

## WORSHIP

June 10, 2018

### LifeJourney Contemporary Worship – 9:00 AM

Welcome and Announcements

*(Please fill out your Response Card and place it in the offering.)*

#### Passing the Peace

#### Praise Music

#### Prayers

CHILDREN'S CHURCH takes place after the prayers at the 9:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service in TFEC. Families will worship together, then the children will be dismissed to Children's Church (between 9:15-9:20) in rooms 106 and 108 for Children's Church and Bible story time.

#### Offering

#### Scripture Reading

#### Message

#### Closing and Blessing

Luke 10:38-42

Sabbath Perspective

Rev. Robin Hager

### Are You New to Grace's Contemporary Service?

We are so glad that you are here!

- The service will begin with announcements and about 20 minutes of singing, followed by an offering then there will be a message from the Bible. *Please feel at home.*
- After the service, stop by our Information Center. We are here to answer your questions and give you a tour.
- Check out Graceontheisland.com. It has staff listings, information, statement of beliefs, upcoming events, etc.

**CAMPUS MAPS** are available in the TFEC lobby in the information carousel and in the Narthex on the lobby table or on the wall near the hallway.

**Triplett Family Enrichment Center (TFEC)** is the building located across from the main Sanctuary building.

**NEXT SUNDAY is Children's Coin Ministry Sunday.** Please remember to bring your loose coins to place in the offering plate to help support children and youth ministries. Thank you for your support of **Children's Coin Ministry Sunday!**

## WORSHIP

### Traditional Service – 11:00 AM

\*Please stand as you are able

PRELUDE

GraceTones Handbell Ensemble

*Morning Canticle*

Tucker

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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WELCOME\*PASSING THE PEACE

*(All exchange signs and words of God's peace.)*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP *(people read the bold face type)*

LEADER: We may be thirsty and parched, like an un-watered garden, so we come into God's presence:

**PEOPLE: Our God offers us a spring of living water!**

LEADER: We may be weary from worry and work so we come into God's presence:

**PEOPLE: Our God offers us Sabbath rest!**

LEADER: We may be lost or confused so we come into God's presence:

**PEOPLE: Our God offers us welcome and guidance!**

LEADER: We may be broken and burdened so we come into God's presence:

**PEOPLE: Our God heals us and empowers us to stand strong!**

\*HYMN #154

*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name*

(Please be seated)

OPENING PRAYER *(In Unison)*

**O God of all goodness, you welcome us, forgive us and heal us. You seek us out from places where we have hidden from you. You crown us with steadfast love and mercy. Reveal yourself to us in this moment. Let us know your presence so that our spirits may be blessed and hearts may be renewed, in Jesus' name we pray, Amen.**

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER, MORNING PRAYER,  
AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*Spirit of God*

Carter

PRAYER OF DEDICATION *(In Unison)*

**God of abundance and joy, we thank you for the many blessings you have poured on our lives. Receive these gifts we lovingly give and bless them that they may be used in service to others through the ministries and mission of this church. AMEN.**

\*DOXOLOGY #95

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

\*HYMN #349

*Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

SPECIAL MUSIC:

*The Cross and the Crown*

Bernard/Green

Margaret Rose Green, Soprano

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 10:38-42

MESSAGE

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\*HYMN #395

*Take Time to be Holy*

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

*O Worship the King*

arr. Whitworth

Serving as Worship Leader today: Robert Waldron

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN HONOR OF ED KALCHBRENNER'S 80<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY**  
given by Robert & Debbie Waldron

### SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

KIDZ CLUB Time at 9:55 AM following Children's Church, children are taken upstairs to rooms 205, 206/207. This time will include crafts, games and sometimes a small snack. Please check your child in **PRIOR** to worship to ensure safety for your child. Pickup is upstairs (in the back lobby area) at 11:15 AM.

### YOUTH MINISTRIES

Youth Sunday school meets on Sunday morning, at 10:15AM, right after the Life Journey service in TFEC, in Room 200. We will be using Cokesbury's Submerge.

### ADULT CLASSES

#### Traditional

9:30 AM Wesleyan Class in the main building, West Wing

9:30 AM Christian Encounters in the main building, East Wing

#### LifeJourney

10:15 AM Your Turn Class in the main building, Parlor B.

