

## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 a.m.

September 9, 2018

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE “Lead On, O King Eternal with The Lord is My Light” arr. Anna Laura Page  
Philip King

### CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

Leader: Be rich in faith, says the God who gives us life.

**People: We trust in God, who is faithful to us.**

Leader: Be strong in the Spirit, says the God who carries us through life.

**People: We trust in God, who surrounds us with love.**

Leader: Be steadfast and generous, says the God of grace.

**All: Let us give thanks and worship the God of faith, life, compassion and grace!**

\*HYMN 451 “Open My Eyes, That I May See”

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

**Lord, Jesus, you taught us to love our neighbor as ourselves. We admit that we often find that difficult. We often ignore those in need around us. We fail to see the path of service you lay before us. Jesus, forgive us and teach us your way. Help us to be kind and loving to all people. In Christ’s name. Amen.**

\*TIME FOR SILENT CONFESSION

\*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: Hear the good news of God’s promise: I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. Now stand firm in your faith ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**People: Thanks be to God.**

\*RESPONSE HYMN 702 “Christ Be Beside Me” (Verse 1)

**Christ be beside me; Christ be before me; Christ be behind me,  
King of my heart. Christ be within me; Christ be below me;  
Christ be above me, never to part.**

### CHILDREN’S TIME

### JOYS AND CONCERNS

INTERLUDE “God Will Take Care of You” arr. Lyndell Leatherman

PASTORAL PRAYER and LORD’S PRAYER

ANTHEM “Written in Red” arr. Camp Kirkland  
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE Psalm 146 Pew Bible, Pages 778-779

GIVING THANKS WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS Elder Stacy Woodward

OFFERTORY “Improvisation on ‘Balm in Gilead’” Joseph M. Martin

## SUNDAY AT HOPE

**CHILDREN’S CHURCH** is a time for children ages 4 through 6 to gather and share the scripture which the adults will be sharing in worship. Children will leave after the “Time for Children” for Children’s Church or for the Nursery (up to 4 years of age).

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets today at 10:45 a.m. in the Sunset Room after the worship service.

**UKULELE GROUP** meets tonight at 6:30 p.m. in the Christian Education Building, Room 200.

**NAME TAG SIGN UP**—If you have not ordered a name tag, please sign up at the table in the Narthex. A new order will be placed soon. Thank you!

### LIVING PROOF *Simulcast*: Study with Beth Moore

*Hello Ladies!!* You are invited to a unique time of worship with Beth Moore and Travis Cottrell on **Saturday, September 15**, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The study will be led by Beth Moore and the actual worship service is led by Travis Cottrell. “Travis is a contemporary Christian music artist, songwriter, author, and worship leader. He has received several Dove Awards.” (Wikipedia) “Beth Moore is an evangelist, author, and Bible teacher. She is the founder of *Living Proof Ministries*, a Bible-based organization for women which is based in Houston, Texas.” (Wikipedia) This worship service will be a *simulcast*.

**What is a simulcast?** A *simulcast* is an event that is broadcast simultaneously to various hosting locations worldwide through the use of the internet. The fee for the broadcast is \$20 per individual. You are also invited for lunch that is only \$5, but we must have reservations for your meal. **Please mark the pew pads if you plan to attend.** If you have questions regarding this event, please contact Julie in the church office (863) 324-6382.

### SAVE THE DATE

**HOPE’S TRUNK OR TREAT**  
Sunday, October 28 — 4:30 to 7 p.m.

If you are out shopping and see a great buy on candy, go ahead and purchase some, because you know how quickly it goes at TRUNK OR TREAT! If you need ideas for a trunk, please see me and I will help you find one! Thank you! — Julie

### COMING SOON

**“FAITHFUL, ABUNDANT AND TRUE”**

Stay tuned for our Women’s Bible Study call “Faithful, Abundant and True” by Kay Arthur, Priscilla Shirer, and Beth Moore. Kay Arthur teaches from the book of Hebrews regarding “faithfulness.” Priscilla Shirer teaches on “abundance” from the book of Ephesians, and Beth Moore teaches on the topic of “discernment.” Participants will watch and discuss the video sessions, and study the teachings through daily Bible study and personal application. This 7-week study is designed for busy women and should only require approximately 15 to 30 minutes per day. This will be an evening Bible study. More information regarding dates and times are coming!

## CEDARKIRK ANNUAL SENIOR ADULT RETREAT

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30

Everyone is invited to join us on **Tuesday, October 30** for the **Cedarkirk Annual Senior Adult Retreat**. We will enjoy an engaging speaker, share music together, and explore the camp. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes since there will be free time available for recreation and rocking on the porch! We will have breakfast treats and a delicious lunch. Cost is \$20 per person and includes snacks, lunch and all our activities. Please contact Julie to register (863) 324-6382 or mark the pew pads if you plan to attend.

**CARDS OF HOPE** meet **Monday, September 10** at 9 a.m. in the Sunset Room.

**CIRCLE OF FRIENDS** will meet **Monday, September 10** at 5:30 p.m. at the Olive Garden Restaurant. This is a great time to invite a friend, get acquainted, and enjoy dinner together. Please RSVP: Jeanne Madaus (863)326-6056 or e-mail Ann Wainscott: princecraft17@tampabay.rr.com.

**KID’S ROCK** will meet **Thursday, September 13** — 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. for Grades 1 through 6 in the Youth Room.

### KID’S PACK DONATIONS

The Mission Committee would like to invite everyone to participate in the mission work of the church. Even if you can’t help physically, we need your financial contribution. Please consider donating to **KID’S PACK** so we can help more children have food over the weekend. Envelopes are provided in the pew racks and may be placed in the offering plate on any Sunday. Please write “*Kid’s Pack*” on the envelope or on the memo line of your check. Thank you!


