



Vanderbilt

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



June 9, 2019
10:00 am | Day of Pentecost

Welcome to Vanderbilt! We rejoice that you are here to worship God with us. Nursery care is available for children age 3 and under. Worship bags and sermon notes are also available in the Narthex for children to use during the Worship service. Please ask an usher if assistance is needed. If you would like to share a joy or concern, please write it on a yellow card. We will collect these cards with the offering. As a courtesy to others, please remember to turn off cell phones during the service.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prayer of Preparation

Amazing God, who created humanity as one people, come among us now to reunify us. Out of our differences, create understanding and eagerness to explore the variety among us. Out of our narrowness, fashion a breadth of involvement to feed our spirits. May we dream dreams and see visions. May we truly hear others and respond to them with empathy and love.
Amen.

Prelude:

“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring”

J.S. Bach

Julie Carter and Jim Cochran, piano and organ.

The Tolling of the Bells

Welcome: *Please take a minute to sign the green friendship pads found in each pew. Then note the names of those seated near you, so you can greet each other by name. The “*” in the bulletin indicates the congregation to stand as able.*

PREPARING TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

***Call To Worship**

On the first Pentecost, there were surprises.

The rush of a violent wind and tongues of fire.

We are together, old and young, rich and poor.

We have come, believers and skeptics, to this place.

On this Pentecost, we can receive the surprises of God.

We can be moved to speak and act in new ways.

With hesitant eagerness, we welcome the Spirit.

We will risk stepping into God's vision for us.

Let us worship God.

***Opening Hymn # 129 "Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us"**

EBENEZER

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

O God, we have built cities for ourselves. We have sought fame and fortune. We have rushed through our days with unseeing eyes, stopped-up ears, and dulled emotions. We are more often enslaved by our fears than freed by your grace. We demand proof of your existence but ignore the work of your hands. We reject Jesus Christ as an impractical visionary. Your Holy Spirit is unreal to us because we insist on being in charge. Have mercy on us, holy God, and save us from ourselves.

Affirmation of Forgiveness

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***Gloria Patri # 579**

H. W. Greatorex

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen!

***Passing of the Peace**

Children's Moment

The Rev. Robert J. Marrow

We welcome and celebrate the presence of children in worship: reserved chairs are available for them in the front with front row pews on both sides for their families, at the 10:00am worship service. Baptized children are invited to receive communion with their parents.

Special Music: Improvisation on Hymns

Julie Carver

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

The First Reading

John 14:8-17, 25-27

(Pew Bible Pg. 108 NT)

L: The Word of the Lord

A: Thanks be to God.

The Second Reading

Acts 2:1-21

(Pew Bible Pg. 119 NT)

L: The Word of the Lord

A: Thanks be to God.

Prayer for Illumination

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

***Affirmation of Faith** *(Unison)*

(The Apostles’ Creed)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Recognition of Outgoing Church Officers

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Music

“Fairest Lord Jesus”

Arr., Derek Hakes

***Doxology # 592**

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, Ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!**

***Prayer of Dedication**

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayer of the People 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; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

***Hymn #131**

“Wind Who Makes All Winds That Blow”

ABERYSTWYTH

***Commission & Blessing**

The Holy Spirit has come to inspire and equip us.

We are empowered for greater works in Jesus’ name.

We will praise our God while we have being.

We will testify to the good news of God’s love.

The power of the first Pentecost is ours to claim.

The Holy Spirit offers us new ability to communicate.

We will heed the Spirit’s promptings.

We will call on God’s name each day.

Alleluia!

Amen!

*Congregational Response:

“Let There Be Peace On Earth” *(Copyright 1955 by Jan-Lee Music. Renewed 1983 Used by permission)*

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me. Let there be peace on earth the peace that was meant to be. With God as our Father, children all are we; Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me let this be the moment now. With every step I take let this be my solemn vow. To take each moment and live each moment in peace, eternally. Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

Postlude:

“Festive Postlude”

David German

You are invited to stay in worship and listen to the Postlude or exit quietly to the Narthex and Fellowship Hall to greet and converse with one another.

