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→ The Community Church of Vero Beach

"Founded in 1924 in the belief that there is more that binds us together than separates us in the worship of God."

6.24.2018

CHAPEL 8:00 A.M.

SANCTUARY SERVICE 10:15 A.M.

C² SERVICE (COMMUNITY HALL) 9:25 A.M.

WELCOME

Recognizing the wide welcome offered to all through Jesus Christ, Community Church opens its arms to all.

We strive to offer Christ's wide welcome to all people, regardless of creed, age, race, or sexual identity.

*We invite you to join our congregation in worship and in membership,
as we allow our lives to be shaped by the loving outreach of Christ.*

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Please rise in body or spirit. **Bold text indicates congregational participation.*

Teachers will lead children age 4 through 5th grade to Sunday school after the Passing of the Peace.

Nursery care available during our C^e and Sanctuary worship services.

Our services are live-streamed via internet, capturing the chancel & the congregation.

THE GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE

PRELUDE

Prelude, Op. 94, No. 2

Rochelle Sallee, piano

Franz Schubert

COMMUNITY WORDS

Rev. David W. Johnson (8:00 a.m.)

Dr. Robert T. Baggott (10:15 a.m.)

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

Dr. Casey G. Baggott

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN AND ENTRANCE OF THE CHRIST LIGHT

"O Worship Our God, All Glorious Above!"

LYONS

O wor - ship our God, all glo - rious a - bove! O
O tell of God's might, O sing of God's grace, Whose
The earth with its store of wond - ders un - told, Al -
Thy boun - ti - ful care what tongue can re - cite? It
Frail child - ren of dust, and fee - ble as frail, In
grate - ful - ly sing God's power and God's love; Our
robe is the light, whose can - o - py space, The
might - y, Thy pow'r hath found - ed of old; Hath
breathes in the air, it shines in the light; It
Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy
shield and de - fend - er the An - cient of Days, Pa -
char - iots of heav'n the deep thun - der - clouds form, And
stab - lished it fast by a chang - less de - cree, And
streams from the hills, it de - scends to the plain, And
mer - cies how ten - der, how firm to the end, Our
vil - ioned in splen - dor and gird - ded with praise.
bright is God's path on the wings of the storm.
round it hath cast, like a man - tle, the sea.
sweet - ly dis - tills in the dew and the rain.
ma - ker, de - fen - der, re - deem - er, and friend.

One: Surely God is here in our midst. Let us turn to God in trust.

All: **Though the storms of life threaten to overwhelm us, we do not fear.**

One: Though problems beset us, we are not afraid.

All: **Though we are confronted with challenges we don't know how to master, we know no dread.**

One: For you are with us, God, and your Spirit is our strength and comfort. Let us pray.

*UNISON PRAYER

Ever-present God, in times of trouble, when our lives feel out of our control, and our own resources appear strained to the breaking point, help us to remember the assurances of Jesus. His call was heard by his followers on the tossing sea. His words brought faith and hope. May we, too, take heart in his pledge to be near us through every stormy hour. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Elaine Matthes

Children grades Pre-k through 5th grade may leave for Sunday School. (Sanctuary 10:15 a.m.)

ATTENDING TO GOD'S WORD

ANTIPHONAL READING

Clergy, Cantor, and Congregation

Antiphon: Congregation may join the cantor in singing the antiphon.

Psalm 107, selected verses



Cantor and Congregation

One: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever. Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, those he redeemed from trouble. Some wandered in desert wastes, finding no way to an inhabited town; hungry and thirsty, their soul fainted within them. Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress.

Cantor and Congregation

One: Some went down to the sea in ships. They mounted up to heaven, they went down to the depths. Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he brought them out from their distress; he made the storm be still, and the waves of the sea were hushed.

Cantor and Congregation

One: Extol him in the congregation of the people, and praise him in the assembly of the elders. Let those who are wise give heed to these things, and consider the steadfast love of the Lord.

Cantor and Congregation

RESPONSE

One: May God who commanded light to shine out of darkness enlighten our way today.

All: **Amen.**

READING FROM THE EPISTLES

Elaine Matthes

One: God's message finds utterance in our midst.
 All: **We wait and listen for God's word to us today.**

Ephesians 2:12-14, 17-22

¹²Remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. ¹³But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. ¹⁴For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. ¹⁷So he came and proclaimed peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near; ¹⁸for through him both of us have access in one Spirit to the Father. ¹⁹So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, ²⁰built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. ²¹In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; ²²in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling-place for God.

