THIS WEEK	New			
SUNDAY (October 5)		TODAY		
Contemporary Service, Wesley Ctr	9AM	Today we have 8 no After the service, pl yourselves to each happy we are to ha		
Children's Church, Wesley Centre	9AM			
Youth Sunday School, Wesley Ctr	10AM			
Faith Community Nurse, Reception	10AM			
Adult Sunday School, Educ. Bldg.	10:10AM	S.E.E.D.		
Traditional Service, Sanctuary	11AM	On Monday, Octo at Fazoli's Restaur		
New Member Sunday	9 & 11 AM	Terry Ribelin will be Teralyn@ribelinranc		
Family Promise Arrives Today	5PM			
MONDAY (October 6)		coming.		
S.E.E.D.S. Fazoli's Restaurant	1PM	Family Promise We still need 2 ove		
Faith Community Nurse, Reception	1PM			
Admin Council, Fellowship Hall	6:30PM	1 Saturday Night D Ribelin at 813-743-		
TUESDAY (October 7)		these needs.		
Staff Meeting (Library)	10AM	mese necus.		
Open Hearts Arts (Chapel)	6PM	Flood Bucket		
Chancel Choir Practice	7PM			
WEDNESDAY (October 8)		Yesterday at our		
Prayer Group (NOTE: Time Change)	10AM	made a splash in Dennis got a buc		
Praise Team Rehearsal 5:45P1		"with a little less		
THURSDAY (October 9)		If you still have no		
Young At Heart, Wesley Centre	11AM	11 AM please place co		
Faith Community Nurse, (Reception)	1PM			
GriefShare (Open Door Classroom)	6PM	Join Us In The Op		
Open Doors Small Grp, GoodNews	7PM	We've just begun a		
Our Annual Church Conference		Max Lucado—a time seeking peace and o		

Sunday, October 12th, 2 PM, in the Wesley Centre.

Everyone is invited to attend but only professing members of the church can vote.

# New Member Presentation TODAY 9 AM & 11 AM Services

oday we have 8 new members joining our church.

After the service, please take a moment to introduce rourselves to each of them and let them know how happy we are to have them join our fellowship.

#### S.E.E.D.S. Luncheon Reservations

On Monday, October 6th at 1 pm, we will be meeting at Fazoli's Restaurant for lunch. (238 W Alexander St.) Terry Ribelin will be the hostess. Please email her at Teralyn@ribelinranch.com to let her know that you are coming.

Family Promise is here Today.— October 12th We still need 2 overnight hosts (Tuesday & Friday) and 1 Saturday Night Dinner. Please call or text Terry Ribelin at 813-743-5903 if you can help with either of these needs.

### Flood Bucket Challenge Was Successful

"Mission accomplished! 28 Buckets So Far!"
Yesterday at our Fall Festival, Pastor Margaret
made a splash in the Dunk Tank, while Pastor
Dennis got a bucket shower—just as drenching,
"with a little less drama!"

If you still have not turned in your flood bucket, please place completed buckets in Room 125 in the Traditional Bldg. (1st floor, Elevator Hallway).

#### Join Us In The Open Door Adult Sunday School Class

We've just begun a new video study: Tame Your Thoughts by Max Lucado—a timely and encouraging series for anyone seeking peace and clarity.

Come grow with us in the Open Door Classroom (Room 120), located in the Education Building, immediately following the 9 AM service each Sunday. **All are welcome to join us.** 

#### **Empty Bowls Soup Makers Needed**

Empty Bowls, the annual fundraising event for the United Food Bank, will be held on November 8, 2025, from 10 a.m.–1 p.m. at the Robert A. Willaford Railroad Museum and McCall Park. Our church's recipe for the fundraiser is Shirley Erwin's yummy Creamy Chicken Noodle soup. If you would like to help out by making a batch of soup or serving the soup for an hour or two, please contact Nancy Wisgerhof by calling or texting 813-833-0541.

#### WELCOME, GUESTS

We're so glad you're here today. As a small token of our appreciation, we invite you to take a red "Welcome Guests" box located at each of the entrances.

We hope you'll join us again next week!



October 5, 2025



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Reach UP in Worship

**Reach OUT in Mission** 

Reach DEEP in Discipleship

# Contemporary Service · 9AM · Wesley Centre



### PRESERVICE MUSIC

**WELCOME** Rev. Margaret Rountree

**NEW MEMBER PRESENTATION**Rev. Margaret Rountree

\*PRAISE SONG Great Things

**MEET & GREET** 

\*PRAISE SONG Beautiful One

**OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE** Proverbs 11: 24-25 ESV Aiden McFarland

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Carole Wright

**OFFERTORY** Sue Daniels

**SERMON** "The Joy of Giving" Rev. Margaret Rountree

2 Corinthians 9: 6-12 ESV

**HOLY COMMUNION** 

\*CLOSING SONG Jesus, Messiah

**BENEDICTION** 



Point your phone's camera at the QR code on the left to give your offering online. It's safe, easy and convenient.

OUR FAITHFULNESS Through 09/28/2025			ATTENDANCE	
YTD TOTAL RECEIVED	\$395,556		Online	In Person
YTD BUDGETED NEED	\$423,501	September 21	192	148
SURPLUS/SHORTFALL	\$-27,945	September 28	146	119

## Traditional Service · 11AM · Sanctuary



PLANT CITY FLORIDA		
PRELUDE	Stand Up For Jesus/Onward Christian Soldiers <i>Michelson</i>	Richard Wisher Organist
INTROIT	Rejoice, Give Thanks And Sing Messiter	Chancel Choir
WELCOME		Rev. Margaret Rountree
NEW MEMBER PRESENTATION		
MEET & GREET		
*BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS	Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.	Congregation
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH		#881
*GLORIA PATRI		#70
*HYMN OF PRAISE	Rise Up, O Men of God	#576
OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE	Proverbs 11: 24-25 ESV	Sue Daniels
STEWARDSHIP MOMENT		Carole Wright
OFFERTORY	Come, Taste the Goodness of the Lord Martin	Chancel Choir
*DOXOLOGY		#95
SERMON	"The Joy of Giving" 2 Corinthians 9: 6-12 ESV	Rev. Margaret Rountree
HOLY COMMUNION		Pg. 12
*HYMN OF DEDICATION	Become To Us The Living Bread	#630
BENEDICTION		
RESPONSE	Lord, Let Us Now Depart In Peace Whelpton	Chancel Choir
POSTLUDE	Toccata On "Darwalls 148th"	Richard Wisher

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are able.

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