WORSHIP LEADERS

The Rev. Robert J. Marrow, Pastor

Liturgist: Laura Marzano

Dr. James Cochran, Director of Music, playing the *Richard and Patricia Fors Organ* to the Glory of God and in honor of James Cochran, organist.

The Chancel Choir

Ushers: Bill and Sue Van Fossen (co-captains), Bob Faude, Peggy Landon, Dianne Westerlund, Joe and Sharon Daggett, Tom Hurley

The Flowers on the Chancel have been donated by members and friends of the congregation in honor and loving memory of friends and family. **This week's flowers are In Loving Memory of Hal & Mary Lou Eaton from their children and grandchildren.**

The following are outgoing church officers:

Session: Debbie Dawley, Doug Dunn, Terry Mountford, Pete Rodino, Patty Shields

Deacon: Lynn Greenblatt, Susie Hilton, Susan Lefebvre, Jim Muir, Nancy Myers, Ron Sieling
Zach Woodring

Sincere thanks for your service to Vanderbilt.

WORSHIP TOGETHER

Sunday, June 16, 2019

Trinity Sunday

Worship Time: 10am

Music - Prayers - Scripture

The Rev. Robert J. Marrow

(John 17:20-26/Acts 16:16-34)

WANTED: VPC MEN & GUESTS TO JOIN THE MONDAY MEN'S ASSOCIATION GOLF GROUP

Come and join us each Monday for 18 holes of golf and fellowship at Arrowhead Golf Club: Greens Fees are now \$29.68. Tee time is @ 7:37am. Call Jim Davison @239-572-4664 before Thursday for the following week's play.

WHY NOT VOLUNTEER FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL? WE NEED YOU!

We need volunteers for our yearly event. Make a genuine difference in the lives of the children you meet, meet others from the congregation and make new friends, have fun and be part of one of the most exciting weeks of the year in our church! **VBS runs from July 15th to July 19th, 9:00 am to noon!** Please help us with this amazing outreach opportunity! The more volunteers we have, the more children we can invite to come! Email Amanda at arowe@vpcnaples.org to sign-up.

PASTOR ROB'S BIBLE STUDY

Each group gathers for a casual discussion of the Scripture passage to be examined during worship on the following week. Join us for: ***Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study at 9:00 am *Wednesday Evening Pastor's Bible Study at 5:30 pm (Open to all)** Hope to see you there!

SUMMER DROP-IN CHANCEL CHOIR

Beginning Sunday, June 9th, all singers are invited to come to church on Sundays at 9:15 a.m. for a short rehearsal in Cochran Hall, then stay and sing for the 10:00 a.m. service. Summer choir is simple (one anthem and hymns). No long-term commitment, no need to sign up in advance. This is a great opportunity to lend your voice to worship and give choir a try. Contact Jim Cochran at 592-5398 or jcochran@vpcnaples.org

DINNER AND A MOVIE

Join VPC For a fun Dinner and a Movie Night! June 22, 6:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. Bring a Side Dish or Dessert to share and we will provide the rest. Following a fun fellowship Dinner you have the option of 2 Movies! Singing In the Rain in Harp Hall or for the young, or young at heart we will be showing Bambi in Fellowship Hall. Please Sign up at the Front Desk or in Fellowship Hall on Sundays.

COLLIER COUNTY SPECIAL NEEDS REGISTRY

Collier Co. Emergency Management in collaboration with the Florida Depart. of Health maintains a Special Needs Registry. Together, in the event of a disaster, they will strive to provide special medical sheltering and/or transportation to a special needs shelter on a critical priority medical basis. Registering with the Special Needs Program automatically enrolls you in ALERT Collier for emergency communications. Completing the Registry does not automatically qualify an individual for the special needs shelter but they will come up with the best emergency option for you! For info, call 239-252-3608, Collier Co. Emergency Management.

NAPLES SALVATION ARMY FACTS

A little known and often surprising fact about Collier County is that approximately 60 percent of children in the public-school system live at or below the poverty level. The Salvation Army of Collier County has partnered with the Collier County Public Schools, Hunger and Homeless Coalition of Collier County, and Youth Haven SWFL to identify Naples children with the most need and the most at risk. Our Fran Cohen Youth Center after-school and summer camp programs were designed to offer families affordable childcare. 156 children are currently enrolled and weekly tuition is 33-50% cheaper than other after-school programs in the area. Right now, 44 children receive discounted tuition averaging \$700 a week in scholarships. We would not be able to offer these rates if not for your generous support and volunteer hours.

