

*Chapel by the Sea
Presbyterian Church (USA)
21st Sunday after Pentecost
Reformation Sunday
October 29, 2017*



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

**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.**

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Dr. Adkison

PRAYER OF BLESSING & 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,
the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERTORY

Deep River

Spiritual

**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.**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Dobbin Greer, Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 11:39-12:1-2

Dr. Adkison

May these words of my mouth and
this meditation of my heart
be pleasing in your sight,
LORD, my Rock and my Redeemer.
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

“Reformed and Always Reforming”

Dr. Adkison

ANTHEM

We Love to Tell the Story
Chancel Choir

Don Besig

PASTORAL PRAYER

Dr. Adkison

**HYMN #280 (All Verses)*

Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

AMAZING GRACE

**BENEDICTION*

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE*

Go Now In Peace

D. Besig

*Denotes standing, if able.

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*The flowers today are given by Alice Glawe,
in honor of her first great-granddaughter, Avery.*

Weekly Announcements

Reformation Sunday — In celebration of Reformation Sunday, following worship, we will gather in Silver Hall for coffee hour to partake in some traditional Scottish desserts.

SHINE Medicare Presentation — Tuesday, November 7, 10 AM, Chapel by the Sea, Silver Hall. Join us to learn about your Medicare options, how to save on Part D costs and prepare for the upcoming Medicare open enrollment period. SHINE counselors provide free, unbiased and confidential counseling to Medicare beneficiaries, their caregivers and those soon to be eligible. Program courtesy of SWFL Area Agency on Aging and is free. RSVP to chapel@chapelbts.org, (239) 463-3173 ext. 20.

Salute to Veterans — Please join us for Worship Service on Sunday, November 12 as we honor our Veterans. The choir will lead us in a medley of patriotic music. We are excited that the FMB Cub Scout Troop 999 will serve alongside our ushers and greeters. Following service, we will gather in Silver Hall to celebrate with a special cake and ice cream.

Chapel Concert Series — Chapel by the Sea presents Wild Coffee Duo in Concert. This is Chapel's first concert of the new season. Join us on November 9 at 7 PM in the Main Sanctuary as Susie Kelly on cello and Abbey Allison on piano perform a wide variety of styles. Both classically trained, and they are at home on the concert stage and performing music from Baroque era through 21st century concert music. They also play jazz standards, arrangements of pop songs, and several kinds of world music. No tickets required, free will offering. Susie and Abbey first collaborated in a Heath Recital Series performance at The Violin Shop in Bonita Springs. The two got along so well, both musically and personally, that they decided to form a duo. Formed in 2015, the Wild Coffee Duo is the happy result of the decision.

Chapel by the Sea Spaghetti Dinner — Saturday, November 11, 5 – 7 PM, Silver Hall
November 11 is Veterans Day. We have asked the FMB Cub Scout Troop 999 to lead us in the Presenting of Colors/Flag Ceremony in honor and celebration of our Veterans. Don't miss the opportunity to thank those who provide protection and support for our God given freedoms. \$10 Adult / \$5 Public Safety Personnel / Kids 10 and under – FREE (Net proceeds go the Kitchen Renovation Fund) Menu: Spaghetti, Meatballs, Spicy Sausage w/Peppers & Onions, Salad, Garlic Bread, Brownie Sundae Dessert, Cold Drinks & Coffee.

Sisters In Spirit — Sisters in Spirit (SIS) is a group of women at Chapel by the Sea who meet once a month, enjoy fun activities and events, go new places and grow closer to God and each other. On November 14, we will meet at the church to go to our seventh annual shopping trip to He, She and Me on Bayside Parkway, Fort Myers. The bus will depart the Chapel parking lot at 9:30 a.m. We will have lunch at First Watch on Altamont Ave, Fort Myers following the shopping spree. For more info. call Nancy Combs at (239) 233-8630. Please RSVP to chapel@chapelbts.org or (239) 463-3173 ext. 20.

