Rev. Dr. Eric Elnes, Interim Senior Pastor
Rev. Dr. Guillermo Márquez-Sterling, Pastor
Signe and Todd Webb, Associates for Children and Youth Ministries
Dale Williams, Choir Director and Organist/Pianist (10:00)
Winston Culler, Music Leader for the 8:30 Service
Anthony Wright, Worship Streaming Director
Stacey Jackson, Church Administrator
Kristy Gilbert, Church Bookkeeper
Traci Hitchcox, Media Communications Coordinator
Jennifer Bell and Rafiqa Kaid, Cleaning Services

727-360-5508 107 16th Avenue, St. Pete Beach, FL 33706

PASS-A-GRILLE BEACH COMMUNITY CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday Worship

No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome <u>here</u>.

JULY 7, 2024 • 10:00 AM • PAGCHURCH.ORG

Announcements

One Service Sundays

Please note that we will offer only our 10 am service during the month of July. The 8:30 am service will resume August 4th.

Childrens' Faith Formation time during 10:00 am church will not meet in July.

Faith Formation time will resume on August 11 as school starts again.

In the meantime, there are busy bags available under the back pew for our youngest members to enjoy while attending services. The nursery is also available for parents and young children.

Donations Needed

Good Samaritan Food Pantry is in need of packaged snack cracker sandwiches stuffed with cheese or peanut butter. Please place donations in the barrel in Fellowship Hall.

New Member Joining Sunday, July 28

If you're interested in joining the church, or would like additional information regarding church membership, please contact the church's Membership Coordinator, Donna DeSpain, at ddespain35@gmail.com

PAGBCC will host a celebration of life service in memory of Jo Rogers on Tuesday, July 16 at 11 am.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and friends of Sophie Dingivan, as we mourn her recent passing.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Janet Christein, Wesley Clymer, Kathy Cunningham, Ralph Johnson, Michael McDermott, Judi Oliver, Harrison Purzycki, Susie Williams, Phyllis Winans, and our servicemen and women



JOIN US AT A SENDOFF CELEBRATION FOR PASTOR GUILLERMO



Pastor Guillermo will be preaching about change and God's assurance.

Come and worship at 10 AM

July 14 A Change is Gonna Come Isaiah 40: 1 - 5

July 21 Change Yourself, Change the World Colossians 3: 12 - 17

JULY 7, 2024 • 10:00 AM

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

This is an Open and Affirming church of the United Church of Christ.
All are welcome.

PRELUDE "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" arr. Mark Hayes

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: And God said, "Let there be light."

People: God decided to bring light into the world.

Pastor: And God said, "It is not good for humans to be alone."

People: God decided to bring love into the world.

Pastor: And God said, "I am who I am."

People: God decided to reveal its Divinity to the world.

Pastor: Bless our gathering today, O God...

People: That we might follow your light,

Pastor: That we might love one another,

People: That we might come to know you.

OPENING HYMN "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" # 1

UNISON OPENING PRAYER

We come humbly before you in prayer, O God, leaving behind our pride, for we are nothing without you. Cleanse our hearts of all blemishes that separate us from your love. Strengthen our faith, O God, so we might continue walking on your path without questioning why there are challenges and difficulties. And above all, help us to becoming responsible with our love, offering it with wisdom, carrying it with passion, and celebrating the many ways love is manifested in your creation. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

GIFT OF MUSIC

"His Eye Is on the Sparrow" Charles Gabriel/arr. Fettke Brian Feist and Scott Hartman, duet

SCRIPTURE Jeremiah 29: 11 – 14

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Guillermo Márquez-Sterling

Assurance During Times of Change

Part 1: Best Laid Plans

GIFT OF MUSIC

"Panis Angelicus" César Franck/arr. Christy Brian Feist and Scott Hartman, duet

"Panis Angelicus" is Latin for "Bread of Angels". It is the second-to-last section of the hymn "Sacris solemnis," which was written by Saint Thomas Aquinas in the 13th century. The hymn was originally written for the Feast of Corpus Christi, a celebration of the body and blood of Jesus Christ. In 1872, composer César Franck set "Panis Angelicus" to music.

The angel's bread becomes the bread of men.

Oh, miraculous thing!

The body of the Lord will nourish the poor and humble servant.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Everyone is invited to partake in the sacrament.

No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, this table is open to you.

Gluten free, self-contained communion packets are available at the front.

Words of Institution
Prayer of Blessing
Distribution of the Sacrament
"Here at Your Table, Lord" arr. Mark Hayes
Closing Prayer of Thanksgiving and 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.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

(Verses 1 and 2)

394

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

You can give a donation via Venmo to (727) 200 – 2785 or by scanning the QR code below.



BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Postlude on 'Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" arr. Jack Jones