Connecting Class in TFEC Room 108

Discussing our week with Jesus and making the word connect in our daily lives with our families.

For more information, Sunday school fliers are located in the information display in the lobby of TFEC or on the table in the Narthex of the main building.

## CALENDAR

### Sunday – JUNE 10

8:30am Coffee Time – TFEC Lobby  
9:00am \*LifeJourney Contemporary Worship – TFEC  
9:00am \*Children's Church – TFEC Rooms 106 (3-5 years) & 108 (K-5<sup>th</sup>)  
9:30am \*Traditional Adult Sunday school–Wesleyan, WW; Christian Encounters, EW;  
10:00am Kidz Club – TFEC Rooms 205 – 207  
10:15am \*LifeJourney Adult Sunday school; Connections= 108;  
Your Turn=Parlor B;  
10:15am \*Youth Sunday school – TFEC Room 200  
11:00am \*Traditional Worship – Sanctuary

### Monday – JUNE 11

7:30am Grace Summer Camp – TFEC  
9:15am Chapel VBS Day – TFEC GYM  
5:00pm Prayer Group – Chapel

### Tuesday – JUNE 12

7:30am Grace Summer Camp – TFEC  
10:00am Grace Staff Meeting – Parlor  
5:30pm GraceTones Handbell Ensemble– Music Room  
7:00pm AA Meeting – Meeting Room C  
7:00pm Emmaus Men's Meeting – Library

### Wednesday – JUNE 13

7:30am Grace Summer Camp – TFEC  
9:00am Piecemakers – Punch Hall & East Wing  
1:30pm VOI Communion – VOI  
5:15pm Snack Supper – TFEC  
6:00pm Grace Kidz & Anchored Youth – TFEC  
6:00pm Grace Grow Groups – TFEC  
6:30pm Boy Scout Troop #77 – PH/EW/WW  
6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Music Room  
7:00pm Al Anon Meeting – Meeting Room C

### Thursday – JUNE 14

7:30am Grace Summer Camp – TFEC  
6:00pm Mission Leadership Meeting – Parlor  
7:00pm AA Meeting – Meeting Room C  
7:00pm Life Journey Praise Team Practice – TFEC Main Hall

### Friday – JUNE 15

7:30am Grace Summer Camp – TFEC  
10:00am French Class – Meeting Rm C

### Saturday – JUNE 16

NO Scheduled Events

## STEWARDSHIP

Figures from Sunday, June 4, 2018  
General Offering Received: \$13,628.29  
Weekly Offering General Fund Goal: \$17,930.00  
\*Loan Balance as of 5/30/18: \$16,729.67

\*We do **NOT** have a building fund. This would imply we are gathering/saving funds to start a new building project. In addition we do **NOT** have a mortgage. What we have is a **loan** from building the Preschool and renovation of TFEC. If you plan to give directly to pay the loan – please note on check "LOAN REDUCTION" and we will know these funds go to the principle of the loan. Thank you!

Attendance: 321 (One Year Ago: (278)

### Mission Support

Pat & Karen Burroughs-Campus Crusade  
Sara Flores-Ecuador (Global Mission Partner)  
Sister Methodist Church in Herrera, Cuba

## CHURCH STAFF

Kenneth Carter, Florida Conference, Resident Bishop  
Rinaldo Hernandez, District Superintendent, SW District

All Members of the Church, Ministers

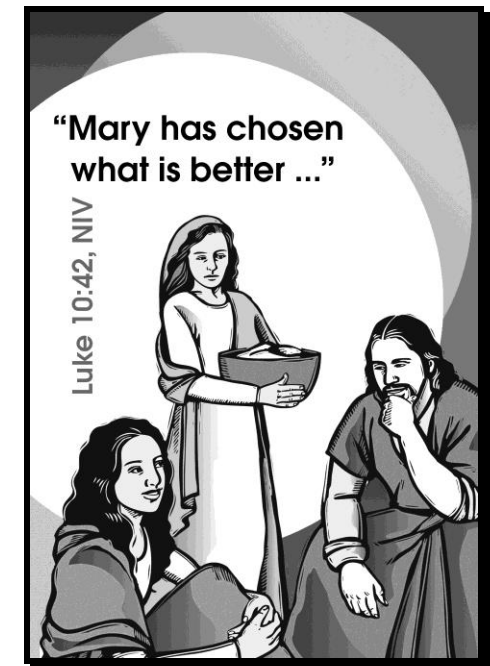
Robin Hager, Pastor  
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Rich Hager, Praise Team Leader  
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A Stephen Ministry Congregation

