

Morning Worship Service 9:00 AM
June 30, 2013
Sixth 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 at the back.*

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Amazing Grace - arr. Voltz

Let us quiet our hearts before the Lord.

Call to Worship

Psalm 108:1-5

Leader: My heart is steadfast, O God; I will sing and make music with all my soul.

People: **Awake, harp and lyre! I will awaken the dawn.**

Leader: I will praise you, O LORD, among the nations; I will sing of you among the peoples.

People: **For great is your love, higher than the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies.**

ALL: **Be exalted, O God, above the heavens, and let your glory be over all the earth.**

**** Glorifying God in Song**

Praise Him! Praise Him!

Hymn #173

**** 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

12 What man is wise enough to understand this? Who has been instructed by the LORD and can explain it? Why has the land been ruined and laid waste like a desert that no one can cross? 13 The LORD said, "It is because they have forsaken my law, which I set before them; they have not obeyed me or followed my law.

23 This is what the LORD says: "Let not the wise man boast of his wisdom or the strong man boast of his strength or the rich man boast of his riches, 24 but let him who boasts boast about this: that he understands and knows me, that I am the LORD, who exercises kindness, justice and righteousness on earth, for in these I delight," declares the LORD. 25 "The days are coming," declares the LORD, "when I will punish all who are circumcised only in the flesh-- 26 Egypt, Judah, Edom, Ammon, Moab and all who live in the desert in distant places. For all these nations are really uncircumcised, and even the whole house of Israel is uncircumcised in heart."

Jeremiah 9:12-13, 23-26

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

Musical Offering

How Deep the Father's Love

The Confession of Our Sins

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

- Episcopal *Book of Common Prayer*

Assurance of Pardon

The Second Scripture Lesson

18 For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. 19 For it is written: "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise; the intelligence of the intelligent I will frustrate." 20 Where is the wise man? Where is the scholar? Where is the philosopher of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? 21 For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not know him, God was pleased through the foolishness of what was preached to save those who believe. 22 Jews demand miraculous signs and Greeks look for wisdom, 23 but we preach Christ crucified: a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, 24 but to those whom God has called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. 25 For the foolishness of God is wiser than man's wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than man's strength. 26 Brothers, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. 27 But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. 28 He chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things-- and the things that are not-- to nullify the things that are, 29 so that no one may boast before him. 30 It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God-- that is, our righteousness, holiness and redemption. 31 Therefore, as it is written: "Let him who boasts boast in the Lord."

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

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

As The Deer - Martin Nystrom

As the deer panteth for the water,
so my soul longeth after Thee.
You alone are my heart's desire
and I long to worship Thee.
You alone are my strength and shield,
to You, alone, may my spirit yield;
You alone are my heart's desire
and I long to worship You.

You're my friend and You are my brother,
even though You are a King.
I love You more than any other,
so much more than anything.
You alone are my strength and shield,
to You, alone, may my spirit yield;
You alone are my heart's desire
and I long to worship You.

I want You more than gold or silver,
only You can satisfy.
You alone are the real joy giver,
and the apple of my eye.
You alone are my strength and shield,
to You, alone, may my spirit yield;
You alone are my heart's desire
and I long to worship You.
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The Third Scripture Lesson

51 As the time approached for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely set out for Jerusalem. 52 And he sent messengers on ahead, who went into a Samaritan village to get things ready for him; 53 but the people there did not welcome him, because he was heading for Jerusalem. 54 When the disciples James and John saw this, they asked, "Lord, do you want us to call fire down from heaven to destroy them?" 55 But Jesus turned and rebuked them, 56 and they went to another village. 57 As they were walking along the road, a man said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." 58 Jesus replied, "Foxes have holes and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has no place to lay his head." 59 He said to another man, "Follow me." But the man replied, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." 60 Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and proclaim the kingdom of God." 61 Still another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but first let me go back and say good-bye to my family." 62 Jesus replied, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God."

Luke 9:51-62

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

**** Offertory Hymn**

A Wonderful Savior Is Jesus My Lord
Hymn #175

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

7 How priceless is your unfailing love! Both high and low among men find refuge in the shadow of your wings. 8 They feast on the abundance of your house; you give them drink from your river of delights. 9 For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

Psalm 36:7-9

The Offertory

O Lord Most Holy - Franck

*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. John K. Keen

Senior Pastor

**** Glorifying God in Song**

Jesus Loves Me, This I Know

Hymn #189

**** Benediction**

Postlude

Te Deum - Charpentier

*** 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

Family Beach Trip *A beach trip done right!*

Think about this: We show up as most people are heading home. The sun is not as intense, so risk of sunburn is much lower. Yet, it's still warm enough to swim, build sand castles, bury each other in the sand, play soccer or just chill. Plus we get to enjoy a beautiful Florida sunset with one another!
Awesome!