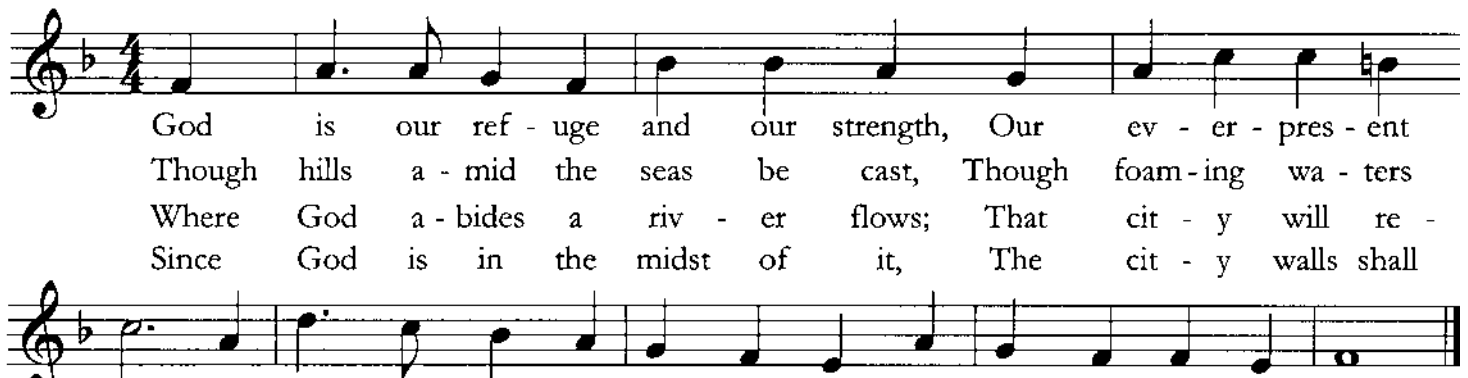
RESPONSE

One: Christ stands as the cornerstone of our lives.
 All: **We are unified in the presence of Christ and made ready to receive God's spirit.**

*HYMN OF DEVOTION

"God is Our Refuge and Our Strength"

WINCHESTER OLD



God is our ref - uge and our strength, Our ev - er - pres - ent
 Though hills a - mid the seas be cast, Though foam - ing wa - ters
 Where God a - bides a riv - er flows; That cit - y will re -
 Since God is in the midst of it, The cit - y walls shall
 aid, And there - fore, though the earth re - move, We will not be a - fraid.
 roar, Yea, though the might - y bil - lows shake The moun - tains on the shore.
 joice. But na - tions fear and king - doms shake Be - fore God's thun - dering voice.
 stand, Se - cure and safe with God's sure help, When trou - ble is at hand.

THE GOSPEL LESSON

Dr. Casey G. Baggott (8:00 a.m.)
 Rev. David W. Johnson (10:15 a.m.)

One: Silence in us, O God, any voice but your own.
 All: **May your Word be proclaimed and received here today.**

Matthew 14:22-33

²²Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. ²³And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, ²⁴but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. ²⁵And early in the morning he came walking toward them on the sea. ²⁶But

when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out in fear. ²⁷ But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, "Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid." ²⁸ Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." ²⁹ He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. ³⁰ But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" ³¹ Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?" ³² When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. ³³ And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

RESPONSE

One: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

"Controlling the Uncontrollable"

Dr. Robert T. Baggott

"...the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them." ~Matthew 14:24b

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UNISON CALL TO OFFERING

Joyce Smith

For every way your presence brings peace to our troubled lives, we give you thanks, God. Receive our gifts of gratitude. May they bring strength and comfort to others who wait for life's storms to pass by. Amen.

OFFERTORY

"The Last Rose of Summer," Op. 15
Felix Mendelssohn

Rochelle Sallee, piano

*DOXOLOGY

CALL TO PRAYER

Dr. Casey G. Baggott

One: God be with you.

All: **And with your spirit.**

One: Let us pray. O Lord, show us your mercy.

All: **And grant us your salvation.**

One: O God, make clean our hearts within us.

All: **And take not your Holy Spirit from us.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (*debts*)

**Our Father which 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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

THE SENDING FORTH

*RECESSIONAL HYMN

“Within Your Shelter, Loving God”

AZMON



With - in Your shel - ter, lov - ing God, my re - fuge and my
Be - cause I trust in You a - lone, no e - vil shall come
Your ho - ly an - gels bear me up and keep my feet se -
As of - ten as I call to You, You kind - ly hear my
All those who know Your name on earth shall life a - bun - dant

tower, I safe - ly walk by day and night be - neath Your guid - ing power.
near. The strong de - fend - er of my home, with You I have no fear.
cure. Though fierce and an - gry foes as - sail, in You my way is sure.
prayer. In times of trou - ble and dis - tress I rest in Your own care.
know. On all a - bid - ing in Your love Your sav - ing grace be - stow.