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### Helpful Information

Our NURSERY is located in the main hallway of TFEC and is available during all worship services and Sunday school.  
Infant & Toddler room – 104 Preschoolers – 106

Children's notebooks are located on the back wall. Children who remain in worship service are welcome to read and color the paper activities that relate to what the younger children are doing in Children's church.

### In the Sanctuary

Do you wear a hearing aid? A designated seating area beside the Sound Booth is equipped with a hearing assisted loop. The loop is compatible with t-coil enabled hearing aids. For more information, please speak with Mike Ferguson, our sound technician.

Hearing amplifiers are also available from the ushers.

**Large print hymnals and bulletins are located  
in the rear of the Sanctuary.**

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## ~WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES~

AT 5:15 PM IN TFEC, WE START WITH SNACK SUPPER. CHILDREN/YOUTH, FAMILIES AND ADULTS PARTICIPATING IN WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES ARE ALL INVITED.

SUGGESTED DONATION IS \$2.50 PER PERSON.

THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES BEGIN AT 6:00 PM & WRAP UP CLOSE TO 7:15 PM

### KIDZ CLUB:

#### PREK - 5TH GRADE

JOIN US FOR SOME DEEP BLUE LIFE! DEEP BLUE LIFE: SPIRITUAL PRACTICES HELP CHILDREN FORM HABITS THAT CONNECT THEM WITH GOD (SUCH AS SILENCE, PRAYER, UNPLUGGING, WORSHIP, SHARING MEALS, AND BAPTISM). IT FOCUSES ON LIVING LIFE FAITHFULLY, UTILIZING BIBLE STORIES, STORIES ABOUT FAITH LEADERS, AND SPIRITUAL PRACTICES. OUR KIDZ WILL BE EMPOWERED TO TAKE PART IN GOD'S GREAT STORY!

### ANCHORED YOUTH:

#### 6TH GRADE - COLLEGE

TOGETHER WE ARE STUDYING RE:FORM METHODIST TRADITIONS. RE:FORM METHODIST TRADITIONS IS A YOUTH BIBLE STUDY THAT HAS THREE PARTS, ENCOUNTER, ENGAGE & RESPOND FOR EACH LESSON. RE:FORM PROVIDES A THEOLOGICAL BACKGROUND ON THE QUESTIONS PRESENTED IN THE VIDEO, OFFERS SUGGESTIONS ON SUPPORTING YOUTH AS THEY TACKLE THE TOUGH QUESTIONS, AND INCLUDES INDIVIDUAL AND GROUP ACTIVITIES. RE:FORM TRADITIONS - METHODIST INCLUDES 4 SESSIONS (BACKSTORY, BELIEFS, PRACTICES, AND TRADITION TODAY). DID THE METHODIST CHURCH REALLY START BECAUSE OF SOME HOLIER-THAN-THOU TEENAGERS? WHAT THE HECK IS PREVENIENT GRACE AND DO I HAVE TO LEARN GEOMETRY TO BE METHODIST? IF A METHODIST SINGS OUT OF TUNE, DOES THAT MEAN THEY'RE NOT PERFECT? WHAT ACTUALLY HAPPENS WHEN METHODISTS ARE ON A MISSION?

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE GRACE KIDZ OR ANCHORED YOUTH PROGRAM & ACTIVITIES CONTACT VICKI MACKAY  
AT [CHILDREN@GRACEONTHEISLAND.COM](mailto:CHILDREN@GRACEONTHEISLAND.COM)

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Wednesday Grace Grow Groups allows you to dig deeper into the word of God in a community setting. It is open to men, women, single or married. Our Wednesday Studies will vary from specific books of the Bible, topical studies to seasonal reflections. A perfect place to grow together with your Grace Family. Grow Groups will take place at 6:00pm, just after snack supper. Join us for that too!

