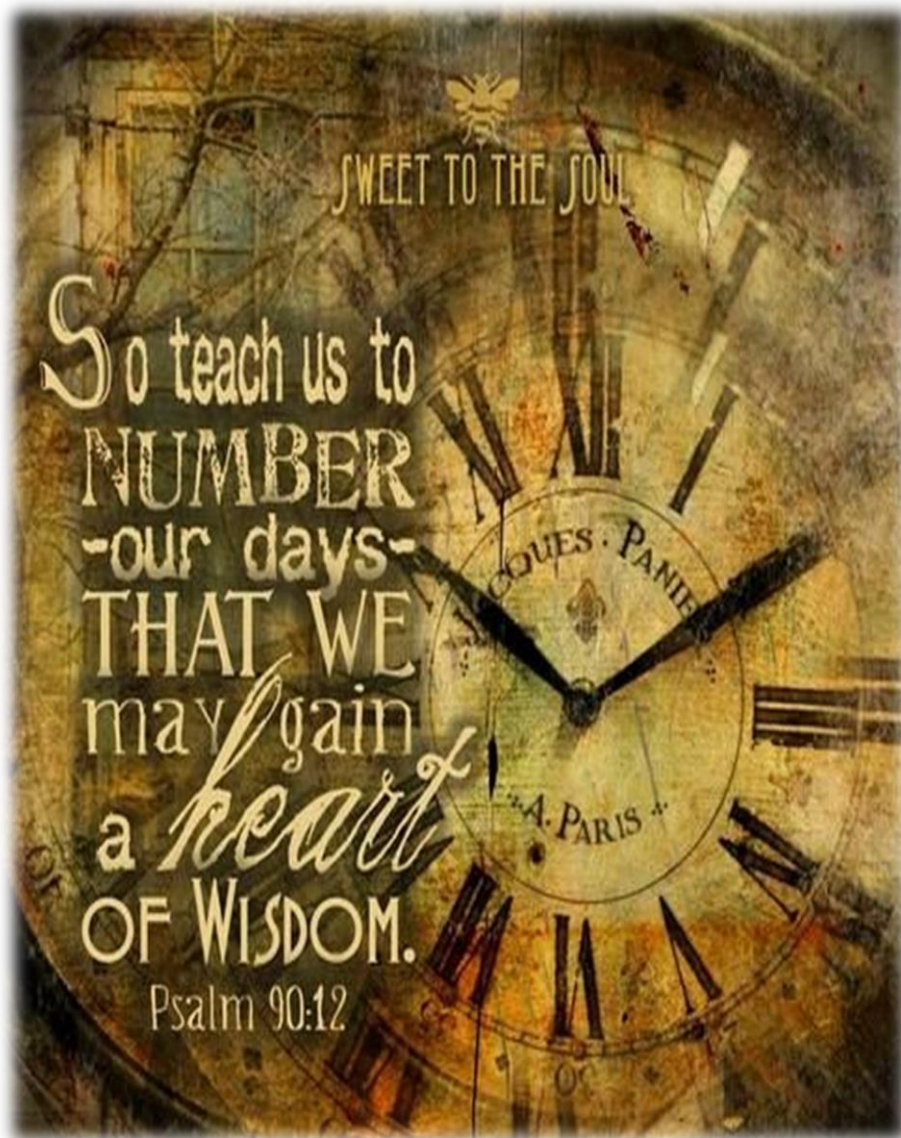


*Penney Memorial Church
Penney Farms, Florida*



*An Interdenominational Church
November 14, 2021*

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

November 14, 2021

10:30 am

**The Congregation is invited to stand*.*

GATHERING MUSIC

Alexei Romanenko

PRELUDE

“Adagio”

Albinoni

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)

(L) We are gathered from east and west, north and south,
(P) To give thanks to God, whose steadfast love endures forever.
(L) Saved by God’s Mercy, we remember God’s bountiful grace.
(P) Like travelers on a long journey looking for strength on the way.
(L) We cry out to God for our guidance and direction with a song in our heart.
(A) O give thanks to God whose goodness and love endures forever.