BENEDICTION

Dr. Robert T. Baggott

POSTLUDE

“Galilee”
Andrew Galuska

Andrew Galuska, organ

ANOINTING

If you desire anointing and prayer for yourself or a loved one, please meet John Hillhouse, Called to Care Minister, at the chancel steps following the postlude at the 8:00 or 10:15 a.m. services today.

IN WORSHIP TODAY

DEACON: Joyce Smith

ACOLYTE: Elizabeth DeSchouwer

THE FLOWERS TODAY ARE DEDICATED TO THE GLORY OF GOD GIVEN

...by Mr. & Mrs. William Porter in loving memory of Amy Elizabeth Porter, Ann & Bill Porter,
and Virginia & Charles Hall

...by April Hargett, Reid Chamberlain, Jeff Chamberlain, and their families, in loving memory of Jack and Ruth Chamberlain on their anniversary.

TODAY WE REMEMBER...

The family of Marge Wysocki. Marge died Wednesday, June 13th.

Please join us outside Community Hall for refreshments and conversation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 1ST: The sermon, “Nobody Got Time for That” is based on Chapter 5 of Mark’s Gospel, and will be given by Rev. David W. Johnson at the 8:00 a.m. Chapel service, 10:15 a.m. Sanctuary service and E-cast at the 9:25 a.m. C² service in Community Hall. All are welcome.

CALLING ALL GREETERS: **A Big Thank You** to The Cetrulo Family, Lois Forrest, and Joan Ohl & Charlie, for being our greeters this past Sunday!

Please help us with greeting our congregation as they enter on Sunday morning. There is nothing more friendly than a smiling face and a friendly “hello.” Arrive 30 minutes before the service, stand at your appointed door, and help people feel welcome. Call Lois Forrest at 772-563-9103 to sign up.

LIFELONG FITNESS NEW SUMMER SCHEDULE: Lifelong Fitness classes meet on Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. in Commotion.

PRAYER MINISTRY: The prayer ministry will meet on Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. in room 118 to pray for the needs of our congregation.

BIBLE STUDY: Come join the evening Women’s (self-led) Bible Study at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesdays in Community Hall. All are welcome!

MISSIONS WATCH: *Here are some ways that you can serve our community during the summer—*

HOPE FOR FAMILIES: works to house homeless families in our community. They are currently in need of new twin bedding (sheets and blankets) for bunk beds. If you want to help, take your purchase to them directly (720 4th Street in Vero Beach; phone: 772-567-5537); or bring them to the church office.

THE SALVATION ARMY: is looking for help preparing and delivering food on Mondays or Fridays, and picking up food on other days. If you would like to give a few hours to help them serve our community, email Elaine McNeal/Volunteer Coordinator at elaine.mcneal@uss.salvationarmy.org or call 772.978.0265 Ext 104.

MUSIC & FINE ARTS MINISTRY

Invitation to Singers

Independence Day Celebration in Music

Wednesday, June 27, 2018

Sunday, July 1, 2018

Rehearsal

Call 9:30AM

7:00PM

Service 10:15AM

All are welcome. You are welcome. Bring a Friend!
For more information contact Suzanne Rice at 772-469-2303

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED...

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRY

NURSERY CARE: Today we offer nursery care (infants - 3 year olds) during the C² and Sanctuary worship services. Parents are asked to bring their children to the 2nd floor of our Education Building prior to service. Infants - 23 months meet in Rm. 221, and toddlers (2 - 3 year olds) meet in Rm. 222.

ATTENTION MIDDLE SCHOOLERS: Please meet Dan Lamson in the courtyard before the 9:25 a.m. service. You will go to Sunday School together.



Community Church Camp

The Community Church of Vero Beach

Imaginative Arts for Kids 2018

Grades:

K-5th

When:

Monday-Friday
July 30-August 3
9:00AM-12:00PM

Drop off/ Pick up:

Commotion Entrance
Corner of 22nd St. and 18th Ave.

Cost:

\$25/first student per family
\$10/additional student per family

Registration Deadline:

Monday, July 23

Camp Includes:

- Daily Bible story
- Daily workshops in the fine arts
- C³ Camp T-Shirt
- Daily Snack (for allergies, see below)
- Presentations and Performance
Friday, August 3 at 12:00PM
Bring a Family Picnic
We will provide a popsicle desert.
- Church Presentations
Sunday, August 5
C² 9:25AM
Sanctuary 10:15AM

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INFORMATION

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Sunday 7:30 to 11:30 a.m.



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