SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE The Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

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October 31, 2021		10:00 AM
Prelude	I Will Sing of the Mercies	Pete Vaast
Welcome & Church Life	-	Alan Forsman
Call to Worship		Alan Forsman
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*Hymns & Songs for Worship

Hymn #378 Blessed Assurance (Stanza 1)

Congregational Selections from Hymnal

Call to Worship (Luke 10:27)

Alan Forsman

Leader: You shall love the LORD your God

PEOPLE: with all your heart, and will all your soul, Leader: and with all your strength, and with all your mind

PEOPLE: and your neighbor as yourself.

Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Something Good is About to Happen Pete Vaast

*Doxology

Personal Prayer (personal confession, praise, and prayers of intercession)

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Alan Forsman

Special Music Praise the Father, Praise the Son Laurie Palmer

Scripture Reading Romans 12: 1-2 Barb Atkins

Sermon: Living Like Jesus Pastor Tom Thies

* Hymn # 242 O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

*The Benediction Pastor Tom Thies
Postlude Betsy Wagner

We are recording our service for those who are unable to attend. The Church Bell Chimes indicate the start of worship and the beginning of our recording.

To Mask or Not to Mask: Please do what makes you most comfortable!

CHURCH LIFE

Altar flowers: are provided by Nan McCleerey in memory of Kelly who is celebrating his earthly birthday (11/1) in his heavenly home.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Global Mission Emphasis: International Justice Mission- working to end violence against those living in poverty

<u>Local Mission Emphasis</u>: Pray for the Body of Christ serving in churches in our local community.

Pray for Leaders in the Covenant Church: **Dr. Alan Forsman, Rev. Liz Jensen, and Dr. Catherine Gilliard** (Southeast Conference Superintendent)

Pray for your neighbors. Continue to pray for the members of our congregation who are dealing with illness, recovering from surgery, or unable to attend currently. Rehab Facility: **Bill Whitman,** slow progress.

In Hospice Care: Dick Cross

Dealing with Cancer: Kay Johnson, Ron Peltier, Kevin Muldoon, Marty Donovan

Pray for **Joyce Logan and family**, Richard went to his eternal home on 10/26/21. No Services are planned.

Calling All Singers! The Music Team is seeking singers for a choir or special music opportunities. Please speak with Laurie Aronson, our Music Chairperson, or Laurie Palmer if you are interested in participating.

SPECIAL OFFERING TODAY: Dollar at the Door in support of KICY radio station in Alaska

Angel Tree: Our Angels, as part of the Salvation Army Angel Tree Christmas Program, will be available to pick up on Sunday November 7, and Sunday November 14. Your gifts must be returned to our Church by Sunday December 5.

Please let us know if you are **not** on the **mailing list** for church news, devotions, and Sunday Services and would like to be included. Speak to Wanda or email your request to <u>wanda.i.thies@gmail</u>.com to be added to the church updates mailing list.



^{*} You may choose to stand or remain seated.

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:1–2 (NIV)

¹Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. ²Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

BIRTHDAYS

Nan McCleerey 11/3

ANNIVERSARIES

Norm & Nancy Bach 11/4

Head Usher: George Alexander
Usher/Greeters:
Linda Taylor & Bob Ferguson
Dick & Barb Welch

Attendance Last Week: In-Person: 56 Online Church:47

Online Attendance- Our online church consists of those who are unable to attend, currently, as well as friends of the church across the country and our Canadian Church family. Thank you for being a part of this ministry through your faithful participation, forwarding the message to others, and for your continued faithful support of your church.

CHURCH WEBSITE WWW.BAYINDIESCHURCH.COM

You will find video recordings of previous services and copies of the worship folders. You may also place a confidential prayer request by clicking on the tab- Send a prayer request. Be sure to let Pastor Tom and Wanda know how we can pray for you.



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