

Morning Worship Service
April 27, 2014 - 9:00 AM
Second Sunday of Easter

*Please adjust all electronic communication devices so as not to disrupt the service.
If you need to leave the Sanctuary, please use the exits at the back.*

Welcome & Announcements

Silent Reflection

Heidelberg Catechism Questions 89-91

89 Q. What is the dying-away of the old self?

A. It is to be genuinely sorry for sin, to hate it more and more, and to run away from it.

90 Q. What is the coming-to-life of the new self?

A. It is wholehearted joy in God through Christ and a delight to do every kind of good as God wants us to.

91 Q. What are good works?

A. Only those which are done out of true faith, conform to God's law, and are done for God's glory; and not those based on our own opinion or human tradition.

Prelude

Trumpet in Dialogue - Clerambault

Let us quiet our hearts before the Lord.

Call to Worship

Psalm 105:1-4

Leader: Give thanks to the LORD, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done.

People: **Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts.**

Leader: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

All: **Look to the LORD and his strength; seek his face always.**

**** Glorifying God in Song**

All Creatures of Our God and King

Hymn # 115

**** 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 Gloria Patri**

Hymn # 734

The First Scripture Lesson

12 And now, O Israel, what does the LORD your God ask of you but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in all his ways, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, 13 and to observe the LORD's commands and decrees that I am giving you today for your own good? 14 To the LORD your God belong the heavens, even the highest heavens, the earth and everything in it. 15 Yet the LORD set his affection on your forefathers and loved them, and he chose you, their descendants, above all the nations, as it is today. 16 Circumcise your hearts, therefore, and do not be stiff-necked any longer. 17 For the LORD your God is God of gods and Lord of lords, the great God, mighty and awesome, who shows no partiality and accepts no bribes. 18 He defends the cause of the fatherless and the widow, and loves the alien, giving him food and clothing. 19 And you are to love those who are aliens, for you yourselves were aliens in Egypt. 20 Fear the LORD your God and serve him. Hold fast to him and take your oaths in his name. 21 He is your praise; he is your God, who performed for you those great and awesome wonders you saw with your own eyes. 22 Your forefathers who went down into Egypt were seventy in all, and now the LORD your God has made you as numerous as the stars in the sky.

Deuteronomy 10:12-22

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

The Confession of Our Sins

(If you are able, we invite you to kneel so that our outward posture reflects our inward attitude)

“Jesus, for your name sake, do that which your name proclaims. Jesus, pardon the pride that pains you and look upon the unhappy one that calls upon your tender name—name of comfort, name of delight, and to sinners, name of blessed hope. For what does your name mean, Jesus, but Savior? Therefore, for your name's sake, be to me, Jesus, a merciful Savior.” Amen

--Prayer of St. Augustine

Assurance of Pardon

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.”

1 John 1:9

Hymn of Response

No, Not Despairingly Come I to Thee

Hymn # 495

The Second Scripture Lesson

1 Brothers, I could not address you as spiritual but as worldly-- mere infants in Christ. 2 I gave you milk, not solid food, for you were not yet ready for it. Indeed, you are still not ready. 3 You are still worldly. For since there is jealousy and quarreling among you, are you not worldly? Are you not acting like mere men? 4 For when one says, "I follow Paul," and another, "I follow Apollos," are you not mere men?

21 So then, no more boasting about men! All things are yours, 22 whether Paul or Apollos or Cephas or the world or life or death or the present or the future-- all are yours, 23 and you are of Christ, and Christ is of God.

1 Corinthians 3:1-4, 21-23

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.

Anthem

All To Jesus I Surrender - Mark Hill

All to Jesus I surrender, All to Him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust Him, in His presence daily live.
I surrender all, I surrender all, I surrender all to Christ,
My blessed Savior, I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender, make me, Savior, wholly Thine.
Let me see Thy Holy Spirit, truly know that Thou art mine.
I surrender all, I surrender, I surrender all to Christ,
My blessed Savior, I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender, Lord, I give myself to Thee;
Fill me with Thy love and power, Let Thy blessings fall on me.
I surrender all, I surrender all to my Redeemer;
All to Christ, my blessed Savior, I surrender all,
I surrender all to Jesus, I surrender all.

