

*Chapel by the Sea  
Presbyterian Church (USA)  
18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
October 13, 2019*



*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

*FOCUS ON MINISTRY*

*Operation Christmas Child*

Emily Porter

*PRELUDE*

*I Want Jesus to Walk with Me*

Spiritual

## *CALL TO WORSHIP*

One: Come, holy and gracious God,

**All: Place your story of love next to the worn fabric of our lives.**

One: Come, enter our hearts and bring peace.

**All: Bring restored hope, renewed energy and revived joy.**

One: Come to our troubled world.

**All: Lift the fallen, feed the hungry, set us to doing the things that make for peace.**

One: Teach us to sing and serve, care and rejoice.

*\*HYMN #476 (All Verses) O Worship the King, All Glorious Above! LYONS*

## *CALL TO RENEWAL (James 5:16)*

Jennifer Pinkard, Liturgist

**“Therefore, confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, and this will heal you.” Let us confess our sins to God and to one another....**

## *PRAYER OF RENEWAL*

Jennifer Pinkard, Liturgist

**Gracious and loving God, hear our prayer.**

**We know we do not always live as we ought:**

**We turn away from You, from our neighbor, and from our True Selves.**

**We know we dim Your Light within us,**

**With our pride, our self-righteousness, and our need for control**

**We know that You love us, that You do not abandon us,**

**and that again and again, You call us back to You,**

**back to love,**

**back to grace,**

**back to Your Light.**

**Forgive us, we pray, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*GOOD NEWS OF FORGIVENESS*

Jennifer Pinkard, Liturgist

*Friends, hear the Good News: the mercy of God is from everlasting to everlasting. Let us proclaim the Good News:  
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia! 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*

*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*

*Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*  
Duet: Kim Southworth and Nancy Walker

W. Bradbury

*\*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*

*ANTHEM*

*Gonna Be a Great Day*

J. Martin

*SCRIPTURE READINGS*

James 3:13-18

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

SERMON

**“Soul Detox: Green with Envy?”**  
*Scratching the Poison Ivy of Comparison*

Dr. Adkison

PASTORAL PRAYER

\*HYMN #379 (All Verses)      *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*      SOLID ROCK

\*BENEDICTION

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE      *Go Now In Peace*      D. Besig

**Go Now In Peace, Never Be Afraid.  
God Will Go With You, Each Hour Of Every Day.  
Go Now In Faith, Steadfast, Strong And True.  
Know He Will Guide You In All You Do.  
Go Now In Love, And Show You Believe.  
Reach Out To Others, So All The World Can See.  
God Will Be There, Watching From Above.  
Go Now In Peace, In Faith, And In Love.  
Amen, Amen, Amen.**

\*POSTLUDE      *Toccata in E*      Pachelbel

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***Apple Sunday & October Birthday Celebrations Today!***

Join us today, following the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, for our annual “Apple” Sunday, celebrating all things apple. We will also be celebrating October birthdays.

***Weekly Announcements***

**Order Member Contribution Envelopes** — It's that time again! For members who would like to continue using the Numbered Envelopes for their weekly contributions, please contact the office to reorder envelopes for the calendar year 2020. You may email [denise@chapelbts.org](mailto:denise@chapelbts.org) or call (239) 463-3173 ext. 20. Deadline for reordering is Monday, October 28.

**Bloodmobile** — On Sunday, October 20, we will have the Lee Health bloodmobile on our church campus from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Stop by the bloodmobile before or after the worship service to be a blood donor. Just a single pint of donated blood can help save the lives of several people. You will receive a mini physical at no cost, which includes checking your vital signs, hemoglobin and cholesterol levels and you will learn your blood type. To donate blood you must: weigh at least 115 lbs., be at least 17 years old, be in general good health - no colds, flu, sore throat, etc., present a photo I.D. with D.O.B., if a new donor. To make a specific appointment, please call or stop by the Chapel Office at (239) 463-3173. Be aware, that some medications and travel to certain countries may prevent you from being a donor. If you want to see if you qualify before you sign up, please call Lee Health Blood Center at (239) 343-2333.

