

REACH OUT IN CHRIST

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 14, 2018

10:00 AM

Prelude David Matthews

Welcome and Announcements

*Passing the Peace of Christ

*Introit

*Call to Worship

Leader: I will tell of your name to my brothers and sisters; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

People: The poor shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek him shall praise the LORD. May your hearts live forever!

Leader: All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD; and all the families of the nations shall worship before him.

People: For dominion belongs to the LORD, and he rules over the nations.

*Hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" (vss. 1,2,5) 139

*Opening Prayer

Lord Jesus, for too long I've kept you out of my life. I know that I am a sinner and that I cannot save myself. Give me grace to open the door when I hear you knocking. I am ready to trust you as my Lord and Savior. Thank you, Lord Jesus, for coming to earth. I believe you are the Son of God who died on the cross for my sins and rose from the dead on the third day. Thank you for bearing my sins and giving me the gift of eternal life. I believe your words are true. Come into my heart, Lord Jesus, and be my Savior. Amen.

The Children's Moment Mary Carefoot

Offertory David Matthews

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology 95

Hymn "O How I Love Jesus" 170

Pastoral Prayer

Choir Anthem "How Beautiful Your Name" (P. Choppin)

Scripture Lesson Mark 10:17-27 1230

Sermon "Saved by Surprise" Pastor David

*Hymn "Grace Greater Than Our Sin" (vss. 1-2) 365

*Benediction

Postlude David Matthews

*Please stand as you are able

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***Altar Flowers** – The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God.

***Welcome** – We welcome all who have come to worship today. If you are new here, we would love to support your spiritual journey. We also need your help in ministry! If you are committed to this group of Christ's people, consider making the pledge of membership. *Hearing Assistance Devices* are available. Please ask an usher for help.

***Circle of Prayer** – *Church:* Mary Whitaker, Selma Marlowe, Rod Bailey, Aida Weldon, Helen Coast and Marianne Myatt. *Neighbors Near and Far:* Marilyn Tripp, Carrie D., Linda Saucier, David Lane, Winnifred Corbett, John Phillips, Avram Kent, Helen MacWhinney, Michael Kesti, Devan Whitaker, and Gracie Stalvey.

Seek good and not evil, that you may live; and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you, just as you have said. Hate evil and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph. Amos 5:14-15

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
NEW PORT RICHEY**

<u>THIS WEEK</u>		
SUN. (10/14)	11:30 am	Green Team in Conf. Room
	5:00 pm	FYI Member Class
MON. (10/15)	9:30 am	Food and Clothes Distribution
	6:00 pm	Staff Parish Meeting in Conf. Room
TUES. (10/16)	10:00 am	Lydia Circle in Conf. Room
	6:00 pm	Trustees Comm. Mtg. in Conf. Room
	7:00 pm	Admin. Council Mtg. in Conf. Room
WED. (10/17)		NEWS LETTER DEADLINE
	10:30 am	Bible Study in Conf. Room
	5:00 pm	Love Feast in Henderson Hall
	5:00 pm	Young Voices
	6:45 pm	Choir Practice
THURS. (10/18)	1:00 pm	Rebekah Circle in Henderson Hall
FRI. (10/19)		OFFICE CLOSED
		VETERANS STANDDOWN 10/19-10/21
SAT. (10/20)	9:00 am	Volunteers Start Set Up
	10:00 am-2:00 pm	FALL FAMILY FESTIVAL
SUN. (10/21)	8:45 am	Adult Sunday School in Conf. Room
	9:00 am	Soul Café
	10:00 am	Worship Service (kids' church & nursery)
	5:00 pm	FYI Member Class

***HELP OUT AT THE PATCH** – Volunteers are needed to sell pumpkins at the patch during the week from 2:00-4:00 pm and 4:00-6:00 pm. You can let Julie know or sign up in the Narthex.

***GENIUS BUCKET!** – The Green Team needs your donations of small items that can be recycled into artistic creations by the children who visit our booth at the UPCYCLE event, November 17. We need all your odds and ends of junk: yarn, scraps of cloth, buttons, plastic caps and straws, unidentified keys, etc. Bring your junk to church and let the children unleash its potential!



Pastor—David Carefoot
 Liturgist—Bill Maytum
 Music Director, Ruthie Nelson; Accompanist, David Matthews
 Nursery—Joan Klingensmith
 Greeters—Rita Harned & Fredia Russell
 Ushers—Carolyn Arnold, Gloria Peters, Annette Cardente and Betty Bushong
 Sound Board—George Kranz and Rob Marlowe

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