

Chapel by the Sea
Presbyterian Church (USA)
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time/Proper 1
February 12, 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

A WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

TOLLING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Adkison

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Habitat for Humanity

8:00 a.m. Gerry Trantina

10:00 a.m. Tom Kelly

PRELUDE

Majesty

Piano Solo

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dr. Adkison

One: Now is the moment of grace.

All: This is the hour of blessing.

One: Today is the day of salvation.

All: Here is the path to new life.

One: Already joy is abounding,

All: And love is flowing.

One: For this is the day God is making.

All: Let us rejoice and sing.

**HYMN #263*

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

ST. DENIO

CALL TO RENEWAL (I John 1:8-9)

8:00 a.m. Bill Saunders, Liturgist

10:00 a.m. Doug Bidgood, Liturgist

“If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.” Let us confess our sins to God and to one another....

PRAYER OF RENEWAL

8:00 a.m. Bill Saunders, Liturgist

10:00 a.m. Doug Bidgood, Liturgist

God of patient love, your generous and ever-seeking heart is often a contrast to our chosen way. We are prone to make snap judgments, form quick opinions, and rely on flimsy prejudices. We look for differences that let us exclude, rather than differences that give us cause for celebrating each other's uniqueness. We see the outside appearances and miss the deep glance into the heart. We are all too ready for others to be judged and put in their own place. We are reluctant to face our own faults, to look into our own hearts. God of patient love, help us hear again that your love and your salvation is for all---even ourselves and those we exclude. Generous God, forgive us and set us free from ourselves, in Jesus' name, Amen.

GOOD NEWS OF FORGIVENESS

8:00 a.m. Bill Saunders, Liturgist

10:00 a.m. Doug Bidgood, Liturgist

As far as the east is from the west, so have our sins been separated from us.

Friends, believe the Gospel and be at peace.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Amen! *(Please rise and let us sing)*

**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 and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE GIVING OF OFFERINGS

Siciliana

G. Sabatini

**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

8:00 a.m. Bill Saunders, Liturgist

10:00 a.m. Doug Bidgood, Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READING

James 1:5

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

“God, Give Me Wisdom, Amen”

Dr. Adkison

Sermon Series: Ten Prayers God Always Says Yes To

ANTHEM

Chapel Bells

PASTORAL PRAYER

Dr. Adkison

*HYMN #366

Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me

ST. CATHERINE

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go Now In Peace

*POSTLUDE

Rejoicing

G.F. Handel

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The flowers today are given by Charlotte Fergus & family in memory of Ed Fergus.

*The second bouquet is given by Ginny Young in celebration
of Bob Young's birthday.*

Weekly Announcements

Sisters In Spirit (SIS) — This Tuesday, February 14, 10:30 a.m. at the Fort Myers Beach Library. SIS will hear a presentation by Russ Carter about The History of Fort Myers Beach. After the presentation, we will enjoy lunch in the Library Cafe. In celebration of Valentine's Day, we welcome the men of our Chapel community. Be sure to sign the communication cards. For more info, call Nancy Combs (239) 233-8630.

Chapel by the Sea Concert Series — Tommy O Concert this Thursday, February 16, 7:00 p.m. in the main Sanctuary of Chapel by the Sea.

Join us for the Chapel Concert Series featuring TOMMY O a.k.a. "Elvirotti" which acknowledges his vast range of performances from Elvis to Pavarotti. TOMMY O is a guaranteed display of impeccable showmanship, leaving audiences with the gift of indelible joyous memories. No Ticket Required – Free Will Offering.

Souper Bowl Sunday — Everybody won, but the totals were:

Falcons-\$378.43 and Patriots-\$254.45

A grand total of \$632.88 will go the Immokalee Soup Kitchen. Thank you to all who participated! (And the barbecue lunch was delicious!)

Scholarships Available — Session approved a new scholarship policy last September. The new policy and application can be found at chapelbts.org. Click on about us, then policies and procedures, and then look for policy #5.3. Hard copies of the application form are available in the church office. The due date is April 1st.

Broadway Palm Dinner Theater — Wednesday, February 22, 4:45 p.m.
Chapel will head to Broadway Palm to watch "Anything Goes".

Chronic Pain Workshop — Tuesday, February 28 from 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Chapel by the Sea in Silver Hall. Chronic Pain Workshop (six-week series through April 4) sponsored by Lee Health Solutions. This workshop helps you and caregivers discover strategies and skills to take control to improve health and well-being. Free and Open to the Public. RSVP to chapel@chapelbts.org.

CarFit — Tuesday, February 21, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Bring your car for a drive-through safety assessment. Sponsored by the Lee County Sheriff's Community Relations. The program is designed to help older drivers find out how well they currently fit their personal vehicle, to highlight actions they can take to improve their fit, and to promote conversations about driver safety. A proper fit can greatly increase the driver's safety and the safety of others. Free and Open to the Public. Each "car fit" will take approx. 20 minutes.

Volunteer at the Immokalee Soup Kitchen — Fourth Friday of the month, 9:30 a.m.
The Chapel bus leaves at 9:30 a.m. and returns about 2:45 p.m. Sign-up sheets are in Silver Hall.

Chapel Habitat Builders — Thursdays, 7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
The "habitat builders" will be building 55 new homes this season. No experience or special tools are required. We work every Thursday and leave the rear of Chapel parking lot at 7:30 a.m. and return by 3:30 p.m. Bring your own snacks and drinks. Call Tom Kelly at (612) 325-0450 for more information.

