

**Morning Worship Service**  
**November 9, 2014 - 9:00 AM**  
**Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost**

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

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Prelude**

*I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say Powell*  
*Let us quiet our hearts before the Lord.*

**Call to Worship**

*Psalm 96:1-4*

**Leader:** Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth.

**People:** **Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.**

**Leader:** Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

**All:** **For great is the LORD and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.**

**\*\* Glorifying God in Song**

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Hymn # 235

## **\*\* 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

*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. Amen, Amen.*

## **The First Scripture Lesson**

1 For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet, till her righteousness shines out like the dawn, her salvation like a blazing torch. 2 The nations will see your righteousness, and all kings your glory; you will be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will bestow. 3 You will be a crown of splendor in the LORD's hand, a royal diadem in the hand of your God. 4 No longer will they call you Deserted, or name your land Desolate. But you will be called Hephzibah, and your land Beulah; for the LORD will take delight in you, and your land will be married. 5 As a young man marries a maiden, so will your sons marry you; as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride, so will your God rejoice over you. 6 I have posted watchmen on your walls, O Jerusalem; they will never be silent day or night. You who call on the LORD, give yourselves no rest, 7 and give him no rest till he establishes Jerusalem and makes her the praise of the earth.

*(Continued...)*

8 The LORD has sworn by his right hand and by his mighty arm: "Never again will I give your grain as food for your enemies, and never again will foreigners drink the new wine for which you have toiled; 9 but those who harvest it will eat it and praise the LORD, and those who gather the grapes will drink it in the courts of my sanctuary." 10 Pass through, pass through the gates! Prepare the way for the people. Build up, build up the highway! Remove the stones. Raise a banner for the nations. 11 The LORD has made proclamation to the ends of the earth: "Say to the Daughter of Zion, 'See, your Savior comes! See, his reward is with him, and his recompense accompanies him.' " 12 They will be called the Holy People, the Redeemed of the LORD; and you will be called Sought After, the City No Longer Deserted.

Isaiah 62

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)*

*"Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; Through Jesus Christ your Son, Amen."*

*Book of Common Worship, John Knox Press, 1993*

## Assurance of Pardon

3 At one time we too were foolish, disobedient, deceived and enslaved by all kinds of passions and pleasures. We lived in malice and envy, being hated and hating one another. 4 But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, 5 he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.

Titus 3:3-5

## **Musical Offering**

*The Lord's My Shepherd* - Irvine/Hustad

### **The Second Scripture Lesson**

16 So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer. 17 Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! 18 All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: 19 that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. 20 We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. 21 God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

2 Corinthians 5:16-21

**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**

### ***How Blessed They***

Johannes Herbst

How blessed they, how blessed they, how blessed they,  
Who from the house of the Lord, come in the name of the Lord.  
How blessed they, how blessed they, who from the house of the Lord,  
From the house of the Lord, How blessed they who come,  
Who come to us in the name of the Lord;  
How blessed they who come in His name.

*Repeat*

## **The Third Scripture Lesson**

33 They said to him, "John's disciples often fast and pray, and so do the disciples of the Pharisees, but yours go on eating and drinking." 34 Jesus answered, "Can you make the guests of the bridegroom fast while he is with them? 35 But the time will come when the bridegroom will be taken from them; in those days they will fast." 36 He told them this parable: "No one tears a patch from a new garment and sews it on an old one. If he does, he will have torn the new garment, and the patch from the new will not match the old. 37 And no one pours new wine into old wineskins. If he does, the new wine will burst the skins, the wine will run out and the wineskins will be ruined. 38 No, new wine must be poured into new wineskins. 39 And no one after drinking old wine wants the new, for he says, 'The old is better.' "

Luke 5:33-39

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

## **\*\* Glorifying God in Song**

We Are God's People

Hymn # 355

## **\*\* Offertory Statement & Prayer of Dedication**

28 Ascribe to the LORD, O families of nations, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength, 29 ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name. Bring an offering and come before him; worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. 30 Tremble before him, all the earth! The world is firmly established; it cannot be moved. 31 Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let them say among the nations, "The LORD reigns!"

1 Chronicles 16:28-31

### **The Offertory**

*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* arr. Mary McDonald

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

### **\*\* The Doxology**

Hymn # 731

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here  
below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy  
Ghost. Amen.*

*Children K4 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grades may be dismissed to Children's  
Church.*

**The Message**  
*Rev. John K. Keen*  
*Senior Pastor*

**\*\* Glorifying God in Song**  
Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!  
Hymn # 498

**\* Benediction**

**Postlude**  
*All Creatures of Our God and King*  
*Lasst Uns Erfreuen/Hustad*

*\*\*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](http://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](mailto: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

### Missions at the Airport – Wycliffe

**TODAY!**

**2pm-5pm**

**Families, come join our students!**

We will depart after Sunday school and carpool together to the Clearwater airport. We will eat at the airport! They will have hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, soda, and some baked goods. All proceeds go to JAARS (the aviation branch of Wycliffe Bible Translators). Please bring some cash for lunch.