On **Thursdays** beginning in September, we will need volunteers to **help deliver Kid’s Pack** to Garden Grove Elementary and Fred G. Garner Elementary. If you would like to help, please contact Julie or call the church office.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE MINI-BAZAAR AND BAKE SALE**  
Saturday, October 13  
8 a.m. until 1 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

Autumn, Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas donations and other items may be brought to the church and left in the Service Entrance in the Christian Education Building. Please keep the holiday items separate from all other items. Children’s toys are accepted, but we cannot accept clothing or shoes.

The BIG Annual Bazaar is scheduled for **Saturday, February 2, 2019**. Thank you for your continued support. — Bazaar Committee

 **\$25 cards available today at the Scrip Table**—Applebee’s, Bass Pro Shop, Best Buy, Chili’s, CVS, Darden Restaurants, Home Depot, Lowes, Outback, Ruby Tuesday, Staples, Walgreens and Walmart.

**\$10 gift cards available** — Bath & Body Works, Bob Evans, Boston Market, Burger King, Cracker Barrel, Dairy Queen, Denny’s, Panera Bread, Starbucks, Subway, Taco Bell and Wendy’s.

**A LIST OF PRAYER CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION  
IS AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX LITERATURE RACKS**

\*RESPONSE HYMN 606

“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. Amen.**

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 7:24-37 Pew Bible, Pages 1225-1226

SERMON “HE COULDN’T HIDE...” Reverend Owen Carriker

\*HYMN 65 “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE “Toccata on ‘Amazing Grace’” J. Christopher Pardini

\*Congregation stands, if able  
Bold print: congregational response

**TO OUR VISITORS, NEWCOMERS, AND GUESTS—Welcome to Hope Church.** We hope you will find words of encouragement as you worship with us this morning. **Please print your name, address, phone number, and e-mail on the Friendship Pads.**

**ASSISTING IN WORSHIP** today is Elder Stacy Woodward, Moderator of the Christian Education Committee.

**A NURSERY** is provided from 9:15 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. in the Christian Education Building, Room 246, for children under 4 years.

**FAMILY WORSHIP CENTER**, a friendly atmosphere for parents with infants and toddlers, is located next to the Library. *Children’s Busy Bags are available in the Narthex.*

**HEARING ENHANCEMENT DEVICES and LARGE PRINT BULLETINS** are available during Worship. Please see an usher for assistance.

**CHANCEL FLOWERS** are presented to the Glory of God by Dick and Jeanie Madaus in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Cindy.

**THE FLOWER CALENDAR** is available on the green stand in the Narthex. Dates available are: October 28, November 4, 11 and 25, December 2, and 9. The cost for two arrangements is \$50. Please complete the yellow information form and return it with your check to the church office. Thank you!

**SYMPATHY OF THE CONGREGATION** is extended to the family of Harley McVay upon his death on Thursday, August 30. A memorial service will be held on at a later date.

**THE SHOPPING CART** contents for the month of **September** will be dedicated to **Family Emergency Services** of Winter Haven. Their needs include all types of non-perishable food items as well as products for use in the home. Another way to help is by contributing monetary gifts. Please make checks payable to “*Family Emergency Services*” and place in the offering plate. Thank you for contributing to this worthy ministry.

The **Bloodmobile** will be at Hope Church on **Sunday, September 23** from 9 to 11 a.m. Please make this precious donation. A photo ID is required at the time of donation. Thank you!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Week of September 9, 2018

### Sunday, September 9

9:30 a.m. Worship  
9:45 a.m. Children’s Church  
10:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School, Sunset Room  
6:30 p.m. Ukulele Group, Room 200

### Monday, September 10

4:45 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall  
9:00 a.m. Cards of Hope, Sunset Room  
5:30 p.m. Circle of Friends, Olive Garden  
6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Volunteers, Multipurpose Room  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts, Sanctuary  
7:00 p.m. Nueva Esperanza Prayer Group, Room 200

### Tuesday, September 11

4:45 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall  
9:00 a.m. Property Committee, Sunset Room  
10:00 a.m. PW Board Meeting, Parlor  
4:30 p.m. Aerobics, Multipurpose Room 227

### Wednesday, September 12

4:45 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall  
11:00 a.m. Prayer Group of Hope, Parlor  
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

### Thursday, September 13

4:45 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall  
4:00 p.m. Kids Rock, Youth Room  
4:30 p.m. Aerobics, Multipurpose Room 227  
6:00 p.m. Worship Committee, Parlor  
7:00 p.m. Nueva Esperanza Bible Study, Room 200

### Friday, September 14

4:45 a.m. Sweatin’ Hope Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall

### Saturday, September 15

**9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Beth Moore Simulcast, Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall**  
4:00 p.m. Nueva Esperanza Ladies meeting, Multipurpose Room

### Next Sunday, September 16

9:30 a.m. Worship  
9:45 a.m. Children’s Church  
10:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School, Sunset Room  
6:30 p.m. Ukulele Group, Room 200

## WEEKLY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

**Sunday, September 2, 2018**

**9:30 a.m. Worship 155**

**Ushers:** Lynne Maxwell, Captain; Marilyn Bauer, Brenda Gregory, Judith Calhoun, Dale Willard

**Flowers:** Dale Willard



## OUR MISSION STATEMENT TO ALL PEOPLE

**God loves us; we love God; reaching up through faith, reaching out in love: being Christ’s Beacon of Hope.**

*We reach up by building an inclusive, Christ-centered, Bible-based church; We reach out by serving the poor, caring for the sick and uplifting the oppressed and broken;*

*We are a Beacon of Hope by being a loving community of believers, bringing Christ’s example to life, as we are led by the Holy Spirit to use our blessings and talents, and by empowering people to be servant leaders.*

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