**Reformation Sunday, October 27** — During Sunday worship, we will recognize our Scottish Heritage of the Presbyterian denomination known as “*The Kirkin’ O’ the Tartan*.” As part of the celebration, Robert Davies, a member of the Lee County Pipes & Drums (pictured), will share his artistry of bagpiping with the familiar tunes of Scotland the Brave and Amazing Grace. The *Kirkin’ O’ the Tartan* is a celebration of Presbyterian roots, going back to the Scottish Reformation of the 16th century. At that time, the Scottish people expressed their family heritage by wearing a specific plaid cloth known as a clan tartan.

Following service, we will gather in Silver Hall for coffee hour to partake of some traditional Scottish desserts. Please feel free to wear your family colors or kilt and/or bring a dessert reflecting memories of your Scottish roots.

**Operation Christmas Child (OCC)** Thank you to those of you who have contributed empty shoe boxes. We now have enough for our project, and we are grateful to those who have wrapped some of them. Unwrapped boxes are still available and supplied with colorful paper if you wish to use them. However, if you prefer not to decorate a box, the Mission/Outreach Committee has purchased pre-printed boxes from Samaritan's Purse. No additional effort is required except to fill them. Plastic boxes are useful. They are waterproof and can be used for storage by the child. Any of these boxes can be filled with gifts which will delight a child. It may be the first gift they have ever received. Don't wait to do your shopping. The stores are jam-packed with possibilities.

**Parish Health Program...Adapting to Aging Lunch & Learn** — Tuesday, October 29 at 11:30 a.m. in Silver Hall. Jayme Hodges, Director of the Behavioral Health Center for Lee Health, will help us understand how to deal with loss and anxiety and how to empower ourselves to live our best life during times of loneliness. RSVP to [chapel@chapelbts.org](mailto:chapel@chapelbts.org) or call the church office at (239) 463-3173 so we may properly prepare for lunch.

**Join the 2019 Walk to End Alzheimer's** — Held annually in more than 600 communities nationwide, Walk to End Alzheimer's is the world's largest event to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer's care, support and research. Chapel member, Kim Southworth, is coordinating a team from the Chapel Family. Please consider joining team “Chapel's Angels.” Join us in Silver Hall today or on October 20 to register for the 2019 Walk to End Alzheimer's. There is no cost to register. SW Florida Chapter will receive funds for each person who registers. Go to [act.alz.org/fortmyers](http://act.alz.org/fortmyers) or text ALZWALK to 51555 to add your name to the team. For more details or help registering, contact Kim at (239) 671-1935. The Walk is Saturday, October 26 at Centennial Park. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. following by Opening Ceremonies at 9:00 a.m. Together, we can end Alzheimer's.

**Craft & Rummage Sale** — Friday, November 15 from 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. and Saturday, November 16 from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. It's never too early and you don't want to miss the opportunity to clean out your cabinets and closets. We are asking members, friends and visitors to donate their **gently used “treasures”** to Chapel to sell. Drop off any donations during normal office hours. Please make sure items are clean and in working condition. We are unable to accept clothes or large furniture. If you prefer, you may rent a table for \$15.00 to sell your own wares and/or crafts.

**Chapel Habitat Builders** — The “Habitat Builders” will be starting our winter volunteer season this month. The exact start date is yet to be determined, but watch for it in the Sunday Bulletin. Our team assists with any number of different tasks as Habitat deems necessary each week. The team’s expertise includes siding (vinyl), painting (interior and exterior), demo, cleanup, accessorizing, and any number of other skills. Both men and women are welcome. No experience or special tools are required. “On the job training” will be provided. We work every Thursday and leave the rear of Chapel parking lot at 7:30 a.m. and return to the Chapel by 3:30 p.m. You’ll need to bring your own lunch, snack, and water and soft drinks. If you plan on participating or even just considering it, please call Tom Means at (586) 915-0621. We look forward to seeing you.

