

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
The Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

June 23, 2019

10:25 AM

Prelude Betsy Wagner
Welcome & Church Life Pastor Tom Thies

Invocation
Congregational Response

The Joy of the Lord is my strength; The Joy of the Lord is my strength; the Joy of the Lord is my strength; The Joy of the Lord is my strength.

*Call to Worship (Psalm 18:2-3) Rev. Alan Forsman

Leader: The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer

PEOPLE: MY GOD, MY ROCK, IN WHOM I TAKE REFUGE

Leader: My shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.

PEOPLE: I CALL UPON THE LORD WHO IS WORTHY TO BE PRAISED, AND I AM SAVED FROM MY ENEMIES.

*Hymn # 15 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn (Insert) *At The Cross*

Scripture Reading 1 John 4:7-12, 18-21 Dave Prosser

Congregational Response # 642 *Glory Be To The Father*

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Words of Scripture (Proverbs 21:26)

"The righteous gives and does not hold back."

Offertory *Safe in the Arms of Jesus* Betsy Wagner

*The Doxology # 638 *Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow*

*The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Special Music Jo Locke

Sermon The Fruit of the Spirit: Love Pastor Tom Thies

*Hymn # 413 *Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*

*The Benediction *Three Fold Amen

*Postlude Betsy Wagner

***Please stand as you are able**

A hearing loop is activated Please silence your cell phone

ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN BY...

Joan Mayer in memory of my husband Douglas Mayer.

THANK YOU

ECC family, thank you so much for your thoughts, prayers, and words of encouragement these past few months through my two knee surgeries. I thank God for each of you and appreciate your support and encouragement. Blessings, Wanda.

WOMEN'S EVENT

Last chance, today, to sign up for the Women's Ministry special event on Wednesday, June 26th 1-4PM. Don't miss out. Sign up today at the back of the church.

USHERS-GREETERS-SCRIPTURE READERS

If you would like to volunteer for these positions, please contact Linda Cross 941-416-2001. We are in need with all the snowbirds gone north.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

...Jan Vaast being treated for bladder cancer

...Missionaries Tim & Helen Smith, Congo

...Missionaries Paul & Cheryl Noren, Congo

...Missionaries Nils & Erika Clausen, Mexico

...ECC Bay Indies and our outreach to the Community

...Members of our congregation that are not able to attend today

...the unspoken requests upon the hearts of our church family

CHURCH WEBSITE

Please let Pastor Tom & Wanda know how they can support you in prayer.

Go to the church web page at www.bayindieschurch.com and click on

SEND A PRAYER REQUEST. We count it a privilege to pray for you.

USHERS AND GREETERS

Head Usher Diane Carl

Pat Williamson Joan Cook

Judy Broucker Joyce Logan

BIRTHDAYS

Kay Johnson 6/29, Tom McElhaney 6/30

Attendance Last Sunday – 61

SCRIPTURE READING

1 John 4:7-12, 18-21 (NRSV)

⁷“Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. ⁸Whoever does not love does not know God, for God is love. ⁹God’s love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him. ¹⁰In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins.

¹¹Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. ¹²No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God lives in us, and his love is perfected in us.

¹⁸There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear; for fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not reached perfection in love. ¹⁹We love because he first loved us. ²⁰Those who say, “I love God,” and hate their brothers or sisters, are liars; for those who do not love a brother or sister whom they have seen, cannot love God whom they have not seen. ²¹The commandment we have from him is this: those who love God must love their brothers and sister also.”



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