PRAYER FOR BLESSING

*THANKSGIVING HYMN #641 “All the Way my Savior Leads Me”
Fanny J, Crosby

CONFESSION OF SIN #457 (unison)

MOMENTS OF SILENT REFLECTION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI #805

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS Cathy Crafford, Membership Committee
Chair; Martha Gale, Moderator

*CONGREGATIONAL COMMITMENT

We welcome you into our fellowship and promise you our continuing friendship and prayers as we share the hopes and labors of this church of Jesus Christ. By the power of the Holy Spirit, may we continue to grow together in the knowledge of God and His love, and be faithful witnesses of our risen Savior.

PRAYER

Martha Gale

HYMN #708

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

John Fawcett

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE

PSALM 90

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Trusting Jesus"

arr. G. Lanier

Bassoonist, Ardith Keef, Piano accompaniment, Larry Verlander

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORDS PRAYER (debts)

OFFERING INVITATION

OFFERTORY

Music Interlude

"America the Beautiful"

Ward

*Doxology #808

*Dedicatory Prayer

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE

Acts 9:26-31, 13:1-7, 15:35-40

DISCIPLESHIP HYMN #651 "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

Washington Gladden

MESSAGE "A Long Obedience in the same Direction"

Sid Rooy

*PILGRIMS HYMN #657 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

*PARTING BLESSING

POSTLUDE

"Eternal father, strong to save"

Dykes-Labenske

*Worshippers are free to leave **quietly** during the postlude or be seated until its conclusion*

CHURCH NEWS

From your Moderator, Martha Gale

1. A warm welcome to our newest PMC members: Tom & Marianne Boyle, Rini Butler, Roger & Dorothy DeHaan, Ray & Pam Deters, Susan Dorsch, Alice Hall, Wes & Martha Hyde, Doug & Mickey Kingdon, Rick Koenig, Anita Myers, and Tony Wain. Isn't it a blessing that we are finally able to welcome new members in person!
2. Please watch your Hub Box and your email for the notice of a Special Meeting of the Congregation to be held on December 5 at 3 PM here in the Sanctuary. It will be preceded by a Q & A meeting on December 2 at 10 AM in the Fellowship Room to talk about the need to incorporate the church.
3. Following a Chaplains gathering this week when we learned all about the HIPAA rules, I will no longer be "the angel of death" announcing deaths from the pulpit for

those who die between 4 PM on Friday and Sunday morning.

Church Missions News

Starting this year in Clay County, the Salvation Army/Clay County Corps will be giving gifts to all the children in the Guardian Ad Litem (GAL) program, along with about 400 others, through their Angel Tree program. A Guardian Ad Litem is a court-appointed person who serves as investigator working on behalf of the court, with the main purpose of determining what is best for a child. He or she will conduct interviews of the parents involved in the family court case and will talk to the child directly. Every GAL has had education, training, and experience regarding the needs of children.

When someone participates in the Angel Tree program, the individual or group adopts “Angels” which represent real children living in the community. Colorful tags adorn the tree. Each tag provided includes a child’s age, gender, and gift wish. The toys purchased are then returned to the local Salvation Army for distribution to parents in time for Christmas. The world is a bit brighter because of this ministry and your support for their programs.

Commemorative Programs

Tonight, at 7 PM, in PMC, the Beaux Arts Piano Duo will be performing. All are invited – no social distancing – but do wear your masks, and don’t forget to bring your programs. Those who cannot attend may watch from home. This will be a remarkable performance.

Nancy Moore, for Commemorative Programs

Lost & Found

We have found a key chain with flashlight, and 3 umbrellas! If you think these items belong to you, they will be located in the Church office.

IRA Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) Reminder

As the end of 2021 draws near, it is time to take your Required Minimum Distribution for Traditional IRA’s as required by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). If you are older than 72, you must take your RMD by Dec. 31. You are subject to IRS penalties if you fail to do so.

Because the money put into your IRA account was never taxed, it will be subject to taxation when you withdraw it. However, if you contribute the RMD dollars directly

to a charitable organization, like Penney Memorial Church, the funds will not be taxable, thereby reducing your income tax. You can make your tax-exempt contributions anytime during the year. Roth IRAs are not subject to RMDs because the money was taxed before it was placed in a Roth IRA. If you have any questions, please ask your tax advisor or call Beverly Wightman at 716-753-0202.