**Chapel by the Sea Online** — Go online at [www.chapelbts.org](http://www.chapelbts.org) to check out the Chapel Calendar and more! Check out the Chapel Facebook page for pictures and upcoming events!

**Flowers** — Order a floral arrangement for a Sunday Worship Service to honor a life-cycle event, to mark a special anniversary, and/or to remember a loved one. Each arrangement is \$25.00. Stop by the office, call, or email to let us know how you would like the acknowledgement worded.

### ***On-Going Activities at Chapel by the Sea***

**Children’s Church/Nursery** — Sunday mornings at the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

**Solomon’s Porch** — Tuesdays in the Chapel Library from 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**YOGA** — The class meets on Wednesdays from 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., Session Room of Silver Hall. Research shows that YOGA decreases stress, improves balance, and promotes better sleep. The instructor will have yoga mats but if you have your own, bring it with you. Contact Parish Nurse, Ann Fossum at (239) 463-3173 ext. 13 or [ann@chapelbts.org](mailto:ann@chapelbts.org).

**Cub Scouts** — Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in Silver Hall

**Sew N Sews** — Thursdays, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. bring a bagged lunch. Lunch at noon.

**Immokalee Soup Kitchen** — Chapel serves lunch at Immokalee Soup Kitchen on Friday, October 25. Sign-up sheets are available in Silver Hall.

**Alzheimer’s Association Caregiver Support Group** — Conducted by trained facilitators, 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. in the Library of Silver Hall. Contact Parish Nurse, Ann Fossum at (239) 463-3173 ext. 13 or [ann@chapelbts.org](mailto:ann@chapelbts.org)

**Healing Service** — 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month after the Worship Service.

*The Week at a Glance...*  
*For a complete calendar, Go to [www.chapelbts.org](http://www.chapelbts.org)*

**Sunday, October 13**

9:00 a.m.	Soloist Rehearsal
9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Worship Service
11:15 a.m.	Apple Sunday/Birthday Celebrations

**Monday, October 14**

No Scheduled Events

**Tuesday, October 15**

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Solomon's Porch
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**Wednesday, October 16**

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	YOGA
12:00 p.m.	Small Group Rehearsal
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting (Office Closed)
6:30 p.m.	Cub Scout Meeting

**Thursday, October 17**

10:00 a.m.	Sew N Sews
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**Friday, October 18**

No Scheduled Events

**Saturday, October 19**

No Scheduled Events

**Sunday, October 20**

8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Bloodmobile
9:00 a.m.	Soloist Rehearsal
9:15 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Worship Service
11:00 a.m.	Healing Service
11:15 a.m.	Coffee, Snacks & Fellowship

**\*Weekly  
Community  
Events**

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

\*AA, Room 5  
Tues 7:30 a.m.

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

\*AA, Room 5  
Fri 7:00 p.m.

\*AA, Room 5  
Thurs 7:00 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.  
Fri 9:00 a.m.–  
10:00 a.m.

## ***Prayer Guide — October 13, 2019***

*“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...

- Merlyn O'Malley
- Lyndsey Pastrana
- Kelly Bynum & Family
- Mason
- Marisa
- Jaxon
- Arthur Meyers
- Dan Taylor
- David Conrad
- Mike Bartz
- P. Vandlen
- Lisa & Gavin
- Bob Allegiers
- Vicky Denise
- Diane Wilson
- Darlene Guess
- Tievoli Spikes & Family
- Debbie Dunlap
- Eva New & Susie
- Sue Glatz
- Jessica & Doug Grant
- Barbara Wickell
- Chris Sluyter
- Sheila Morales
- Maria Werner
- Kathy Frazee
- Chris Foster
- LaCombe Families
- Craig & Laurie Furlong
- Rich & Nita Cusano
- Russ. C.
- Unspoken
- Golden Family in MD
- Alyssa Holte, USN (deployed)
- Great Grandson, Booker Folan
- Joy Booth
- Joshua Stevens, USN Syria

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