This summer we will be offering the following groups for adults:

1. **Stuck by Jennie Allen** - Starts 6/13 Room: Parlor So many of us live stuck. Stuck trying to seem perfect. Stuck in the sadness. Stuck feeling numb. Stuck pursuing more stuff to make us happy. Stuck in something we can't even name. These stuck places often go unattended inside of us and they are shaping our lives more than we would like to think. We've been trying to fix this feeling with everything but...God. He has a plan for these spaces inside of us, the places we feel broken, but we have to go to Him. Stuck is a journey to take an honest look at the fight going on inside, leading us to the God who has a plan to restore it, to restore us. Led by Sue Clinger
2. **Stressed Out by Todd Friel** - Starts Wed 6/6 Room: TFEC 103 One of the first stories in the Bible is about anxiety. God asked Cain, "Why has your countenance fallen" (Genesis 4:6)? In other words, Cain was depressed. He may have been the first human to suffer from anxiety, but he most certainly is not the last. EVERYONE, without exception, wrestles with anxiety or depression. So many people have sought relief in all the wrong places when the Bible offers clear, reliable, and effective means for not just ending anxiety, but having a peace that surpasses all understanding. There is great hope, anxiety sufferer. How caring is our God? Here is a book to let you know with no platitudes and no patronizing. Prepare to discover 12 anxiety relievers from Jesus Christ that will get to the root of your anxiety problem and give you the tools you need to replace your anxious thoughts with profound, settled, hopeful joy. Led by Nancy Klingbiel
3. **Divine Mentor by Wayne Cordeiro** - Starts Wed 6/13 Room: TFEC 108 Many believers--no matter where they are in their walk with God--settle for a spiritual routine that lacks God's presence. But what they truly want, and truly need, is a dynamic, vital, and intimate relationship with God. In his new book, Wayne Cordeiro gently but directly shows readers how to move from routine to relationship--from mundane actions to fresh encounters--by learning to hear Him speak to them through the Bible. Just as the disciples had a fresh, daily walk with Jesus on earth, God intends for Christians to have communion with Him through His Word and His Holy Spirit. Through stories, lessons, and anecdotes, Cordeiro equips readers to listen to the promptings of the Holy Spirit as they read God's Word, enabling them to revolutionize their daily quiet time with the Lord. Led by Pastor Robin

**\*Sign up on Sundays at the information centers or call the church office 941-484-1374**

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### The Piecemakers' News

The Piecemakers will continue to meet over the summer months. We are always open to new members. We have a variety of projects for quilters and machine sewers, and hand sewers as well. We meet in the East Wing on Wednesdays from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Our mission is "to support each other in fellowship and love as we create quilts for our babies, shut-ins, and friends of Grace United Methodist Church who need comfort; and to make items for sale to assist our church financially."

If you know of someone in the congregation who would like to receive a visit and a comfort quilt please let the Piecemakers know. If you have a son or daughter returning home from active duty in the military and would like to have him or her receive a quilt, please call Carol Simpson at 497-6738 or Audrey King at 497-5478.

SERVE

### CONNECT GROW SERVE

The Nominating Committee is seeking volunteers to serve on the Mission Leadership Team. If you have a heart for serving people or possess the kinds of organizational skills that can empower others to serve, The Mission Leadership Team needs you.

This team will work to plan and coordinate a program of Mission in service and witness in our neighborhood, greater community, our country and around the world. The team will also work to coordinate the distribution of funds to various groups that the church supports. There are many different Grace UMC groups that support a lot of worthwhile missions, but often the church is unaware of the extent of their giving. In an effort to be good stewards and maximize ministry impact, the Mission Leadership Team would like to ask that a representative from each group to be a part of the Mission Leadership Team. The Mission Leadership Team does not wish to interfere in their work but could assist by suggesting and/coordinating giving to a variety of community organizations.

Additionally, we are looking for someone to co-chair the Mission Leadership Team with Nancy Vanderwall, who is a seasonal resident in Venice and is in need of some help, especially through the summer months. If you are interested in serving as a co-chair or in being a part of Missions in any capacity, please talk with Pastor Robin or Jay Geerdes or come to our next Mission Leadership Team Meeting on Thursday, June 14, 2018 at 6:00 pm in the Parlor.