Rides will be available for a fee: Airplane (\$22) Helicopter (\$28)

\*Note: Release forms required. Forms are available from Danny upon request.

\*RSVP to Danny Dalton (813) 767-7016 or [ddalton@seminolepca.org](mailto:ddalton@seminolepca.org)

**Clearwater Airport  
1000 N. Hercules Avenue  
Clearwater, FL 33763**

### **Ladies' Game Night!**



There will be a ladies' game night on Thursday, November 13<sup>th</sup> from 7pm-9:30pm. Bring your favorite game and join us for a time of fun and fellowship at the home of Diane Keen (15832 Glenarn Drive, Tampa FL 33618). Ladies with last names beginning with A-H are asked to bring a snack to share



## Thanksgiving Eve Service

Please join us for our annual Thanksgiving Eve Service/Time of Sharing in the Sanctuary on **Wednesday, November 26 beginning at 7:00 PM.**

## Hanging of the Green for Advent

Save the date for **Saturday, November 29 from 9 am to 12 pm** to help set up the Christmas tree for the Advent Season. Men especially are welcome and needed at this event! Do make plans now to join in the decorating fun! See Lisa Johnson for more information.



## Congregational Meeting



Please make plans to attend our annual congregational meeting on **Sunday, December 14, immediately after the morning worship service.** The purpose of this meeting is: 1) present the 2015 Church Budget to the congregation and entertain and address any questions not already answered previously; 2) elect new officers; and, 3) to elect and seat/reseat trustees of the corporation. No other business will be discussed at this meeting (per our *Book of Church Order*).



Ladies,

Plan to join us for a time of relaxation and renewal at our Spring Women's Retreat on February 27-28, 2015. Our guest speaker, Sharon Johnson will be speaking on how to walk in Contentment. Don't miss out on this

precious time to draw closer to the Lord and one another! The cost of the retreat is \$85. (Full/partial scholarships are available if needed.) Extra registration forms are available from the hymnal carts and due back to the church office no later than December 7th. Contact Kelly Fernandez at [\(813\)969-3610](tel:8139693610) or [kellyjfernandez@hotmail.com](mailto:kellyjfernandez@hotmail.com) if you have any questions.

# **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES**

## **Walden Class – Room 108**

*Teacher: Matthew McKenzie*

The Walden Class, which is currently studying the book of Ephesians, offers a combination of Bible study and social interaction, as participants share their lives with one another through prayer requests, praise reports, brief devotionals, and a thirty-minute Bible lesson each Sunday. The class offers a greater degree of flexibility for those desiring to engage in a study of a particular book of the Bible, which may exceed the quarterly limitations of other classes, *e.g. a four or five month study through The Gospel of Matthew or the book of Revelation, etc.* This relaxing pace of the Walden Class allows for a comprehensive study of Sacred Scripture in the context of thoughtful dialog, question and answer, and practical application of God's Word.

## **Christ and Salvation (WCF chapter 8-15) – Room 102**

*Teacher: Ben Lambers*

This is the second of four classes as we study the Westminster Confession of Faith. They do not have to be taken in order. This document is the best summary of what Scripture teaches. Therefore, this class is a great way to get a concise and precise summary of Sacred Scripture, especially pertaining to the person and work of Jesus Christ and how he accomplished salvation for His people. This class covers chapters 8-15, and attendees will be challenged to complete weekly homework. Let us all remember, the goal of teaching theology is maturity, not simply knowledge. Maturity always leads to application of this knowledge to life (from the head to the heart to the hands). Come join us!

## **The Seven Deadly Sins – Church Office**

*Teacher: Joe DeNitto*

Can you name the seven deadly sins? Where did they originate? Are they right out of the Bible, or the 10 commandments? What are the seven lively or cardinal virtues? How can we relate these old ideas to our modern lives and pursue a better examination of conscience? Even if you knew these sins and virtues, how could they help you in your walk with Christ? The Christian faith has been teaching believers to avoid these seven sins, and practice these seven virtues for a long time. Even after the Protestant Reformation, teachings of one form or another about them continued. If you would like to explore this subject further, come join Elder Joe DeNitto for this timeless study.