The Third Scripture Lesson

31 "If I testify about myself, my testimony is not valid. 32 There is another who testifies in my favor, and I know that his testimony about me is valid. 33 "You have sent to John and he has testified to the truth. 34 Not that I accept human testimony; but I mention it that you may be saved. 35 John was a lamp that burned and gave light, and you chose for a time to enjoy his light. 36 "I have testimony weightier than that of John. For the very work that the Father has given me to finish, and which I am doing, testifies that the Father has sent me. 37 And the Father who sent me has himself testified concerning me. You have never heard his voice nor seen his form, 38 nor does his word dwell in you, for you do not believe the one he sent. 39 You diligently study the Scriptures because you think that by them you possess eternal life. These are the Scriptures that testify about me, 40 yet you refuse to come to me to have life. 41 "I do not accept praise from men, 42 but I know you. I know that you do not have the love of God in your hearts. 43 I have come in my Father's name, and you do not accept me; but if someone else comes in his own name, you will accept him. 44 How can you believe if you accept praise from one another, yet make no effort to obtain the praise that comes from the only God? 45 "But do not think I will accuse you before the Father. Your accuser is Moses, on whom your hopes are set. 46 If you believed Moses, you would believe me, for he wrote about me. 47 But since you do not believe what he wrote, how are you going to believe what I say?"

John 5:31-47

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

**** Glorifying God in Song**

Arise, My Soul, Arise

Hymn # 305

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

1 At Caesarea there was a man named Cornelius, a centurion in what was known as the Italian Regiment. 2 He and all his family were devout and God-fearing; he gave generously to those in need and prayed to God regularly. 3 One day at about three in the afternoon he had a vision. He distinctly saw an angel of God, who came to him and said, "Cornelius!" 4 Cornelius stared at him in fear. "What is it, Lord?" he asked. The angel answered, "Your prayers and gifts to the poor have come up as a memorial offering before God.

Acts 10:1-4

The Offertory

For the Beauty of the Earth arr. Sanborn

*Please fill out the connection card in the bulletin
to indicate your attendance.*

**** The Doxology**

(Hymn # 731)

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

The Message

*Rev. Daniel Dalton
Associate Pastor*

**** Glorifying God in Song**

Take Time to Be Holy

Hymn # 537

**** Benediction**

Postlude

Moderator - G. F. Handel

** 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.

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



Remember in Prayer

We ask for your continued prayers for Pastor John Keen and deacon, Alex Fernandez as they are in Costa Rica this weekend (April 25-28). The purpose of this trip is to continue developing relationships with the missionaries and the Costa Rican people involved in this vital work of church planting. Pray, not only for safety, but for wisdom and that we may fully live our church vision.

Childcare Provided for Sunday Evening Bible Study

We will be providing childcare for the school-aged children of those wishing to attend the Adult Bible Study led by Brian Waugh. This Bible study (along with our Student Ministry) will meet every Sunday at 5:30 pm through May 25, with the exception of Easter Sunday and Mother's Day.



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CLOTHING DRIVE

Our church has an opportunity to minister to elementary school children and their families who are struggling to meet basic living needs. If you have new or used play clothes in sizes 4T through 16, the children of Palm River Elementary School will be greatly blessed by your donations! A box for these donations will be placed in the Fellowship Hall each Sunday in April and May. If you have any questions, please contact Cathy Armstrong at 951-5049 or e-mail cwatrigirl@gmail.com.

Presbytery Women's Meeting

The Presbytery Women's Ministry (PWM) will meet on **May 13, 2014** at Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church. The meeting will be from **10:00 am – 1:00 pm** with lunch being served at noon. Prior to the meeting, there will be a worship service beginning at 8:30 am open to all who would like to participate.



Attention High School Students

How does God view justice and how are we called to take action for justice? Find this out and more during our Student Leader led 24-hour Justice Experience! Partnering with International Justice Mission, we will learn the goals and basis of IJM's fight against Human Trafficking!

What: A 24-hour lock-in (Featuring: teaching times, games, simulations, and a service project.)

When: 5:00 PM June 8th - 5:00 PM June 9th

Where: Right here at the SPC/SPLC campus

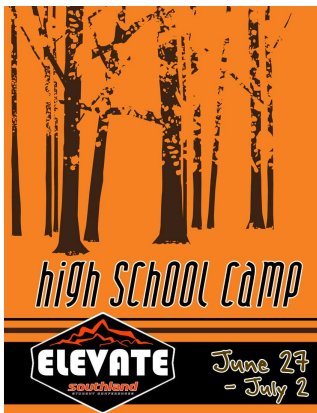
Who: Rising 9th grade students through graduating seniors

Registration: \$20 (due by Sunday April 27th). We are also asking each participant to raise a minimum of \$24 prior to the event (due at the event on June 8th).

