

# Sunday Worship Service

Eight Sunday after Pentecost

## CHURCH LIFE

July 14, 2024

10:00 AM

Prelude: How Firm a foundation Rita Pittman  
**Welcome and Church Notices** Rev. Elizabeth Jensen

\* Hymn # 443 Jesus Loves Me! This I Know

### \* Call to Worship – Psalm 36:5-7

Pastor: Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens.

**People: Your faithfulness reaches to the skies.**

Pastor: Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains.

**People: Your justice is like the great deep.**

Pastor: How precious is your unfailing love, O God!

**People: All humanity finds shelter in the shadow of your wings.**

### \* Invocation and the Lord's Prayer (sins/sin)

Hymn # 346 O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

**Scripture Lesson:** Ephesians 3:14-21 Diane Floyd

**SPECIAL MUSIC** Heavenly Sunlight. Mark Pittman

**Message: "Immeasurable Love"**

Hymn # 439 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

### Prayers of the People

#### Offering

Offertory: The Steadfast Love of The Lord

\* # 49 Praise God from whom all blessings flow

\* Prayer of Dedication

\* Hymn # 669 May God's Love be Fixed above You

Postlude: Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love Rita Pittman

**WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS AND NEWCOMERS!** Our service is easy to follow, and you do not have to feel self-conscious here. We welcome you and ask that you sign the Guest Book on the table near the Building entrance.

**SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS.** If you have a special prayer request you would like to offer today, please see Pastor Jonathon before worship. Thank you.

Chris Gabie, Jonathan and Cheryl Kosec, Molly Prosser and Marion Theis, Jan Nichols and Ken Northrop.

**SUMMER OF STORIES** Several members have already stepped forward and volunteered to be interviewed. Would you like to join them? Let Pastor Jonathon know you would like to be added to the list!

**\*\* Please join us** after worship next Sunday to celebrate Pastor Jon's transfer of ordination to the Evangelical Covenant Church. Stay and share cake and fruit, enjoy fellowship, and congratulate Pastor Jon on completing the work required to achieve this transfer. We encourage you to bring a card to congratulate Pastor Jon and to share a few words of gratitude, congratulations, encouragement, or whatever the Spirit puts on your heart. Pastor Jon's first month with us started with Hurricane Ian and was followed about 6 months later with the total destruction of the Bay House when it burned to the ground on March 15, 2023. Pastor Jon has shepherded us through a lot. We do hope you will stay to celebrate this achievement.

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\* You may choose to stand or remain seated.

**Scripture Lesson**  
Ephesians 3:14-21

*When I think of the wisdom and scope of God's plan, I fall to my knees and pray to the Father, the Creator of everything in heaven and on earth. I pray that from his glorious, unlimited resources he will give you mighty inner strength through his Holy Spirit.*

*And I pray that Christ will be more and more at home in your hearts as you trust in him. May your roots go down deep into the soil of God's marvelous love.*

*And may you have the power to understand, as all God's people should, how wide, how long, how high, and how deep his love really is.*

*May you experience the love of Christ, though it is so great you will never fully understand it. Then you will be filled with the fullness of life and power that comes from God.*

*Now glory be to God! By his mighty power at work within us, he is able to accomplish infinitely more than we would ever dare to ask or hope. May he be given glory in the church and in Christ Jesus forever and ever through endless ages. Amen.*

**BIRTHDAYS**

Nancy Janish 7/14, Dallas Jensen 7 16,  
Judy Brown 7/18, Cheryl Kosec 7/19

**ANNIVERSARY**

Rev. Jonathon & Cheryl Kosec 7/17

**Head Usher:** Bob Rowles

**Usher/Greeters:**

Norma Jolly & Nancy VanEss

**FACEBOOK:** Evangelical Covenant Church of Bay Indies



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