## Supported Missionaries and Ministries

**Below are missionaries and ministries that SPC supports financially. We encourage you to pray for them and consider supporting them yourself.**

- Scott & Kathy Craig, MTW/Short-term Team Coordinators (Costa Rica), (#11130); Mission to the World, PO Box 116284, Atlanta, GA 30368-6284
- Costa Rica Mission Project: Birth of a New Presbyterian Church, (Project #92760); Mission to the World, PO Box 116284, Atlanta, GA 30368-6284
- Don & Judy Vander Ploeg, Wycliffe/JAARS (Papua New Guinea), (Member Account #222590), Wycliffe Bible Translators, PO Box 628200, Orlando, FL 32862-8200
- Dave & Page Hawes, Navigators – training and development nationwide
- Jeff Lee, Reformed University Ministries @ USF  
Reformed University Ministries, PO Box 890004, Charlotte, NC 28289-0004  
(Please include the name of campus, or individual you would like us to allocate the gift to)
- Steve Light, Sojourner Presbyterian Church (USF Area)  
Sojourner Presbyterian Church, 350 South Hyde Park Avenue,  
Tampa, Florida 33606

## Christian Education – Adults, Youth, & Children

Class/Grade	Class Teacher(s)	Class Room
Ages 2-3 / Toddlers	Bev Thomson	#115
Ages 4-7 / K4/K5 - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Therese McKenzie & Sara Royer	#109
Ages 8-10 / 3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Kelly Fernandez & Gail Chang	#107
Middle School / 6 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Steve Pothoven	#101
High School / 9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Danny Dalton	The Tower
Adult – Walden Class	Matthew McKenzie	#108
Adult – Christ and Salvation	Ben Lambers	#102
Adult – The Seven Deadly Sins	Joe DeNitto	Church Office
Exploring Church Membership	Randy Johnson	#111

**This Week at SPC ~ November 9 – November 15**

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

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

**WEDNESDAY:** Choir Practice, 7:30 pm

**THURSDAY:** Ladies' Game Night, 7:00 pm

**FRIDAY:** Senior Group, 10:00 am



**November 26:** Thanksgiving Eve Service, 7 pm

**November 27:** Thanksgiving Day/*Church Offices Closed*

**SEMINOLE AT WORK AND WORSHIP**

Last Sunday's Attendance: 119

Last Sunday's Offering: \$12,150.56

*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><i>November</i></u>	<u><i>December</i></u>
<u><i>Greeters:</i></u>	<i>Strickland Family</i>	<i>Bryan Toenes</i>
<u><i>Ordained Officer:</i></u>	<i>Steve Strickland</i>	<i>Servy Fernandez</i>

## ***Children's Worship Volunteers***

	<u><i>Teacher</i></u>	<u><i>Helper</i></u>	<u><i>Banner Bearer</i></u>
<i>Today:</i>	<i>Tami Pothoven</i>	<i>Bryson Pothoven</i>	<i>Kathryn White</i>
<i>Nov. 16:</i>	<i>Kelly Melendi</i>	<i>Keegan Melendi</i>	<i>Olivia White</i>
<i>Nov. 23:</i>	<i>Kelly Fernandez</i>	<i>Paul McKenzie</i>	<i>Nora Fernandez</i>

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

## ***Coffee Volunteers***

<i>Today:</i>	<i>Andy Thomson</i>
<i>Nov. 16:</i>	<i>Larry Dickey</i>
<i>Nov. 23:</i>	<i>Steve Strickland</i>

**WE**   
**VOLUNTEERS**

## ***Nursery Volunteers***

<i>Today:</i>	<i>Kerri Connolly</i>
<i>Nov. 16:</i>	<i>Liz Hickerson</i>
<i>Nov. 23:</i>	<i>Jane Lambers</i>

## ***Fellowship Snacks***

<u><i>Next Week – Nov. 16:</i></u> <i>Andrea Cawley</i> <i>Diane Keen</i> <i>Allene Cawley</i> <i>Pam Bergen</i>	<u><i>Nov. 23:</i></u> <i>Beverly Thomson</i> <i>Sheila Colbert</i> <i>Judy Wildeboer</i> <i>Jamie Dalton</i>
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# November Birthdays & Anniversaries

## Birthdays

Wayne Chang 11/1

Andy Thomson 11/3

Stan Wildeboer 11/3

Kathryn White 11/3

Julia White 11/3

Steve White 11/7

Glenda Fellows 11/8

Emily Johnson 11/9

Pam Bergen 11/9

Ananta Boodoosingh 11/9

Sammy Fernandez 11/9

Alan Dostal 11/11

Marcy Edwards 11/12

Cathy Gartman 11/14

Victoria Fontanini 11/15

Nicholas Lambers 11/17

Judy Dostal 11/20

Luke Hoopes 11/24

Darby White 11/25

## Anniversaries

Kevin & Kerri Connolly 11/16

Alan & Judy Dostal 11/21



Anniversaries  
and Birthdays