

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
The Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

May 9, 2021

10:00 AM

Prelude Something Beautiful Pete Vaast
Welcome & Church Life Dr. Alan Forsman
Call to Worship Rev. Elizabeth Jensen

*Hymn Insert # 36 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

***Responsive Reading- Excerpts from Psalm 119** Rev. Jensen

Leader: Teach me O Lord the way of your statutes

People: And I will observe it to the end

Leader: Give me understanding

People: That I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart

Leader: Lead me in the path of your commandments for I delight in it

People: Turn my heart to your decrees and not to selfish gain

*Choral Response insert # 20 Glorify Thy Name

Personal Prayer (silent praise, confession, and intercession for others)

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Dr. Alan Forsman

Special Music All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name Pete Vaast

Scripture Reading Psalm 67 Rev. Jensen

Sermon Remembering Overalls Dr. Alan Forsman

*Hymn Insert # 530 I Love to Tell the Story

**Dedication of Our Tithes and Gifts Dr. Alan Forsman

*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: Pray for our missionaries, Smiths, Norens, and Clausons

Local Mission Emphasis: Salvation Army

Pray for our law enforcement, firefighters, military and medical personnel

Pray for the many members of our congregation who are dealing with illness and recovering from surgery and injuries.

Pray for our outreach in the Bay Indies Community. You are the Church.

HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY

We lift up Mothers, Grandmothers, Aunts, Sisters, and all women in our lives who have enriched our lives through their love and care. Please take a flower when you leave.

THANK YOU: To Alan Forsman for bringing the message and Rev. Elizabeth (Liz) Jensen for leading worship today during Pastor Tom and Wanda's time off. We enjoy having Rev. Jensen and her husband, Dallas, worshipping with us at Bay Indies since her recent retirement from Venice Isles ECC.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE at ECCBI

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.** We want to add your support to the **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, perhaps make or buy a meal for someone recovering at home, we need your help. We desire to have a team of people who would serve in **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 would like to serve, we have a need that only you can fill!

BIRTHDAYS

Dick Sauer 5/15, Rita Thornton 5/15

ANNIVERSARIES

Pastor Tom and Wanda Thies, 5/10

Head Usher: John Milne

Greeters: George Alexander and Nancy Janish

Linda Taylor

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 67:1–7 (ESV)

¹May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, Selah ²that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations.

³Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

⁴Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth. Selah

⁵Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

⁶The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, shall bless us.

⁷God shall bless us; let all the ends of the earth fear him!

To my Church Family....thank you so much for prayers, flowers, well wishes, and cards I've received during the past months. Your prayers and recent visits have brought joy and encouragement to me. Thank you, too, for the food you have shared with me. It's such a blessing to know your church is giving you prayful support.

I will now be receiving physical therapy at home to increase my strength which will enable me to be in Church soon.

Daily, I am experiencing God's blessings....Thank you, once again, and God bless you all. MaryAnn Olund

Attendance Last Week
In-person- 64
Virtual Church- 42

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: www.bayindieschurch.com 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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