

**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**Twenty-First Sunday After Pentecost**

**CHURCH LIFE**

**October 22, 2023** **10:00 AM**

Prelude: Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above Rita Pittman

**Welcome and Announcements** Rev. Jonathon Kosec

**\* Call to Worship** *from Proverbs*

Pastor: Trust in the Lord with all your heart.

**People: Do not rely on your own insight.**

Pastor: In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make straight your paths.

**People: Do not be wise in your own eyes.**

Pastor: Fear the Lord and turn away from evil.

**People: It will be a healing for your flesh and a refreshment for your body. Amen.**

\* Hymn # 612. "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

\* Invocation

**Offering** Tell Me the Stories of Jesus

\* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

**Scripture Lesson.** Acts 10:34-43 Ron Hamilton

**Special Music:** Shout to the North Mark Pittman

**Today's Message:** "Good News for All" Rev. Kosec

Hymn #593. "In Christ There is No East or West"

**Prayers of the Church**

The Pastoral Prayer

\* Closing Hymn #676 "Go, My Children"

**\* Benediction**

Postlude: I will Sing the Wondrous Story Rita Pittman

**ALTAR FLOWERS** is given by Mike and Linda Rafferty in loving memory of our son Peter Fleming.

**PRAYER REQUESTS.** If you have a specific prayer request you want included in the prayers today during worship, please let Pastor Jon know before worship.

**FLOWER ARRANGING...**If this is your interest and you'd like to help out with our Altar arrangements, please talk to Nan McCleerey or call: 941-445-3769.

**CHOIR REHEARSAL** starts at 9:00 am Everyone Welcome !!

**WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!** If you are looking for a church home, we hope you will consider Covenant Church of Bay Indies as the place you'd like to call home! Speak to Pastor Jon following worship for more information. It is truly an easy process.

**SIGN IN, PLEASE!** We are blessed to have you with us today and we invite you to use the sign-up sheets on the rear table.

**BIRTHDAYS:**

Liz Breadstill 10/23, Norma Goodwin 10/24, Rev. Jonathon Kosec 10/25

**Head Usher:** George Alexander

**Usher/Greeters:**

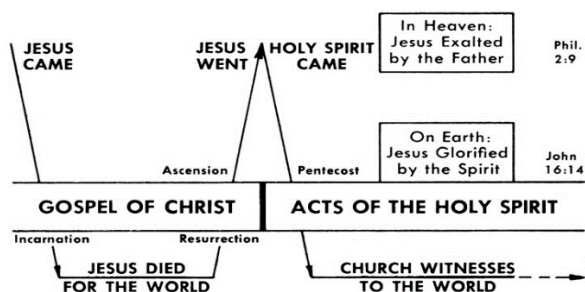
Misty McDuffie & Norma Jolly

***Thank you, Lord, for the blessings you have bestowed on my life. You have provided me with more than I could ever have imagined. You have surrounded me with people who always look out for me. You have given me family and friends who bless me every day with kind words and actions.***

**Scripture Reading**  
**Acts 10:34-43 (New Living Translation)**

Then Peter replied, "I see very clearly that God shows no favoritism. In every nation he accepts those who fear him and do what is right. This is the message of Good News for the people of Israel—that there is peace with God through Jesus Christ, who is Lord of all. You know what happened throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee, after John began preaching his message of baptism. And you know that God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. Then Jesus went around doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.

"And we apostles are witnesses of all he did throughout Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a cross, but God raised him to life on the third day. Then God allowed him to appear, not to the general public, but to us whom God had chosen in advance to be his witnesses. We were those who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. And he ordered us to preach everywhere and to testify that Jesus is the one appointed by God to be the judge of all—the living and the dead. He is the one all the prophets testified about, saying that everyone who believes in him will have their sins forgiven through his name."



**Attendance Last Week:**  
 In-Person – 60

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