Wednesday, July 3
4:00 PM - 9:30 PM
FREE!

PARENTS, we want you to come!
Bring your children and meet us there. Or come later as you are able.
If you need a ride, sign-up with Danny Dalton TODAY, Sunday, June 30th (Please students, no driving yourselves.)

Location: Meet at Treasure Island (10360 Gulf Blvd, Treasure Island, FL- Public beach access)

Required: Notarized Med/Release Form (unless your parents will be there)

Bring: Sack dinner, beach chair, modest swimsuit, towel, change of dry clothes, beach toys. *Note:* At Treasure Island beach, there is a huge inflatable water slide. It is \$3 for one slide or \$5 for two slides.

Costa Rica Mission Team Report & Ice Cream Social

TONIGHT
@
5:30 PM

Please join us for a very special evening TONIGHT, Sunday, June 30 at 5:30 pm, when the Costa Rica Mission team will provide a detailed report of their recent trip.



The report will be in the Sanctuary, followed by an ice cream social in the Fellowship area of the Snyder building.



**SPC will provide the ice cream,
if you provide the social!**

Come and enjoy!

See you there!

Prayer Requests & Praise Reports

Prayer/Praise:

- Alan Dostal (Judy Dostal's husband)
- Alice Tietjen
- Lenore Ball

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 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	Sally Quick & Tami Lang	#109
Ages 6-7 / 1 st - 2 nd Grade	Connie Trim & Jamie Dalton	#105
Ages 8-10 / 3 rd -5 th Grade	Kelly Fernandez & Tami Pothoven	#107
Jr. High / 6 th -8 th Grade	Danny Dalton	#101
Sr. High / 9 th -12 th Grade	Steve Pothoven & Richard Zak	The Tower
Adult – Walden Class	Randy Johnson	#108
Adult – OT Poetic & Wisdom Literature	Steve Strickland	#102
Adult – Topics in Reformed Theology	Joe DeNitto	Church Office

This Week at SPC ~ June 30 – July 6

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

Costa Rica Team Report
& Ice Cream Social; 5:30 pm

TUESDAY: Session Meeting, 7 pm

WEDNESDAY: Family Beach Trip @ Treasure Island,
4:00 pm

THURSDAY: Independence Day/*Church Office Closed*

FRIDAY: Seniors Covenant Group, 10 am



July 8 – 12: Vacation Bible School

July 12: VBS Closing Program, pm

July 15 – 19: Middle School Camp @ Kulaqua



SEMINOLE AT WORK AND WORSHIP

Last Sunday's Attendance: 120

Last Sunday's Offering: \$4,066.77

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>June</u>	<u>July</u>
<u>Greeters:</u>	<i>Randy Johnson Family</i>	<i>Scott Hickerson Todd Gartman Brian Waugh</i>
<u>Ordained Officer:</u>	<i>Randy Johnson</i>	<i>Bryan Toenes</i>

Children's Worship Volunteers

	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Helper</u>	<u>Banner Bearer</u>
<i>Today:</i>	<i>Donna Waugh</i>	<i>Abby Johnson</i>	<i>Nikolas Royer</i>
<i>Next Week:</i>	<i>Eva White</i>	<i>Alex Johnson</i>	<i>Julia White</i>
<i>July 14:</i>	<i>Gail Chang</i>	<i>Sadie Edwards</i>	<i>Nikolas Royer</i>

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

Coffee Volunteers

<i>Today:</i>	<i>Brian Waugh</i>
<i>Next Week:</i>	<i>Bill Cutler</i>
<i>July 14:</i>	<i>Steve Strickland</i>

WE 
VOLUNTEERS

July Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays

John Keen 7/4

Johnny Hickerson 7/7

Lea Zambon 7/9

Bev Thomson 7/16

Richard Zak 7/16

Keegan Melendi 7/18

Patrick Chang 7/20

Bryan Toenes 7/21

Dave Hawes 7/23

Connie Frail 7/25

Dorothy Lemmon 7/26

Anniversaries

Randy & Lisa Johnson 7/6

Danny & Jamie Dalton 7/12

Steve & Tami Pothoven 7/24

Don & Glee Hamilton 7/27

Jon & Pam Irwin 7/29



Anniversaries and Birthdays