Chapel Sea Dolphins Walking Club — Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m., Church Veranda at Chapel by the Sea. Join us every Tuesday! Looking for a new way to motivate yourself and others to get moving? Join Chapel's very own Walking Club. It is a good way to expand your workout and help you improve your heart health. This Tuesday, February 14 (Valentine's Day), join us for a special giveaway! *Thanks to all who are walking, biking and swimming - Our miles are adding up. Since January 9th Chapel has moved 4,000 miles and the Lee County total is over 221,000 miles. Turn in your tally sheets to Ann or write your totals on the Silver Hall poster. February is Heart Health month, which gives added motivation to participate in the Million Mile Movement Challenge.*

Weight Watchers — Wednesdays, 10:00 a.m. in Silver Hall.

Zumba Gold Class, Every Tuesday! — Tuesdays, 1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. in Silver Hall for 45-minutes of low impact dance aerobics. This class is perfect for active older adults. Cost is \$5 per class with punch-card or \$6 for walk-ins. No class on February 21.

Sew N Sews — Thursday, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Call Nancy Bell at (845) 863-5222.

Flowers — Flowers are a beautiful way to honor loved ones. To sign up for flowers and have them displayed at the Sunday Worship Service and noted in the weekly bulletin & newsletter, fill out a card and the chart in the Church Office or call at (239) 463-3173.

Fort Myers Beach Cub Scouts — Every other Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. in Silver Hall. For more details, contact Drew Yelle at drewyelle@gmail.com or (617) 416-2757. Chapel Liaison is Ed Milde (mlnr2b@aol.com). Next meeting is February 22.

Music — Would you like to make beautiful music to worship and honor God? Join the Choir and/or the Handbells at Chapel. We meet on Wednesday mornings. Please see the calendar for more information. Call Lois Doggett at (239) 463-5583, Nancy Combs at (239) 233-8630 or the Church Office at (239) 463-3173 for more information.

The Chapel Cats — The Chapel Cats perform the first Sunday of each month (Communion Sunday) and are looking for additional musicians. If you enjoy singing give our Music Director, Michael Melnikov a call at (239) 331-5301.

Become a Member at Chapel! — Check the Communication Card to become a member.

Classes at Chapel by the Sea

Adult Sunday School — Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel Library.

Solomon's Porch Theological Reading Group, Adult Study and Discussion — Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m. here at Chapel in Silver Hall in the Session Room. All are welcome. The book is called Celebration of Discipline by Richard Foster.

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

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

Sunday, February 12

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m.	Worship Service

Monday, February 13

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	CERT
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Tuesday, February 14

9:30 a.m.	Walking Club
10:30 a.m.	SIS
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Zumba Gold
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Solomon's Porch

Wednesday, February 15

9:30 a.m.	Chapel Chimers
10:00 a.m.	Weight Watchers
10:00 a.m.	Bell Practice
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir/ Soloist Practice
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting

Thursday, February 16

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Sew N Sews
7:00 p.m.	Tommy O Concert

Friday, February 17

No Scheduled Events

Saturday, February 18

No Scheduled Events

Sunday, February 19

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m.	Worship Service
11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Healing Service
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Deacon Training

***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.

***BOSS (Bay Oaks
Social Seniors)**
Potluck Luncheon
first Wed of the
month.

***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 — February 12, 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...

- Elise Missall
- Laura Moccio
- Stephanie
- Wilma Brown
- Steve Glaub
- Mike Darby
- Barbara Kerr
- Randy
- Tim
- Granddaughter
- Debra Dahl
- Don Hamm
- Jennie Welker
- Cathy Lindahl
- Amy & Nick
- Diane Wilson
- Ron Zoller
- Dennis
- Mrs. Hatcher & Family
- Joan Oliver
- Betty Brookie
- Randy
- John and Greta Willmer
- Jill
- The Keller Family
- Donna O’Flynn
- Pam Cox
- Frank Beller
- Cookie Wimmer
- Mike and Janice
- Betty Pollack
- James Byrnes
- The Ewing Family
- Jessica
- Bill Jacobs
- Jim Johnson
- Steve and Robin
- Ray Mayers
- James Torrence
- Anthony
- Aubrey
- Norman Silvernail
- Tommy and Stacy VanOyen
- Cheryl Banerian
- Mary Lou & Huggy Ellyatt
- Our Country & 45th President
- Bri
- Eric Petric
- David Stelter
- Wilma Brown
- Ilene Walker
- Roger Rhude
- Ethel Wheeler
- Kathy Fergus
- Kirk Salvage, USAF
- Bess Jafvert
- Miffie Greer
- Alyssa Lomangino, USN
- Laurie & Craig Furlong
- Karin, Dee, Jim, Lindsey
- The Klein Family
- Ted & Bobbie
- Julie and Cam Folan
- Joshua Stevens, USN, state-side
- Jim & Rita Koprowski
- Tomas Masi & fellow soldiers
- Nancy Henneberger
- Unspoken
- Maria Ramos
- Kylee and Family
- Anita Adkison
- The Adkison Family

Ushers: 8:00 a.m. Karen Rhude 10:00 a.m. Phil & Joan Byers, Janet DeBenedett, Cliff & Wanda Hart, Gaylord Hendrix, Jim & Sondra Hunt, Kathy Smith, Brad Weaver

Greeters: 8:00 a.m. Margaret Anderson & Helen LeCount 10:00 a.m. Judy Cultice & Elise Missall

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

John Rotach, Facilities Manager

Jose Ramos, Sexton

The Rev. Don Jafvert, Pastor Emeritus

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