



The Sandpiper

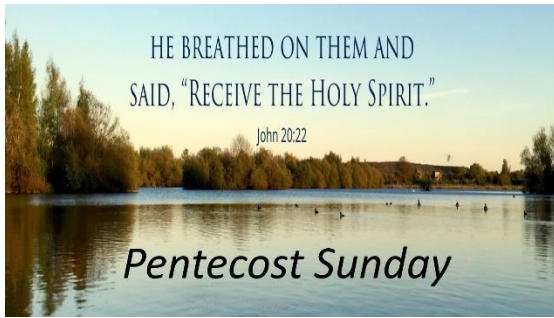
TROPICAL SANDS
CHRISTIAN CHURCH (DOC)



June 3, 2022

TSCC Vision: We are an intergenerational, inclusive, and diverse community; building relationships and growing disciples with mission purpose. We love with abundance like Jesus the Christ taught and lived: loving God and loving our neighbors.

We look forward to worship with you on Sunday and throughout the week-
Sunday Worship Service & Children's Program: 10AM- Facebook & YouTube Live
Videos are archived on FB page to view later and on TSCC YouTube, link here:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYrx5-1hVfDGnjcS0j4AVXA?view_as=subscriber



Hello Church. We look forward to this Pentecost Sunday of worship and connection together. We celebrate the birth of the Church community in Spirit!

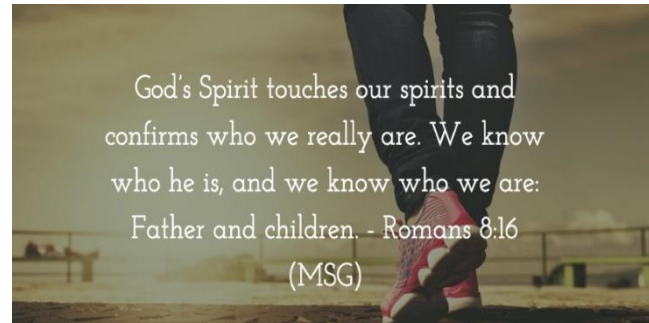
Observances of Pentecost, the gift of the Holy Spirit to the community and the beginning of the Church, is usually focused on the story in Acts 2, with images of tongues of fire, prayers offered and understood in multiple languages, and all the drama of this scene. It's not too surprising that the story in John's gospel gets much less attention. It may even be described as

a quiet Pentecost. In the midst of fear, uncertainty, and unbelieving, Jesus brings peace and comfort, not only with words of reassurance, but with the very ongoing incarnation of the Word in the lives of his disciples with the gift of the Spirit. For John's gospel, the day of Pentecost is the peace of *one* voice who bestows his abiding presence on his disciples.

In John's gospel Jesus does not impart the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost (the Jewish Feast of Weeks which falls on the fiftieth day after Passover). Instead, the Spirit comes on Easter, during Jesus' first post-resurrection appearance to a group of his followers. In this passage we encounter the Spirit focused on the identity and sending of a community. There is a more intimate feel with less of a universal tone. John's announcement of Pentecost sounds like something that could happen every day, if we are open to seeing, hearing and believing...together! We are brought together and strengthened by Spirit guiding us. God's Spirit is here now, as close as our next breath.

Let's be open to learn more together and remind each other that God is faithful! Thanks be to God for this community of faith and let us join together in hope for the good that God is doing through Spirit, beyond our expectations!

In Christ's peace and love, Pastor Chris



Thank You for Giving

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- In Person Black Boxes
- Mail to Church
- Locked drop box outside



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STEWARDSHIP: We give thanks to God, and for all of you- for your time, talents, and financial giving—all of which is our stewardship- our generosity and giving that flows from God's abundant provision for us. Engage & Grow! THANK YOU!

When we make a conscious decision to share some of our finances, creating a habit of giving proportionately and regularly, this becomes a significant way to identify ourselves as people of faith. With joy, let us bring our offerings, clearly indicating the priority we give to Jesus, his church, and the many missions we are a part of. Stay tuned please as we are working out the partnership details with DCEF and the FL Regional Church. Even with this partnership, your continued faithful giving is crucial and what helps us continue to build up the body of Christ in and through TSCC.

Thank you for your recurring Online giving link: <https://bit.ly/2JKjJBj>

Please Like & Share TSCC Facebook and Instagram posts! Invite friends!



We do not want to exclude anyone and we certainly join you in celebration! Please continue to submit any birthday/anniversary updates if desired- leave message 561-622-2726 or to tropicalsandsccpbj@gmail.com ☺

Birthdays/Anniversaries: Lisa Espie 6/15; Arianna Smith 6/20; Diane Bayliff 6/24; Barb and Doug Sergent 6/6

Tommy Tucker 7/1; JoAnn Osha 7/3; TSCC 7/6/1958; Sierra Callahan 7/15; Patricia Smith 7/24; Dodie Battiste 7/29

Contact tropicalsandsccpbj@gmail.com if you would like to receive the weekly prayer concerns by email, love on our community and join in prayer and caring actions for the needs of our community. Leave message at the church office if needed as well- messages are received immediately; and for all pastoral care needs: 561.622.2726.



