

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
The Evangelical Church of Bay Indies

May 15, 2022

10:00 AM

Prelude Worship Medley Betsy Wagner

Welcome and Church Life

Diane Carl

* Call to Worship

Jim Amerman

Leader: For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son,

People: that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

Leader: For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

People: Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God's one and only Son.

* Invocation

* Hymn # 378

Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine

*Offering

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn #241

And Can It Be

Scripture Lesson

Genesis 6: 6-14

Mark 14: 32-38

Betty Ballard

Special Music

Shine on us

Diane Carl, Laurie Aronson

Message:

Our Fathers Business

Jim Amerman

* Closing Hymn # 305

Amazing Grace

* **Benediction**

Postlude:

Church Bell Chimes indicate the start of worship and the beginning of our recording.

* You may choose to stand or remain seated.

CHURCH LIFE

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Global Mission Emphasis: Evangelical Covenant Churches around the world

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

Pray for our Pastor Search committee.

Pray for local, national and world leaders, that they would seek God's wisdom as they lead.

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.

Pray for Dick Cross, Bill Whitman, Jim Black

It is with much sadness that I inform you all that Ron Peltier passed away peacefully, at home, on Tuesday, May 10th, 2022. Arrangements are being made for a private military service at Sarasota National Cemetery, date to be determined.

Ask God to use you in His Service to this community. *You are His Church.*

Guest Speaker - A BIG Thank you to Jim for stepping in at the last moment to bring us the message. A last minute cancellation by Rev. Jeff Krause could not be avoided.

Fellowship Brunch- Please join us after church for Brunch Buffet at the Hotel Venezia 425 US 41 By-pass.

BIRTHDAYS

Laurie Palmer 5/19

Head Usher: George Alexander

Usher/Greeters:

Jane McKenzie & Pam Walton

George Alexander & Nancy Janish

Attendance Last Sunday:

In-Person: 47

Online Church: 37

SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 6: 6-14 Mark 14: 32-38

⁶ The LORD regretted that he had made human beings on the earth, and his heart was deeply troubled. ⁷ So the LORD said, “I will wipe from the face of the earth the human race I have created—and with them the animals, the birds and the creatures that move along the ground—for I regret that I have made them.” ⁸ But Noah found favor in the eyes of the LORD.

⁹ This is the account of Noah and his family. Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked faithfully with God. ¹⁰ Noah had three sons: Shem, Ham and Japheth.

¹¹ Now the earth was corrupt in God’s sight and was full of violence. ¹² God saw how corrupt the earth had become, for all the people on earth had corrupted their ways. ¹³ So God said to Noah, “I am going to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with violence because of them. I am surely going to destroy both them and the earth. ¹⁴ So make yourself an ark of cypress^a wood; make rooms in it and coat it with pitch inside and out.

³² They went to a place called Gethsemane, and Jesus said to his disciples, “Sit here while I pray.” ³³ He took Peter, James and John along with him, and he began to be deeply distressed and troubled. ³⁴ “My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death,” he said to them. “Stay here and keep watch.”

³⁵ Going a little farther, he fell to the ground and prayed that if possible the hour might pass from him. ³⁶ “*Abba*,^a Father,” he said, “everything is possible for you. Take this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will.”

³⁷ Then he returned to his disciples and found them sleeping. “Simon,” he said to Peter, “are you asleep? Couldn’t you keep watch for one hour? ³⁸ Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak.”

CHURCH WEBSITE
WWW.BAYINDIESCHURCH.COM

You will find video recordings of previous services, copies of the worship folders, and photos of events.



EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF BAY INDIES



950 RIDGEWOOD AVENUE, VENICE, FLORIDA 34285

Rev. Liz Jensen

REV. DAVE JOHNSON, PASTOR EMERITUS

OFFICE PHONE: 941-484-1150

EMAIL ADDRESS: Office@BayIndiesChurch.com

WEBSITE: www.BayIndiesChurch.com

Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!

