.

**Floral Dedications** – Order a floral arrangement for a Sunday Worship Service to honor a life-cycle event, to mark a special anniversary, or to remember a loved one. Each arrangement is \$25. Stop by the church office to let us know how you would like to the acknowledgement worded.

**Photo Directory** – Chapel now has a **Photo Directory**, which is accessible on our website ([www.chapelbts.org](http://www.chapelbts.org)). During *Sunday Coffee Hour*, a staff or committee member will be available to take a family photo. Even if you are not planning to stay for coffee hour, please stop by long enough for us to take your picture. Each week, the photos will be upload to the website for all to view.

**Session Members:**

Diane Means, Clerk of Session

Cassie Conrad	Laura Miller
Steve Fisher	Emily Porter
Jack Garner	Jennifer Pinkard
Stephen Light	Ron Willow
Tom Means	

**Board of Deacons:**

Lois Doggett, Liaison to Session

Doretta Coon	Louis Monaco
Linda Dundee	Marylu Marshall
Lynda Hicks	Bob Taylor

**Community Offerings**

**AA**, Room 5/6  
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m.

**AA**, Room 5/6  
Monday 8:00 p.m.

**AL-ANON**, Room 1  
Monday, 8:00 p.m.

**AA**, Room 5/6  
Tuesday 8:00 p.m.

**God's Table Outreach**  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
Monday, 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

## Prayer Guide – February 13, 2022

*“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...

- Pastor Reid
- Peggy Huff
- Pam Buccafori
- Aida Sanchez
- Jerry
- Marcia Barth
- Katie Barth
- John Vandyke
- Beckett & Baby Caskey
- Christine Bellport
- Maurice Warren & Family
- Henry Sidok
- Michael M.
- Kathy Gialanella
- Rev. Denise Bell
- Terri Bortz
- Lana DiSanto
- Nancy Smith
- Chandler Cisall
- Douglas Tovonsend
- Toni Carter
- Amy and Family
- John Jackson
- Tucker Maute
- Shawn Ravenscroft
- Hal Freeburn
- Melanie Freeburn
- Kenrick Beaman
- Mary Lou Dietz
- Will Jacobs
- Jean Clark
- Tony, Sue, Jessica & Danielle
- Maris & Richard Edwards
- Trixie
- Richard Filiak
- Linda Banks
- Marshall Linke
- Peter Pollack
- Linda M.
- Stella, Sam, Elli
- Diane Willow
- Roger Johnson
- Mary Beth Quam
- Maryetta & Randy Rhude
- Charles R. Lee
- The Cusano Family
- Michael Kerr
- Friedel Family
- Trevor Cox, US Navy
- Diane Means
- Richard Rodgers
- John & Julianna Beal
- Nancy Bryant George
- Sheila Simpson
- Jessica Holmes
- Jim & Lorri Marshall
- Bill & Sandy Peters
- Bill Figgins
- Coen Holmes & Family
- Vann Turner
- Bill Mouw
- Cheryl Bredin
- The Bob Horning Family
- Drew Vandlen
- Jim Silvernail
- Joy Booth
- Maria Werner
- Josh Stevens, USN
- Craig & Laurie Furlong
- Bob & Ginny Lemire
- Kathy Frazee
- Linda Hinrichs
- Brad & Pam Cox
- Greg Beller
- Lauren & Marilyn Kamm
- Jarrod Karnes
- Katie Spyke
- Haas Family
- Jay Dishnow
- Unspoken

### Staff:

Rev. Dr. James R. Berger, Interim Pastor and Head of Staff

Dr Wojciech Wojtasiewicz, Director of Music/Organist

Denise Armstrong, Office Administrator

Paul Champa, Sexton

The Rev. Don Jafvert, Pastor Emeritus

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