Healing Prayer Ministry

The Healing Prayer Ministry reminds you that today, Nov. 14, Prayers for Healing will be offered between 4:00 and 5:00pm by trained prayer ministers in the sanctuary. You may come at any time just to pray silently in this holy space, leaving when you wish. If you would like prayer for physical, emotional, family/friend's relationships, etc., you may come to a prayer station (depending on Covid restrictions) and receive prayer, in complete confidentiality, for whatever is on your heart. If you are unable to come to the sanctuary and have a prayer request, please contact Kay Barratt (284-2422, kaybarratt@aol.com), or Hub Box I-13) or Madeline Foley (284-7716, or mvincentfoley@gmail.com), or Hub Box 201-D) with your requests. "...pray for one another, that you may be healed." (James 5:16b)

Church Finances October 2021

Operations	October	Year to Date	
Income	\$ 31,591	\$ 193,523	
Expense	<u>-21,746</u>	<u>-195,782</u>	
Net	\$ 9,845	\$ -2,259	(October 2020 -\$2,082)
Benevolence			
Income		\$ 59,738	

Thank you and thank you again for the bountiful contribution that brings October into a healthy positive and substantially helps improve our year-to-date balance.

Susan Kimsey, Treasurer

SERVING TODAY

Sidney Rooy, our preacher of the morning, is an ordained minister of the Christian Reformed Church. After graduate studies in missions and church history in New York and the Netherlands, he and his wife Mae served as missionaries in, Argentina, Costa Rica and Nicaragua. Sid served as a minister of evangelism and professor of church history for most of his years. Mae and Sid came to PRC in 2001.

Evelyn (Dolly) Hillman , our liturgist this morning, receive degrees from Wayne State, the University of Michigan and a certificate from Tyndale Bible College. For 30 years she worked as an educator in the Detroit Public Schools. She was involved in missionary service for 15 years in Nigeria, Haiti, Congo and at the American Baptist headquarters. Dolly was very active in many Ministries in her churches in Detroit and Savannah, Georgia, before coming to PRC in 2009.

Alexei Romanenko, our organist this morning, is both the Principal Cellist (with the JAX Symphony) and an accomplished organist and pianist.

SERVING NEXT WEEK

November 21, 2021

Worship Leader: Paul Stake

Liturgist: Bonnie Bong

Organist: Larry Verlander

Special Music: PMC Sanctuary Choir

This Week at PMC

(See the listing below for all the possible venues and their links.)
 ALL PROGRAMS & MEETINGS ARE ACCESSIBLE ON THE VIRTUAL
 VENUES UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED WITH "NO" IN THE LAST COLUMN:

DAY, DATE, & TIME	PROGRAM/ MEETING	PREACHER / LITURGIST/ LEADER	PHYSICAL VENUE	ALL VIRTUAL VENUES
SUN NOV 14 7:00 pm	TAO LIN/CATHERINE LAN PIANO DUO	COMMEMORATIVE PROGRAM	SANCTUARY	YES
TUE NOV 16 4:00 pm	"IN CONVERSATION WITH ELIN ELY"	GEORGE HULL	BROADCAST	CHANNEL 21
WED NOV 17 8:30 am	PENMOR COMMUNION	VARIOUS	PENMOR CHAPEL	NO
THUR NOV 18 4:00 pm	"IN CONVERSATION WITH ELIN ELY"	GEORGE HULL	BROADCAST	CHANNEL 21
FRI NOV 19 9:00 am	INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP	BRUCE BERRY	FELLOWSHIP ROOM	NO
SUN NOV 21 8:45-9:45	DIALOGUE CLASS/BOOK STUDY	VARIOUS	BARROWS HALL	CHANNEL 22
SUN NOV 21 8:45-9:45 am	ACTS 29 CLASS STUDYING JEREMIAH	VARIES	COMMONS CLASSROOM	NO
SUN NOV 21 8:45-9:45 am	PHILATHEA CLASS	*VIDEO STUDY OF JONAH	FELLOWSHIP HALL	NO
SUN NOV 21 10:30 am	SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	PAUL STAKE/BONNIE BONG	SANCTUARY	YES