

**10:00am Worship Service**

**WELCOME**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OPENING SONG**

*Down By the Riverside*  
New Beginnings Praise Team

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*HYMN #730**

*Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus*

**\*PRAYER OF ADORATION**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

*10,000 Reasons*  
New Beginnings Praise Team

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**OFFERING**

*Minuet in G* Beethoven

**\*RESPONSE #815**

*Doxology*

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION** (*Unison*)

**Father, these gifts we bring are our expression of our thanks for who You are and what You mean to us. As we present them to You, we also commit ourselves to love and serve You with grateful hearts, for Jesus' sake. Amen.**

**\*HYMN #107**

*Lord, I Lift Your Name on High*

**SCRIPTURE**

Galatians 3:15-22

**MESSAGE**

*The Promise and the Law* Pastor Steve Mock

**\*HYMN #462**

*Come, Share the Lord*

**SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

**Invitation and Prayer of Dedication**

**Sharing the Bread and Cup**

**The Prayer of Thanksgiving & the Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)**

**\*HYMN #408**

*How Firm a Foundation*

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*RESPONSE #713**

*Seek Ye First (Vs. 1)*

\*Please stand, if able

Hearing assist devices are available at the tech booth – please feel free to ask for one.

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***Refreshments will be served in the Fellowship Hall following the service***

*This morning as we join in worship, our hope is that each of us will find renewed life, health and strength in God. We are glad to welcome each visitor and friend, and that you have chosen to hear God's call with this congregation. If you are living in this area, either permanently or for the season, we invite you to join hands in ministry with us by becoming a member of our congregation.*

**MINISTRY OF PRAYER**

***Prayer Focus***

- Pray for persecuted Christians throughout the world.
- Pray for those who serve in the military and their families during the war against terrorism.
- Pray for our church and new denomination as we seek ways to reach the lost and needy in our community and world.
- Pray for Charlotte County, for revival and renewal as part of Prayers Over Charlotte initiated by the Sunday Night Prayer meeting.
- Pray for Rob and Jennifer Taylor, missionaries to Zambia, that we support.

***Those who Grieve***

- Pray for Diane Tabert and family on the loss of her daughter-in-law, Teri Laux, who went home to the Lord on May 28, 2016.

***Those with Special Needs:***

Jerry Julius	Kay Callahan	Rev. Larry Yerger
Helen Anderson	Ella Sifferd	Carol Foster
Dianne Sizemore	Nancy Beasom	Cara Gebel
Cara Coletti	Shirley Richey	Sharon Russell
Ken Haun	Myrna Peters	Mary Ondersma

***Those who are in Assisted Living or Nursing Homes***

Barbara Shinn, <i>The Palms of Punta Gorda</i>	Marion Brown, <i>Royal Palm</i>
Lorraine Sisson, <i>Saginaw, MI</i>	John Milligan, <i>Sandhill Gardens</i>
Doris Henning, <i>Sandhill Gardens</i>	Vern Wilson, <i>The Palms of Punta Gorda</i>

*Please keep the office updated concerning your requests.*

*Requests will be listed for 4 weeks and then removed unless updated.*

***CELL PHONES*** – Please remember to silence or turn off your mobile devices.

***FLOWERS*** – The flowers this morning are given by Bob and Jean Humphreys in celebration of their 52nd wedding anniversary.

***SUMMER NEWSLETTER*** is available in the church foyer and on our website.

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

***ECO FLAG*** – The ECO flag in the front right of the sanctuary was donated by Rachel Pfaender in honor and memory of her husband, Fred Pfaender, who was a faithful servant of God and covenant partner of our church.

***PRAYER MEETING*** – A prayer meeting is held Sunday evenings at 6pm in the Conference Room. Come and be a part of what God's Spirit is doing in our church community.

***SUMMER WORSHIP*** – Through September 4th, there will be one blended (contemporary and traditional) worship service on **Sundays at 10am**.

***NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH MINISTRY*** – Our RED “Welcome Bags” are in the church foyer waiting for you to deliver to a new neighbor in your neighborhood.

***WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY*** – Pastor Larry is leading a study on the “minor” books in the Bible **Wednesday morning at 10am**. The study is open everyone.

**ICE CREAM SOCIAL** – Join us **THIS Wednesday, June 8th, 5:30pm** in Fellowship Hall for an Ice Cream Social. Joy King, Gospel Singer from “Simply Faith”, will provide entertainment for us. Sign up in the church foyer.

**RICE & PINTO BEANS SUNDAY** – We will collect rice & pinto beans for Misión Peniel **next Sunday, June 12th**. Please place your items in the tall container in the church entrance.

**HELPING MISIÓN PENIEL** – Our next trip will be on **Friday, June 24th**. We carpool from the church at 12:15pm. Call Dianne Sizemore or the church office to volunteer. Place donations of *gently used blankets, sheets, towels, long-sleeve t-shirts and regular shirts* in the wicker basket in the church foyer.

**LOAVES AND FISHES MINISTRY** – Are you interested in making a meal when there is a short-term need in the congregation due to an illness or loss? Are you willing to deliver a meal that someone else has fixed? If so, please call the church office to volunteer.

**MISSIONARY SUPPORT** – We are financially supporting the Taylor family in their 2-year commitment in Zambia, Africa. Please pray for them. If you would like to donate to this mission, please make your checks payable to the church and on the memo line write “Taylor Family.”

**CROSSROADS MINISTRY** – AMI KIDS Crossroads is in need of operating funds. To donate, please make checks payable to the church and on the memo line write “Crossroads.”

**PLEASE BRING IN FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY** - Let us see the blue food bin overflowing each week. **Some suggestions: peanut butter, jelly, cereal and soup.**

**PRAYER EMAIL LIST** – If you would like to be on Pastor Steve’s prayer email list, please email Pastor Steve at [steve@fpcpunta.org](mailto:steve@fpcpunta.org).

**FLOWERS** – May be sponsored for the **cost of \$37.50**. To make a donation, sign up in the church foyer. You may list the flowers in honor and/or in memory of something or someone.

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**EVENTS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

**June 5th thru June 12th**

<b><u>Sunday, June 5</u></b>	6:00pm	Prayer Meeting
<b><u>Tuesday, June 7</u></b>	10:00am	Women’s Bible Study at the Cuzners
<b><u>Wednesday, June 8</u></b>	10:00am	Bible Study
	5:30pm	Ice Cream Social
<b><u>Thursday, June 9</u></b>	5:30pm	Praise Team
<b><u>Sunday, June 12</u></b>	10:00am	Worship
	6:00pm	Prayer Meeting

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**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

*Loving...Growing...Going...in Jesus!*



**ECO**

A Covenant Order  
of Evangelical  
Presbyterians

**OUR VISION AND PURPOSE**

**LOVING...**

*... God and others through worship and fellowship*

**GROWING...**

*... in our understanding Jesus’ and God’s purposes for us through Bible study,  
and developing our ministries to serve God and others*

**GOING...**

*... into God’s world with His message of love and salvation through Jesus Christ,  
and with His ministries of compassion and mercy*

**ALL IN JESUS’ NAME!**

**ECO’S VISION**

*... to build flourishing churches that make disciples of Jesus Christ*

**June 5, 2016**

**10:00am**

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**PASTOR**  
**ASSISTANT PASTOR**  
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**OFFICE MANAGER**  
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Rev. Steve Mock  
 Rev. Larry Yerger  
 Randall Curtis  
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