

# *The Community Chapel*

*(Non-Denominational)*

*of*

*Melbourne Beach, Florida*

*Founded in 1892*

*"Holding Forth the Word of Life"*



*Listed on the National Register of Historic Places*

**"I CAN" ...Bring a food item for The Sharing Center wagon.**

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

(The earliest statement of the Christian Faith)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick (living) and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen (\*catholic is defined as "universal")

### **Confession Response Chorus (Phil 2:10-11)**

**He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead, and He is Lord**

**Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Advent** ...a special time of reflection and preparation in the celebration of the birth of Christ and His coming again.

**Communion**...is open to all who profess Christ as Lord and Savior.

**Christmas Eve Readers**..See Pastor Secret.

**Poinsettias**...Envelopes due back by 12/14, with checks (\$10) made payable to Laurie Simmons ..place in offering plate..

**Praise & Worship Service**...(weekly) Saturday, 6 pm, Terry Center, Childcare provided.

**Bible Study (Home groups)**...Wed., 6:15 PM. See Matt Cerny.

**Adult Bible Study**...Coffee/refreshments with teaching in the Terry Center at 8:00 am. Topic: End Times.

**Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child**...Thank you for the response, coordinated by Shirley Mikelionis.

**Jamaica Hurricane Relief**...\$5,000.00 has been designated by the Chapel to Samaritan's Purse for this effort.

**Faithfulness in Giving**...Biblical response (2 Cor 9:6-11; Luke 6:38). Annual weekly envelopes (2026) will be available in back room.

**Sign-Up Book** (back) flower donations and to host fellowship.

**Chapel Membership Applications**.... in back.

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Dec. 9.....Cookie Exchange (6:00 pm)

Dec. 14....After-Service Fellowship (Next Sunday)

Dec. 17....Board of Trustees' Meeting (6:30 pm)

Dec. 24....Christmas Eve Worship (7:00 pm)

Dec. 28.....Testimony/Praise Service

**WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS --- PLEASE TEAR OFF CARD IN FOLDER AND PUT IN OFFERING OR GIVE TO THE PASTOR.**

For information on ministries, membership, baptism, counsel or to request a visit (communion for shut-ins), contact Pastor Secret,  
722-9117/john.secret@att.net.

**Greeter:** Carol Session

**Scripture Reader:** Kathleen Daly

**Ushers:** Stefan & Katherine Glista

**Flowers...**Signe Post..."Let every heart prepare for the coming of our Savior, Christ Jesus!"

**Prayer Chain...** Call Pat at 722-9117 or Paula at 961-4248

**Membership Applications...**in literature rack (give to Ch. Secret)

**Restrooms...**attached to building on west side.

**Communion** (scheduled monthly)

**Bible Study/Children's Ministry:** (as scheduled)

**Weekly Offering Envelopes** available for giving and tax record.

**Bibles/Literature/Large print hymnals...** up front for worship.

**Sermon Recordings...**available on website.

**Monthly Minutes/Financial Statement...**posted in the Terry Center

**\*God Bless America...**the Chapel benediction since 9/11 expressed in prayer for our nation and to honor our military members.

### **Ministry Staff**

Pastor/Chaplain (722-9117)

John J. Secret, D. Min.

Special Music

Angelia Bell, Bud Lisevick

Keyboard/Organ

Matt Cerny

Board of Trustees: Chairmen Jim Noble, Signe Post, Ken Lebrato,

Patti McKay, Bob Steffel & Billy Tweeddale

Secretary (961-4248)

Paula Jenkins

Treasurer

Signe Post

Sexton (727-7353)

Jim Noble

President - Women of the Chapel

Alicia Brewer

Usher Coordinator

Patti McKay

Greeter Coordinator

Lois Proctor

Reader Coordinator (guidelines available)

Kathleen Daly

Children's Ministry (Volunteers needed)

Custodian

Angela Twiddy

Card Ministry

Shirley Mikelionis

Sunday Fellowships (Host Volunteers)

Flower Coordinators Laurie Simmons & Barbara Struttmann

History

Peter & Teresa Winter

Ministry Advisor/Wedding Coordinator Pat Secret

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