Breaking Bread Breaking Barriers; Our Neighbors without Homes:

Deliveries and serving continues in the Breaking Bread Breaking Barriers program. TSCC delivers and serves 3 dinners a month. Always delicious food and wonderful service from CR Chicks in west Jupiter and Hibiscus Street Catering in Jupiter. They consistently donate meals. We LOVE our community connections! We continue to support and advocate for folks without homes. Lack of affordable housing is the main reason for homelessness. There are wonderful success stories of folks without homes who participate. This is a hand up, not a hand out. Contact pastor Chris to serve with us soon or to learn more and invite friends to serve with us.

In the gospel of Matthew, Jesus declares, *“For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.”* Christ’s LOVE in actions!

Thank you, Mary Rinehart for volunteering to bring our CROS Ministries non-perishable food collection to the Food pantry. Thanks to all for your monthly donations (first Sunday each month) that helps are neighbors!



Planning for Vacation Bible School (VBS)!

Lexi and pastor Chris are planning for a wonderful time in July! We know how much our children and youth enjoy this connection time in the summer AND we are mindful of giving parents a break, so we are looking to provide this program on Friday nights in July.

REGISTER AHEAD FOR EACH NIGHT (suggested donation of at least \$10 per child per night). Please contact Lexi to register ☎️ 561-727-9311

This year’s theme will be “Encanto; all gifts are needed in God’s house!” We will be exploring the different characters of Disney’s Encanto and diving in to growing our own spiritual gifts with their help!

Vacation Bible school will be held on Friday nights in July and will kick off the second Friday of July 8th and will continue through the last Friday of July 29th when we will celebrate the end of VBS with an Encanto movie and pizza night that everyone is invited to! We will have a projector and screen set up in the sanctuary.

The first three Fridays will be run as a parents-night out style; drop off will be at 5:30PM and pick up will be at 8 PM. Registration and more to come, so please stay tuned! Preschool “pretty much potty trained”-grade school; **spread the word and invite friends and the greater community!**

If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering (+youth) please reach out to Children and Youth Director, Lexi Holmes. Alexia.shea7@gmail.com

**TSCC Leadership Slate
(September 2022 - August 2023)**

OFFICE	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	TERM
Moderator	Gary	McCoy*	2022-23
Vice-Moderator	Ed	King*	2022-23
Treasurer	Gene	Hudon*	2022-23
Financial Secretary	Holly	Hopson*	2022-23
Recording Secretary			appointed

Min = 7; Max = 19 (Max of 7 approved by GB on 3/21/22)

Elder	Barbara	Griffin*	2022-2024
Elder	Jack	Hopson*	2022-2024
Elder	Ed	King	2022-2024
Elder	Melody	LaPierre*	2022-2023
Elder	Terry	Jones*	2022-2024
Elder	Pilly	Tucker	2020-2023
Elder	Gene	Hudon*	2022-2025

Min = 10; Max 20 (Max of approved by GB on 3/21/22)

Deacon	Star Nicole	Callahan	2021-2024
Deacon	Richard	Crain	2021-2024
Deacon	Stefanie	Crain	2021-2024
Deacon	Holly	Hopson	2021-2023
Deacon	Christine	Destefano	2020-2023
Deacon	Lisa	Espy*	2022-23
Junior Deacon	Dana	Reeves	2020-2023
Deacon	Mary	Rinehart	2021-2022
Deacon	Trish	Smith	2020-2023
Deacon	Laura	Swanson	2021-2024
Junior Deacon	Tommy	Tucker	2020-2023

* name will appear on 2022 ballot
Approved by Governing Board on 5/16/22

There is a congregational vote for this leadership slate after Service this Sunday. Thanks be to God for the hearts of our leaders, and so many others who joyfully and generously give of themselves during an extremely challenging season!



June 2022



Please FOLLOW, LIKE & SHARE!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			Mind, Music, Movement 12:30-4:45P	Mind, Music, Movement 10:45A-6:15P Lewis Center Homeless Dinner Team		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
CROS Ministries Food Collection PENTECOST 9AM Adult Sunday School Worship 10AM Hybrid Service & Children's Program Vote on New Leader Slate after Service	Mind, Music, Movement Foundation Neurological Disorder groups/caregivers in Hall (M-Th) 10:30A-7:30P	Mind, Music, Movement 12:30-5:15P 6PM connection; 6:30-7:30PM Group study	Mind, Music, Movement 12:30-4:45P	Mind, Music, Movement 10:45A-6:15P		Men's Breakfast 8:30AM
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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July 2022



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9AM Adult Sunday School Worship 10AM Hybrid Service & Children's Program Elders Meeting	Mind, Music, Movement Foundation Neurological Disorder groups/caregivers Governing Board Meeting 7 PM	Mind, Music, Movement 12:30-5:15P	Mind, Music, Movement 12:30-4:45P	Mind, Music, Movement 10:45A-6:15P	Lewis Center Homeless Dinner Team VBS 5:30-8PM	Senior Connection group
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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9AM Adult Sunday School Worship 10AM Hybrid Service & Children's Program 5th Sunday POTLUCK						