ALL CHURCH PICNIC

Back by popular demand: The Worship & Music Team will be hosting a "casual" Sunday service followed by an all church picnic on June 30th. Join us to Celebrate America in Fellowship Hall. Dress in your favorite red white & blue to celebrate with fellowship, food and song. This special occasion is free but you need to sign up so we can plan for the food. Sign up by calling the church office: 239-597-5410 or in Fellowship Hall on Sundays.

OUR VISION

Vanderbilt Presbyterian Church is called by God and empowered by the Holy Spirit to live like Christ in a broken world.

- To Proclaim the Gospel
- To Glorify God in worship and deed
- To Equip our congregation for ministry
- To Serve others in Christ's name.

A congregation...

- ...so grounded in scripture and sustained by prayer,
- ...so committed to spiritual growth and faithful discipleship,
- ...so inviting, welcoming and inclusive,
- ...so nurturing and healing,
- ...so mission-minded,
- ...so vibrant, energetic and open to opportunities to share the Gospel that lives are transformed by the love of Christ.

Please continue to hold in prayer our members and friends facing illness, injury and hardship.

Anita	Jean Lee
Arlene	Lonnie Mahan
Patricia Armstrong	Judy Malone
Barbara Auxier	Maria
Baby Jack	Malcolm McDonald
Family of Betty Baldrige	Marilyn McKee
Barrie & Joe Batchelder	Michele
Bruce	Tebbs Moore
Lois Campbell	Ada Nuhn
Jim Clifford & Family	Owen
Sonja Cookson	Paige Peabody Cane
Courtney	Frank Pliml
JoAnn Degelmann	Russell Ramsey
Paul Dersch	Marjorie Renth
Asia & Hugh Elsbree	Linda Rich
Erin Fallucca	David Rose
Linda Fitzhugh	Mary Alice Rue
Francis	Robin Ryan
Bee Getman	Gene Scarperatta
Caroline Halliwell	Dorothy Sherman
Louise Hancock	Skip
Nancy Hansen	Dr. Leslie Spriggs
Renee Healy	Sue Steinhour
Linda Heinlein	Tidwell Family
The Herbert Family	The Truax Family on the death of Gina's aunt
Steven Huff	Dora Walker
Mary Jenkins	Marie Walton
Sandra Johnson	Wendy Whitman
Danielle Kirby	Kathy Wobbeking
Barbara Klose	Bob & Carol Wood
Family of Mindy Kuhar	
Lana	
David Lawson	

Happy Birthday!

- *Gail Gorran 6/9**
Robert Cassens 6/10
- *Caroline Yovanovich 6/10**
- *Elizabeth Yovanovich 6/10**
- *Chris Fujimoto 6/11**
Robert Myers 6/11
Karen Rockenbach 6/11
- *Carolyn Schumann 6/11**
Frank Armstrong 6/12
Joe Felipe 6/12
Steven Woodring 6/12
- *Lois Deane Hawkins 6/13**
- *Elaine Hinkle 6/13**
Wayne Peters 6/13
- *Michael Smith 6/14**
William Chandley 6/15
David Lee 6/15
Farhat Naseem Yousaf 6/15

Happy Anniversary!

- Jack & Lynn Asinger 6/9
- Bill & Carol Scouler 6/9
- Jim & Lois Deane Hawkins 6/10
- Jim & Sally Muir 6/10
- James & Janet Mungo 6/10
- Dr. Dennis & Suzanne Smith 6/10
- Gary & Anne Christensen 6/11
- John & Roberta McMaster 6/11
- David & Tarie Curtiss 6/12
- Ewald & Maria Forsbrey 6/12
- Mark & Judith Dick 6/14
- Tom & Susan Hallin 6/14

*Birthday Club Members

Interested in joining the Club? Birthday Club Members give one dollar for each year of their life to celebrate their special day! The VPC Endowment Board uses the interest income from the Birthday Club funds exclusively for Youth Activities! Please consider becoming a member of the Birthday Club! Celebrate your Birthday by thanking God for your life!