YOGA is for EVERYONE — The first session of YOGA classes started on October 11 and will go until November 15. This is a 6-week beginners' class. Don't miss the opportunity to age gracefully with more strength and stability. The instructor will have some yoga mats on hand, but if you have your own, please bring it with you along with bottled water. Research has shown that YOGA decreases stress, improves balance, and promotes better sleep. Cost is \$10.00 for Chapel members and \$12.00 for non-members.

Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre...Pippin — 2013 Tony Award Winner Best Musical Revival! Join us Wednesday, November 15 at Broadway Palm for the musical Pippin! The \$65.00 ticket includes the meal, the show and tax. The church bus leaves Chapel at 4:30 p.m. and also picks up off island people on Pine Ridge. Call Anita Turner at (239) 357-9883 for reservations. Limited number of tickets available. Reservation deadline is November 1.

2016/2017 New Members of Chapel by the Sea — To all of the new members of 2016 and 2017 (both active and affiliate), please see Pastor Steve or Rexann Hosafros after worship today to have your picture taken. There will be a new member and/or potential new member orientation on an upcoming Sunday after worship in the near future. More details to come later. Any questions, please feel free to contact Pastor Steve at (573) 822-8695. Thank you!

Solomon's Porch Theological Reading Group, Adult Study and Discussion — We have started a new book! The book is called "A More Christlike God". Copies available in the church office. The book is \$14.00, checks are payable to Miffie Greer. Or you can download your own copy. New students welcome! We meet Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. at Chapel in Silver Hall in the Session Room.

Cub Scouts — Every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at Chapel by the Sea in Silver Hall. For questions, contact Ed Milde at (239) 322-7828. Spread the word and bring a friend.

Children's Church — All children are welcome to join our Children's Church and Nursery on Sunday mornings at the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

Music — Make beautiful music to worship God! Join the Choir, Handbells and/or the Chapel Cats. Call Lois Doggett at (239) 463-5583 or Nancy Combs at (239) 233-8630.

Flowers — To have flowers displayed at the Sunday Service and noted in the bulletin, fill out a card in the Church Office and on the bulletin board, or call the Church office at (239) 463-3173.

Become a Member at Chapel! — Check the Communication Card to become a member and you will be contacted by one of our Elders and/or Pastor Steve.

Operation Christmas Child



Jaki....Jaki never knew her mother, as she was taken to an orphanage in Guatemala when she was just a few months old. The caretakers at the orphanage could provide only for basic needs of the children. They taught them and clothed them, but with limited resources, the children ate a steady diet of rice and beans. They wore whatever clothing was available, no matter what size or whether they were boys or girls styles. They did have a toothbrush – one for ten girls! They had to share. That's why Jaki was very excited to receive a shoebox gift. In it was a toothbrush of her very own! Today when Jaki packs shoeboxes, she always includes at least four of them. That way, the recipients can give them to their friends. Jaki also received a stuffed animal, which she loved to hug, and crayons and coloring books. When she and the other girls colored, they filled every available space with color! Jaki's gifts came in a plastic container, and she stored larger items in it. However, her most cherished items were hidden under her mattress – especially the photos and letters of the people who had sent her the box.

Jaki learned about Jesus at the orphanage. When she received her box, she learned "Jesus Loves Me". She still loves that song, and loves to sing. A couple in the United States adopted her. Today, she is on the worship committee at her church and is a nanny, so she can teach the song to the children. Jaki hopes that her story will make a difference to those who pack the boxes and to those who will receive them.

Items Needed for Shoeboxes

- Notebooks (lined paper)
- Erasers
- Boys & Girls Socks
- Washcloths
- Hair Accessories
- Balls
- Toy Cars
- Jump Ropes
- Sturdy Combs

The "Packing Party" for OCC will be held on Thursday, November 9 at 10:00 a.m. in the Sunday School Room of Silver Hall.

