

## SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

The Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies

February 14, 2021

Online Worship

Prelude Just a Little Talk with Jesus Pete Vaast  
Welcome & Church Life Wanda Thies

Call to Worship Wanda Thies  
Ps 118: 28-29 You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you. Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!

Hymn insert # 343 Sweet Hour of Prayer

### Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth; I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### Choral Response: Majesty (insert)

### Personal Prayer (personal confession and prayers of intercession)

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Pastor Tom Thies

Special Music The Prayer Norma Goodwin

Scripture Reading Matthew 6:5-15 Wanda Thies

Sermon Prayer Pastor Tom Thies

Hymn insert # 365 Trust and Obey (1,3,5)

Dedication of Our Tithes and Gifts Pastor Tom Thies

The Benediction

Postlude Therefore the Redeemed of the Lord Betsy Wagner

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Global Mission Emphasis: Missionaries serving throughout the world

Local Mission Emphasis: Agape Flights

Pray for world and local leaders

Pray for peace in our nation and throughout the world

Pray for healthcare providers and first responders

Pray for our men and women in uniform

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

Pray for those who are dealing with the loss of loved ones, not only recently but those we still miss from years past.

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

Pray for the hearts of the people to turn to God.

## CHURCH LIFE

**Worship in the Bay House:** The Council met this past week, and we are making plans to meet again in the Bay House starting **March 21<sup>st</sup>**. You will be receiving more information about the safety protocols and a request for you to register your attendance at **either the 9AM or 10:25 AM** service. Services will still be recorded and will be available on the church website for those who are unable to attend.

**Opportunity to Serve:** We are looking for a few individuals who would like to serve on the Sight and Sound Team under the direction of Jim Amerman, Altar and Worship Chairperson. Jim will train you to run the sound system and/or video camera during worship services. Please contact Pastor Tom or Jim if you have gifts in this area.

**Annual Reports:** paper copies of the annual report are available to pick up at the church office. Contact Jan to make arrangements if you would like a copy.

## BIRTHDAYS

Anne Carter 2/20

## ANNIVERSARIES

Ron and Joanne Hamilton 2/20

## SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 6:5–15 (ESV)

<sup>5</sup>“And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. <sup>6</sup>But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. <sup>7</sup>“And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. <sup>8</sup>Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

<sup>9</sup>Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. <sup>10</sup>Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. <sup>11</sup>Give us this day our daily bread, <sup>12</sup>and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup>And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. <sup>14</sup>For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, <sup>15</sup>but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

## Attendance Each Sunday

**Virtual Attendance-** We estimate that **150+ people** are either watching the service online or reading the transcript of the message that is being delivered to them in person or by mail. We praise God that His Word is reaching His people. 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. If you are able to support the ministry of ECCBI, it may be sent to the church office at: **950 Ridgewood Ave Venice 34285**

## CHURCH WEBSITE

[www.bayindieschurch.com](http://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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