We sadly announce the passing of Russell Geldmacher on June 2, 2019. A Memorial service will be held at Vanderbilt on June 17, 1:00 pm. Light refreshments will be served following the service in Fellowship Hall.

Sunday, June 9

PENTECOST SUNDAY

10:00 AM Traditional Worship Service

11:00 AM Fellowship & Coffee Time

Monday, June 10

7:37AM -1:00PM Men's Assn. Golf (Arrowhead G.C.)

8:30AM MS/HS Summer Orchestra Camps

5:00PM EMT Mtg

7:00PM Boy Scouts Troop 274

Tuesday, June 11

8:30AM MS/HS Summer Orchestra Camps

9:00AM Men's Bible Study

5:30PM Social Justice Tm Mtg

7:00PM Board of Deacons

7:30PM Narcotics Anonymous

Wednesday, June 12

8:30AM MS/HS Summer Orchestra Camps

9:30AM Vision Team Mtg

10:00AM FIF Friends in Faith

2:00PM Membership & Involvement Tm Mtg

3:30PM Passage Meditation

5:30PM ALL CHURCH Bible Study -with Pastor Rob

Thursday, June 13

8:30AM MS/HS Summer Orchestra Camps

3:00PM Vitas - A Bereavement & Peer Support Group

Friday, June 14

8:30AM MS/HS Summer Orchestra Camps

Saturday, June 15

10:00AM Al Anon

Sunday, June 16

TRINITY SUNDAY - FATHER'S DAY

10:00AM Traditional Worship Service

11:00AM Fellowship & Coffee Time

11:00AM Parish Life Tm Mtg

11:15AM Service of Wholeness & Healing

WE GATHER TOGETHER AT VPC

Mission Service ~ Choirs ~ Stephen Ministry ~ Youth Groups ~ Concerts ~ Women's Circles
Lecture Series ~ Health Seminars ~ Wholeness & Health ~ VandeReaders ~ Recycled Cards
Bible Studies for Men & Women ~ Senior Ministry ~ Book Studies ~ Confirmation ~ Quilters
Handbells & More ~ Support Group Meetings.

We hope you are interested in becoming a member or affiliate member of this church. Please speak to the person at our Welcome Center in the Narthex or call the office at 239-597-5410.

Please Pray for the men and women serving our country.

If you have a relative or friend in the military, please let the Church have their name/address. We think it is important to keep in contact with those who serve our country. Thank you.

ENSIGN Francis Alvare

US Navy, Pensacola, FL

MSgt Kristopher Chesslo

USAF

(Jay & Mary Chesslo's sons)

CPTN Sterling W. Dawley

US Navy, Pacific Fleet

(Loren & Debbie Dawley's son)

ENSIGN Wyatt R. Dawley

US Navy Intel

(Loren & Debbie Dawley's grandson)

LT Col. Jessica D. Grasseti

(Claudia Polzin's niece)

LT Adam Endrelunas

US Navy

(Cherie & Dave Baines son-in-law)

CPTN Allen Fujinaka

US Army

(LaVerne Perrollaz grandson)

CPTN Jennifer Giles

USMC, Philippines

(Mary Giles granddaughter)

CPTN Jeremy Giles

US Army Special Forces,

Ft. Bragg, NC

(Mary Giles grandson)

MAJ Robert Gruber, USMC

LT CDR Marjorie Gruber, US Navy

Camp Pendleton, CA

(Bob Gruber & Marion Johnson's son &

daughter in law)

LT Michelle Lea

US Navy

(Cherie & Dave Baines

daughter-in-law)

LT Kevin McCormick

US Army - USA

(Friend of Dick & Sharon Learn)

Austin Schwartz

USMC, Camp Pendleton, CA

(Patricia Schwartz's grandson)

Marshall Shepherd

US Navy

(Family of John & Roberta McMaster)

MAJ Matthew Smith,

USMC, Kuwait

(Son of Linda Smith)

EM Xzavier Whitaker

US Navy

(John & Roberta McMaster's granddaughter's husband)