

Morning Worship Service 9:00 a.m.
June 19, 2011
First Sunday After Pentecost

*Please adjust all electronic communication devices so as not to disrupt the service.
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Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

He Hideth My Soul - arr. Schram

Let us quiet our hearts before the Lord.

Call to Worship

Psalm 100

- Leader: Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.
- People: **Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.**
- Leader: Know that the LORD is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.
- People: **Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.**
- ALL: **For the LORD is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations.**

**** Glorifying God in Song**
Rejoice, the Lord is King
Hymn #310

**** The Invocation**

**** The Apostles' Creed**

“I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.”

The First Scripture Lesson

¹ After the death of Moses the servant of the LORD, the LORD said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: ² “Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites. ³ I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses. ⁴ Your territory will extend from the desert to Lebanon, and from the great river, the Euphrates—all the Hittite country—to the Great Sea on the west. ⁵ No one will be able to stand up against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. ⁶ “Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their forefathers to give them. ⁷ Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. ⁸ Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. ⁹ Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.”

¹⁶ Then they answered Joshua, “Whatever you have commanded us we will do, and wherever you send us we will go. ¹⁷ Just as we fully obeyed Moses, so we will obey you. Only may the LORD your God be with you as he was with Moses. ¹⁸ Whoever rebels against your word and does not obey your words, whatever you may command them, will be put to death. Only be strong and courageous!”

Joshua 1:1-9; 16-18

Leader: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

The Confession of Our Sins

Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

- A prayer attributed to St. Francis

Assurance of Pardon

The Second Scripture Lesson

³⁶ While they were still talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.” ³⁷ They were startled and frightened, thinking they saw a ghost. ³⁸ He said to them, “Why are you troubled, and why do doubts rise in your minds? ³⁹ Look at my hands and my feet. It is I myself! Touch me and see; a ghost does not have flesh and bones, as you see I have.” ⁴⁰ When he had said this, he showed them his hands and feet. ⁴¹ And while they still did not believe it because of joy and amazement, he asked them, “Do you have anything here to eat?” ⁴² They gave him a piece of broiled fish, ⁴³ and he took it and ate it in their presence. ⁴⁴ He said to them, “This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms.” ⁴⁵ Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures. ⁴⁶ He told them, “This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, ⁴⁷ and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. ⁴⁸ You are witnesses of these things. ⁴⁹ I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.”

Luke 24:36-49

Leader: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

Pastoral Prayer & 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 Anthem

Be Still, for the Presence of the Lord - Evans/arr. Shephard

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here;

Come, bow before him now, with reverence and fear.

In him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground;

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around;

He burns with holy fire, with splendor he is crowned.

How awesome is the sight, our radiant King of light!

Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place;

He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace.

No work too hard for him, in faith receive from him;

Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place

The Third Scripture Lesson

¹⁰ You, however, know all about my teaching, my way of life, my purpose, faith, patience, love, endurance, ¹¹ persecutions, sufferings—what kinds of things happened to me in Antioch, Iconium and Lystra, the persecutions I endured. Yet the Lord rescued me from all of them. ¹² In fact, everyone who wants to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, ¹³ while evil men and impostors will go from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived. ¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, ¹⁵ and how from infancy you have known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

II Timothy 3:10-17

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

**** Offertory Hymn**

Holy God, We Praise Your Name

Hymn #103

**** Offertory Statement & Prayer of Dedication**

²² David said to him, “Let me have the site of your threshing floor so I can build an altar to the LORD, that the plague on the people may be stopped. Sell it to me at the full price.” ²³ Araunah said to David, “Take it! Let my lord the king do whatever pleases him. Look, I will give the oxen for the burnt offerings, the threshing sledges for the wood, and the wheat for the grain offering. I will give all this.” ²⁴ But King David replied to Araunah, “No, I insist on paying the full price. I will not take for the LORD what is yours, or sacrifice a burnt offering that costs me nothing.”

I Chronicles 21:22-24

The Offertory
Andante Cantabile - Wieniawski

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TO INDICATE YOUR ATTENDANCE.*

**** The Doxology**

(Hymn # 731)

Children K4 – K5 may be dismissed to Children's Church.

The Message
Rev. John K. Keen
Senior Pastor

**** Glorifying God in Song**
Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah
Hymn #598

**** Benediction**

Postlude

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah - arr. Bruce Greer

*** All who are able, please stand*

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Welcome to Our Visitors

We welcome you in the name of Christ! You can find more information about us on our website at www.seminolepca.org. For questions or to share a prayer concern, call the office at 774-3881, ext. 700 or email us at: church@seminolepca.org.

Emergency Contact Number For Fridays

If you have any urgent or emergency needs on Fridays, please feel free to contact Ruling Elder Chip Johnson at (813) 857-3915.

Deacons' Mercy Line (813) 774-3881, Ext. 744

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance, please call this church phone extension; a deacon generally checks the line daily.

SPC Family Matters



VBS Alerts!