***Before the event our participants will also host a Spaghetti Fundraising Lunch. This will be on May 18, 2014.

We are very excited about this event and to get everyone involved with IJM! Hope to see you there!

CAMP INFORMATION



REGISTRATION FLIERS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

***High school early registration deadline is May 18th**

***Middle school early registration deadline is May 25th**

Prayer Requests & Praise Reports

Pray for our missionaries & supported ministries:

- Scott & Kathy Craig, MTW/Short-term Team Coordinators (Costa Rica)
- Costa Rica Mission Project: Birth of a New Presbyterian Church
- Don & Judy Vander Ploeg, Wycliffe/JAARS (Papua New Guinea)
- Dave & Page Hawes, Navigators – training and development nationwide
- Jeff Lee, Reformed University Ministries @ USF
- Joel DeVictoria, Berea Presbyterian Church (Winter Haven)
- Steve Light, Sojourner Presbyterian Church (USF Area)

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 4-5 / K4–K5	Cathy Gartman & Tami Lang	#109
Ages 6-7 / 1 st - 2 nd Grade	Jamie Dalton & Connie Trim	#105
Ages 8-10 / 3 rd –5 th Grade	Kelly Fernandez & Sara Royer	#107
Middle School / 6 th –8 th Grade	Danny Dalton	#101
High School / 9 th –12 th Grade	Randy Johnson & Rainey Hoopes	The Tower
Adult – Walden Class	Jay Fontanini	#108
Adult – Galatians	Joe DeNitto	#102
Adult – Church History: The First 1500 Years	Bryan Toenes	Church Office

This Week at SPC ~ Apr. 27 – May 3

SUNDAY: Morning Worship, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:15 am
Sunday School, 10:45 am
Youth Group, 5:30 pm
Adult Bible Study, 5:30 pm

TUESDAY: Women's Bible Study, 9:30 am

WEDNESDAY: Choir Practice, 7:30 pm

FRIDAY: Senior's Group, 10:00 am



SAVE THE DATE!

June 16 – 20 2014

Vacation Bible School



SEMINOLE AT WORK AND WORSHIP

Last Sunday's Attendance: 164

Last Sunday's Offering: \$6,776.60

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

Greeters / Ordained Officer

	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>
	Andy Thomson	Scott Hickerson
<u>Greeters:</u>	Brian Armstrong	
<u>Ordained Officer:</u>	Bill Cutler	Gregg Quick

Children's Worship Volunteers

	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Helper</u>	<u>Banner Bearer</u>
Today:	Eva White	John McKenzie	Dominic Zak
May 4:	Kelly Fernandez	Abby Johnson	Nora Fernandez
May 11:	Sarah Zak	Keegan Melendi	Marty Zak

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

Coffee Volunteers

Today:	Andy Thomson
May 4:	Larry Dickey
May 11:	Steve Strickland

Nursery Volunteers

Today:	Tami Pothoven
May 4:	Raquel Fernandez
May 11:	Lisa Johnson

WE 
VOLUNTEERS

Fellowship Snacks

<u>Next Week –May 4:</u>	<u>May 11:</u>
Andrea Cawley	Beverly Thomson
Diane Keen	Sheila Colbert
Allene Cawley	Judy Wildeboer
Pam Bergen	Ines Lopez de Lara

April Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays

Ameilia Boodoosingh 4/2
Kendall Melendi 4/5
Ben Lambers 4/6
Holly Edwards 4/7
Nikolas Royer 4/7
AJ Johnson 4/8
Steve Strickland 4/8
Matthew McKenzie 4/13
Bill Cutler 4/14
Donna Waugh 4/16

Ruth Alboth 4/17
John Horst 4/17
Alynn Cawley 4/17
Shannon Pothoven 4/20
Kelly Melendi 4/23
Therese McKenzie 4/23
Christopher Waugh 4/25
Jack Glaze 4/25
Gregg Quick 4/28

Anniversaries

Ken & Susan Smith 4/3
Andy & Kim Thomson 4/6
Brian & Donna Waugh 4/9
Richard & Lois Gainer 4/16
Stan & Judy Wildeboer 4/21



Anniversaries
and Birthdays

SERMON NOTES