

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

The Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

August 22, 2021

10:00 AM

Prelude	You Are My Hiding Place/On Eagle's Wings	Betsy Wagner
Welcome & Church Life		Wanda Thies
Call to Worship		Rev. Liz Jensen

*Hymn insert # 228 Rejoice the Lord is King

***Unison Reading:** (Ps 34: 1-3)

I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise shall continually be in my mouth. My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad. Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.

Personal Prayer (personal confession and prayers of intercession)

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Rev. Liz Jensen

Chorus: Insert # 529 O How I Love Jesus

Special Music Let There Be Peace on Earth Norma Goodwin

Scripture Reading Gal 5: 22-23, Romans 2:4, Eph 4:1-3 Rev. Liz Jensen

Sermon: Fruit of the Spirit: Patience Pastor Tom Thies

*Hymn insert # 220 Jesus is All the World to Me

** Dedication of the Offering Pastor Tom Thies

*The Benediction Pastor Tom Thies

Postlude Betsy Wagner

**** We are not passing the offering plates. Offering plates are available at the doors. Thank you for your continued support of the ministry of your church.**

Please remember to silence your mobile phone. 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.

* Please stand if you are able.

CHURCH LIFE

Altar Flowers: are given by Ellen Gagnon "In Loving Memory of Joe Gagnon by his wife and family."

Do you like flowers? When flowers are provided by a church family, the Altar & Worship team selects and sets up the altar flowers for Sunday morning. If you would be willing to join the team and serve one week per month, the team would welcome you. Please contact Nan McCleerey 941-445-3769.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Global Mission Emphasis: Covenant Pastors who are serving, globally.

Local Mission Emphasis: Ministries in our community working with the homeless

Pray for the leadership of Evangelical Covenant Church

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

Pray for the many members of our congregation who are dealing with illness, recovering from surgery, or unable to attend currently.

Pray for **Marty Donovan:** undergoing treatment for bladder cancer

Rehab facility: **Bill Whitman**, in Pennsylvania

In Hospice Care: **Dick Cross, Richard Logan**

Recovering at home: **Joyce Logan, Kathy Harold, Mike Martin. Janet**

VanGuilder, Irene Larsen

Dealing with Cancer: **Kelly McCleerey, Kay Johnson, Ron Peltier, Kevin**

Muldoon, Marty Donovan

Note of Thanks from the Whitmans:(Bill has been in the hospital since the end of July after a stroke and their son was tragically killed in a drive by shooting)

"Thank you for all the prayers and cards, it was so much appreciated. It's such a blessing since we came to Bay Indies and were welcomed into so many people's lives and the outpouring of so much support. You don't know what it means to us. We are so grateful for all of you. Thank you, again, and God Bless.

Bill and Barb Whitman"

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE at ECCBI:

Will You Join the Team? Are you friendly, artistic, or creative, do you have clerical skills, or other under-used gifts and talents? We have a place for you. If you desire to serve and would like to know more about how you can serve as a volunteer, please see Wanda for more information. You are blessed to be a blessing!

BIRTHDAYS

George Alexander 8/13, Norm Bach 8/27, Amanda Bauman 8/28

SCRIPTURE READING

Galatians 5:22–23 (ESV)

²²But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

Romans 2:4 (ESV)

⁴Or do you presume on the riches of his kindness and forbearance and patience, not knowing that God's kindness is meant to lead you to repentance?

Ephesians 4:1–3 (ESV)

¹I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, ²with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, ³eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

Head Usher: John Milne

Usher/Greeters:

Linda Taylor & Carol Geoffroy

Attendance Last Week:

In-Person: 42

Online Church: 51

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.



EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF BAY INDIES



950 RIDGEWOOD AVENUE, VENICE, FLORIDA 34285

PASTOR THOMAS E. THIES

CELL PHONE 760-877-8205

REV. DAVE JOHNSON, PASTOR EMERITUS

OFFICE PHONE: 941-484-1150

EMAIL ADDRESS: Office@BayIndiesChurch.com

[Pastor's Email: Thomas.e.thies@outlook.com](mailto:Thomas.e.thies@outlook.com)

WEBSITE: [www. BayIndiesChurch.com](http://www.BayIndiesChurch.com)