VBS set-up is today!! Please meet in the Sanctuary at 1 p.m. to be assigned to a team. If you are acting in the skits during VBS week, you will have rehearsal at that time. ALL other VBS staff, please plan to attend as we will have a brief orientation and training meeting once decorating is finished.

Parents, if your child is signed up for VBS, remember to drop him/her off at the sanctuary between 8:50 and 9:00 a.m.

The VBS Closing Program will be held this Friday, June 24th at 7 p.m. All are welcome as the students present the songs and lessons they learned during the week. Dessert and fellowship will follow in the Snyder Building.

...which means we are also looking for a few sweets and treats! If you would be willing to bring a dessert for our closing program, please contact Kelly Fernandez at 813.969.3610.

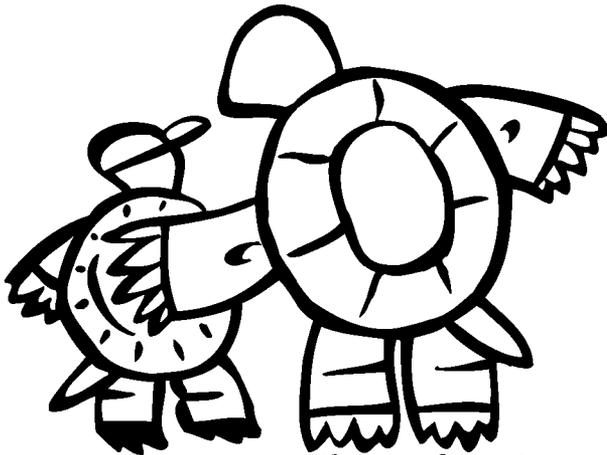


Bay St. Louis Mission Team Report, June 26 – Our team has just returned from Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. Want to find out what they did there? Then join us during the Sunday School hour next week, June 26, for a full team report. (**Please note that all normal middle/high school youth and adult Sunday School classes will be suspended. Children's Sunday School classes will continue as normally scheduled.)

College Summer Bible Study!



Jeff Lee, Reformed University Fellowship (RUF) minister for USF, is hosting a summer bible study in his home for all college students, and/or, career age young adults. Jeff is an excellent teacher, and he will be focusing on the parables and miracles of Jesus Christ as recorded for us throughout the gospels. This bible study will meet each Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm in Jeff's home (121 Ridgedale Road, Temple Terrace, FL 33617). The study is open to all college students, graduate students, and any young adult in the college or career age range (i.e. 18 and up). Additionally, the study is designed for those who will begin their college or university career in the fall, as well as all college students who will be at home in Tampa during the summer break. Come and enjoy a great night of bible study and fellowship each Tuesday evening! Feel free to notify Jeff Lee directly (via email or phone) for more details and information. In addition to his home address (above), Jeff's contact information is as follows: 813-767-9063; Jeff.lee@ruf.org; www.usf.ruf.org.



Happy Father's Day

**Student
Ministry**



Upcoming Excursions

June 29 - Disney Quest (10:00 am-11:00 pm)

Cost: \$25

Registration is now closed for this event. For those that are signed up, please remember the following:

- Required: \$25 and a notarized Med/Release form
- Bring: a sack lunch and money for dinner (\$12-20)

July 6 - Service Project: Metropolitan Ministries (9am-3pm)

Cost: Free

We desire to generate an outward focused faith by serving a local Tampa ministry. This is a great opportunity to “demonstrate and declare” Christ’s love to those who live in our hometown! Last summer we spent a week serving at Metropolitan Ministries and it was incredible! Come join us as we spend nearly one full day serving this powerful and effective ministry to the poor in Tampa Bay. What to wear: long pants, closed-toe shoes, and a shirt with sleeves.

- **Sign-up with Mr. Servy Fernandez (813-961-6660) no later than Sunday July 3**
- Meet at Metropolitan Ministries: 2010 N. Florida Ave. (drop-off and pick-up) at “The Family Grill”

July 18-22 - Middle School Camp at Kulaqua There is still time to register! If your Middle School child (upcoming 5th graders & outgoing 8th graders included) is interested in attending camp this year, please notify Danny Dalton: 767-7016 or ddalton@seminolepca.org. *Cost per Student:*

Before June 27: \$360.00 (regular)

On/After June 27: \$385.00 (late)



Please note that for youth activities during the summer all students (including invited friends) need to have on file a notarized Med/Release form. These forms can be downloaded from the SPC website (www.seminolepca.org). Click "Ministries" tab, go to "Student Ministries" and download "Medical Release Form."