378

J. Crosby, 1820-1915

ASSURANCE 9.10.9.9. with Refrain

Phoebe P. Knapp, 1830-1908



1 Bless-ed as-sur-ance, Je-sus is mine! O what a fore-taste of
 2 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, per-fect de-light, Vi-sions of rap-ture now
 3 Per-fect sub-mis-sion, all is at rest, I in my Sav-ior am



glo-ry di-vine! Heir of sal-va-tion, *pur-chase of God,
 burst on my sight; An-gels de-scend-ing bring from a-bove
 hap-py and blest; Watch-ing and wait-ing, look-ing a-bove,



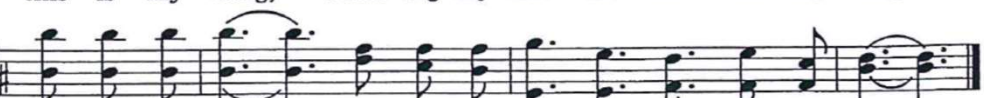
Born of his Spir-it, washed in his blood.
 Ech-oes of mer-cy, whis-pers of love. This is my sto-ry, this is my
 Filled with his goodness, lost in his love.



song, Prais-ing my Sav-ior all the day long; This is my sto-ry,



this is my song, Prais-ing my Sav-ior all the day long.



FAITH AND ASSURANCE

305

Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound

John Newton, 1725-1807

John P. Rees c.1859-?, St. 5

AMAZING GRACE C.M.

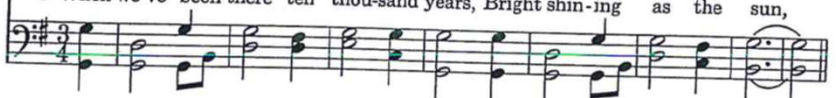
American Melody

Carrell and Clayton's "Virginia Harmony," 1831

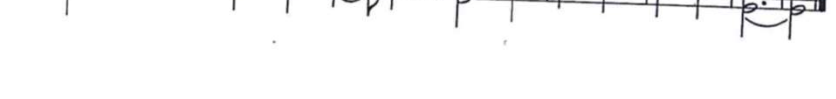
Harm. by Edwin O. Excell, 1851-1921



1 A-maz-ing grace! how sweet the sound-That saved a wretch like me!
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re-lieved;
 3 The Lord has prom-ised good to me, His word my hope se-cures;
 4 Thru man-y dan-gers, toils, and snares, I have al-read-y come;
 5 When we've been there ten thou-sand years, Bright shin-ing as the sun,



I once was lost but now am found, Was blind but now I see.
 How pre-cious did that grace ap-pear The hour I first be-lieved!
 He will my shield and por-tion be As long as life en-dures.
 'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
 We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we'd first be-gun.



And Can It Be That I Should Gain

Charles Wesley, 1707-1788

SAGINA 8.8.8.8.8. with Refrain
Thomas Campbell, 1777-1844

1 And can it be that I should gain An in - t'rest in
2 He left his Fa - ther's throne a - bove, So free, so in -
3 Long my im - pris - oned spir - it lay Fast bound in sin -
4 No con - dem - na - tion now I dread: Je - sus, and all

the Sav - ior's blood? Died he for me, who caused his pain?
fi - nite his grace! Emp - tied him - self of all but love,
and na - ture's night. Thine eye dif - fused a quick - ning ray;
in him, is mine! A - live in him, my liv - ing Head,

For me, who him to death pur - sued? A - maz - ing love! how
And bled for A - dam's help - less race! 'Tis mer - cy all, im -
I woke the dun - geon flamed with light! My chains fell off, my
And clothed in right - eous - ness di - vine, Bold I ap - proach th'e -

can it be That thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
mense and free, For, O my God, it found out me.
heart was free, I rose, went forth, and fol - lowed thee.
ter - nal throne, And claim the crown, thru Christ my own.

REFRAIN

A - maz - ing love! how can it be

A - maz - ing love! how can it be
That thou, my God, shouldst die for me! A - men.