SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE The Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

<u>April 18, 2021</u>		<u>9:00 & 10:25 AM</u>
Prelude	We Have Come Into His House	Pete Vaast
Welcome & Church Life		WandaThies
Call to Worship		Wanda Thies

*Hymn insert # 243 Come, Christians, Join to Sing

*Unison Reading (Ps 36:5-10)

Diane/Laurie

Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds. Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your judgments are like the great deep; O Lord, humans and animals you save! O God, how precious is your steadfast love! All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings. They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights. For with you is the fountain of life, in your light do we see light. O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation to the upright of heart!

Personal Prayer (Silent personal confession and prayers of intercession)Pastoral Prayer/Lord's PrayerPastor Tom Thies

Chorus: Insert # 14 Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down

Scripture Reading	John 20: 24-29	Diane/Laurie
Special Music	Grieg Morning/In The Garden	Betsy Wagner
Sermon The Resur	rection Appearances: Jesus and Thomas	Pastor Tom Thies
*Hymn insert # 19	Praise Him! Praise Him!	
**Dedication of Our Tithes and Gifts		Pastor Tom Thies

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*The Benediction	
Postlude	Betsy Wagner

* Please stand if you are able. Please remember to silence your mobile phone. ** For your safety, we will not be passing the offering plates. Offering plates will be available at the doors. Thank you for your continued support of the ministry of your church.

CHURCH LIFE

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

*Global Mission Emphasis: Covenant Missionaries serving throughout the world *Pray for mission organizations that work to put an end to human trafficking *Local Mission Emphasis: Agape Flights *Pray for an end to acts of violence *Pray for the leadership of ECC

*Pray for world and local leaders, that they would seek peace and justice *Pray for your friends, neighbors and members and attenders from this congregation who are dealing with illness, recovering from surgery, or unable to attend at this time.

*Pray for our outreach in the Bay Indies Community. You are the Church. *Pray that the hearts of people will turn to God

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE:

There are many opportunities to serve the Lord in your local church. We have established ministries such as the **Sight and Sound Team**, **Altar and Worship Team**, **Ushers & Greeters**.

Care Team Ministry. If you can make a phone call or a visit to help us increase our awareness of the needs of our members and attenders, we need your help. **Welcome Ministry**. Help us provide a friendly welcome to a newcomer or visitor. There are many ways you can serve, perhaps in ways we have not considered. Please talk to Wanda if you are able to join the team!

BIRTHDAYS

Renie Wulfken 4/21, Molly Prosser 4/22, Mike Martin 4/23, Bob Rowles 4/24

ANNIVERSARIES

Ted and Diane Lind 4/20 Dick and Linda Cross 4/22

Head Usher: Hal Bates Greeters: 09:00 Laurie Aronson 10:25 Chris & Pam Gabie Bob Rowles & Betty Ballard

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK-APRIL 25^{TH} - INDIES HALL 10:00 AM PLEASE CONTINUE WITH MASKS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

SCRIPTURE READING

John 20:24–29 (ESV)

²⁴Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe."

²⁶Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." ²⁸Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

Attendance Last Sunday:

09:00: 23 10:25: 48 Virtual Church: 65

Virtual Attendance- Our virtual church consists of church members and attenders who are not able to attend, at this time, 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

<u>www.bayindieschurch.com</u> you will find the video recording of previous services. You will also find copies of the worship folders. You may also place a confidential prayer request by clicking on the tab- Send a prayer request. Check it out. Be sure to let Pastor Tom and Wanda know how we can pray for you.



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