Prayer Requests & Praise Reports

Prayer/Praise:

- Preston Kneeshaw (tumor/kidney cancer; chemotherapy; blood clots)
- Vacation Bible School, June 20 - 24

Pray for those seeking employment or better employment:

- Elaine Crescent
- Amarnath Boodoosingh
- Amelia Boodoosingh

Pray for our missionaries:

- Don & Judy Vander Ploeg, Wycliffe/JAARS in Papua New Guinea
- Dave Hawes, Navigators – training and development
- Jeff Lee, Reformed University Ministries @ USF

E-mail: prayer-list@lists.seminolepca.org

Christian Education – Adults, Youth, & Children

Class/Grade	Class Teacher(s)	Class Room
Ages 2-3 / Toddlers	Bev Thomson	#115
Ages 4-6 / K4–1 st Grade	Sally Quick & Connie Trim	#109
Ages 7-8 / 2 nd –3 rd Grade	Sarah Zak & Shelia Colbert	#111
Ages 9-10 / 4 th –5 th Grade	Matt & Therese McKenzie	#105
Jr. High / 6 th –8 th Grade	Gregg Quick & Lisa Johnson	#107
Sr. High / 9 th –12 th Grade	Danny Dalton	#101
Adult – Walden Class	Bill Earnest	#108
Adult – The Prophets	Joe DeNitto	Church Office
Adult – New Testament Survey	Steve Strickland	#100/102

Current Adult Classes

Walden Class – Update - Room 108

Teacher: Elder Bill Earnest

Welcome to the Walden class. You are most welcome to join us today as we complete the study of First John chapter 5. For those who have read this small epistle you know chapter 5 is a challenging study. The Apostle's way of putting his point across is difficult for English speaking, modern American Christians to grasp at times. But, not impossible! I have found that the basic way of studying English, meaning, diagramming a sentence, is very helpful in the study of this text. Verse 18 of chapter 5 says: "We know that anyone born of God does not continue to sin, the One who was born of God keeps him safe, and the evil one cannot harm him."

Well, how does that verse fit with what we know about ourselves: "we all sin and fall short of the glory of God?" If we do a little diagramming, put verse 18 in context with the whole, we understand what the Apostle is saying. One finds a wonderful promise, from the Father, through His Son, Jesus Christ. Does this sound like a discussion you want to participate in? Well, as stated above - "Welcome!" Class starts at 10:45 in room 108; see you there!

New Testament Survey – Room 100/102

Teacher: Elder Steve Strickland

Grab your hat and pack your bags because we will spend the summer touring the entire New Testament (NT). Steve Strickland is an excellent guide as we survey all 27 books of the NT. He will help you gain a better understanding of the broader context and major themes of each book. If you have never read the entire NT (or if it's been a while), make it your goal this Summer. You can do it by reading only three chapters a day. (Note: reading the entire NT is not a prerequisite for this class, though it will be highly beneficial.) Join us as we hear God speak to us today through His Word and are challenged in our lives.

Prophets – Church Office

Teacher: Elder Joe DeNitto

Prophets spoke with authority and on behalf of God, and as Deuteronomy 18:21-22 points out, the test of a true prophet was that all of his predictions were to come to pass. This being true, not everything a prophet said was a future prediction. Many times prophets spoke to motivate God's people to repentance and obedience; such messages contain a certain timeliness and timelessness, making the study of this genre very exciting. This class will cover the prophetic books from Isaiah to Malachi. Elder Joe DeNitto will shed light on the diversity of historical settings including Israel's exile by the Assyrians, Judah's exile by the Babylonians, and the period of restoration when the Israelites came back to the land and rebuilt the temple. So, come join Joe in the Church Office for this look at the Prophets of the Bible, particularly their impact and meaning to us, even today.

This Week at SPC ~ June 19 - 25

SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:15 am
Sunday School, 10:45 am

VBS Set up, 1 pm

MONDAY – FRIDAY: VBS, 9am – 12pm

WEDNESDAY: Choir Practice, 7:30 pm

FRIDAY: Seniors' Covenant Group, 10 am

VBS Wrap-up Party, 7pm



June 29: MS/HS Youth Excursion – Disney Quest

June 30: Deacons' Meeting, 7pm



SEMINOLE AT WORK AND WORSHIP

Last Sunday's Attendance: TBA

Last Sunday's Offering: TBA

For if the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what he does not have. 2 Cor. 8:12

Volunteers

Children's Worship Volunteers

	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Helper</u>	<u>Banner Bearer</u>
Today:	Laura Strickland	Rachel Strickland	Kathryn White
Next Week:	Laura Strickland	Amanda Waugh	Julia White
July 3:	Tami Pothoven	Shannon Pothoven	Johnny Hickerson

Children's Church for children in K4/K5 meets in Room 109.

Coffee Volunteers

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Today:	Brian Waugh
Next Week:	Andy Thomson
July 3:	Steve Strickland

June Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays

Grace Gartman 6/5	Joe DeNitto 6/10
Brian Armstrong 6/7	Lucas Lambers 6/14
Mary Beckel 6/7	Marsha Craig 6/15
Emily Strickland 6/9	Kevin Connolly 6/15

Anniversaries

John & Diane Keen 6/2	Steve & Laura Strickland 6/25
Lindsay & Connie Trim 6/4	Rob & Holly Edwards 6/26
Bruno & Randa Gravanti 6/8	Brian & Cathy Armstrong 6/28
Don & Judy Vander Ploeg 6/20	