Spiritual Commitment

I will support the church

- by attending faithfully
- by living a Christ-like life
- by giving regularly

I will share the responsibility of my church

- by praying for its growth
- by inviting the community to attend
- by warmly welcoming those who visit

I will protect the unity of my church

- by acting in love toward other members and all people
- by refusing to gossip
- by following the leaders

I will serve the church

- by discovering my gifts and talents and using them.
- by developing a servant's heart
- by studying the Bible daily

Treasurer's Report

Last Week's Contributions - \$ 9,263.00

YTD Income – \$ 375,292.95

YTD Expenses - \$ 372,796.45

YTD Net - \$ (2,496.50)

***Does not include income or expenses from restricted or designated funds.*

**The Week at a Glance...for a complete calendar,
Go to www.chapelbts.org**

Sunday, October 29

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Soloist Rehearsal

Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Worship Service/Reformation/
Scottish Heritage

Coffee Hour with Scottish Desserts

Monday, October 30

12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Bridge

Tuesday, October 31

3:00 p.m.

Solomon's Porch

Wednesday, November 1

11:00 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

Chapel Cats Practice

Soloist Rehearsal

Staff Meeting

YOGA

Cub Scouts

Thursday, November 2

9:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Worship Committee Meeting

Sew N Sews

Bridge

Friday, November 3

No Scheduled Events

Saturday, November 4

Daylight Savings Time Ends
Sunday Morning at 3:00 a.m.
Set your clocks back 1 hour.

Sunday, November 5

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Soloist Rehearsal

Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Worship Service with Communion

Communion Sunday Luncheon

***Weekly
Community Events**

*AA, Room 5
Mon, Wed, Thurs
7:30 a.m.

*AA, Room 5
Tues 8:00 a.m. and
10:30 a.m.
(Women's Group)

*AA, Room 5
Tues 8:00 p.m.

*AA, Room 5
Thurs 8:00 p.m.

*AA, Room 5
Fri 8:00 p.m.

*AA/ALANON,
Room 5
Mon 8:00 p.m.

*God's Table
(Homeless
Outreach)
Mon – Fri
7:00 a.m.–8:30 a.m.

*St. Vincent de
Paul
Mon 9:00 a.m.–
10:00 a.m.

Prayer Guide — October 29, 2017

“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...

- Priscilla Wonka
- Roger Welton
- Addalyn Hardcastle
- Crystal Davis
- Coon’s Sister
- SWFL Safety Council Employees & Board Members
- Vicki
- Nancy
- Diane Wilson
- Elaine & Sonny Johnsen
- All those effected by the Las Vegas tragedy
- Adam
- Chris
- James Torrence
- Carol and John Wagner
- Frank Angelini
- Thelma Viller
- Mike Eitl
- Veronica
- Tim
- Randy
- All those effected by Hurricanes Irma & Maria
- Beverly Blair
- Bob Young
- Dr. Jim Zimmerman
- John Biddix
- Ron & Jaci Willow
- Roger Rhude
- Wilma Brown
- Justin Stevens
- Sister Maria
- Mike Eitl
- Nicholas Moyer Family
- Eva New
- Bill Turner
- Tag Bridges
- Carol Boney
- Bob and Dave
- Steve Glaub
- Jade Pierce
- Kelli Leary
- Susan Leone
- Nancy Henneberger
- Those suffering from addiction
- LaCombe Children & Grandchildren
- Our Country & President
- Laura Moccio
- Bri
- Kirk Salvage, USAF
- Alyssa Lomangino, USN
- Laurie & Craig Furlong
- Karin
- Julie and Cam Folan
- Joshua Stevens, USN, Japan
- Tomas Masi & fellow soldiers
- Unspoken
- Kylee & Family
- Bobby & Anita Adkison
- The Adkison Family

Ushers: Mary Jo Jacobs, Karen Rhude, Clif & Wanda Hart, Stephen Light and Rya Snipes

Greeters: Ruth Zook and Lynda Hicks

Staff: The Rev. Dr. Stephen D. Adkison, Pastor/Head of Staff (skypilot_mdiv@hotmail.com)

Michael Melnikov, Director of Music/Organist

Ann Fossum, Parish Nurse (ann@chapelbts.org)

Denise Armstrong, Office Administrator

Holly Tribble, Administrative Assistant

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Jose Ramos, Sexton

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