

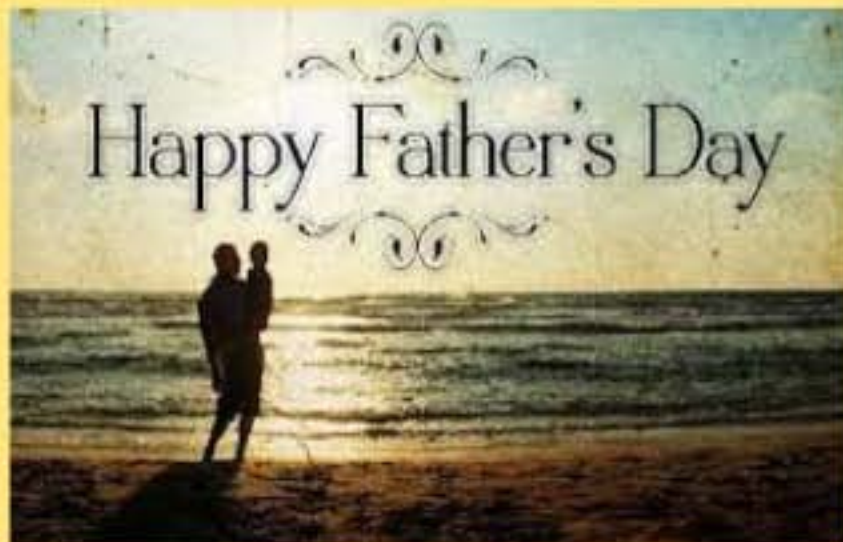


Catch the Wave at Bayshore PC

Tidings

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Memories of My Dad

He wasn't a hero
known by the world.
But a hero he was
to this little girl.

I knew his voice
Before I could speak.
And loved it when
he would read me to sleep.

He'd come home late
with not much to say.
And had us kneel
as he taught me to pray.

He taught life's lessons
of right from wrong.
And instilled in me values
that I might be strong.

His presence was important,
and especially that smile.
For no one in the world
could emulate his style.

And so, dear Dad
my best memory to recall,
is the gift of your presence.
The greatest gift of all.



The righteous man walks
in his integrity; His children
are blessed after him.
Proverbs 20:7





*Our
Pastor*

Catch the Wave

at Bayshore Presbyterian

Gaze upward,
look inward,
reach outward,
press forward.

-Thomas S. Monson

What high excitement was present here at Bayshore on Saturday, May 19! Everyone had grabbed the reins of their various tasks and ran with it! Each committee chair was reliable and upbeat! All turned out to help! Whether it was to be at the information table, acting as a host or hostess in the building, putting up the tent, seeing to the food, or helping with the parking! Each task was crucial to the success of this event! Mother nature failed to cooperate and the event was cut short. But still it was a grand success. The best part was seeing the tasks that such a small group of people could complete when working through and for Christ. I look forward to our next big effort in outreach. If we can continue to show the love of Christ to some in our community, that alone is a grand opportunity and experience!

I attended the bi-annual stated Presbytery meeting at Hope Church in Winter Haven where there was an afternoon break-out group dedicated to small churches. So many wanted to attend that group that they had to bring in many additional chairs. The work and life of small churches is now in the forefront of the efforts of Presbytery.

In that same vein, as I am typing this, I am waiting for a group from our congregation to pull up here at the church and we then make our way to St. Andrews Presbyterian in New Tampa to meet with the Presbytery's Committee on Church Vitality to get their help in our outreach efforts. It should be interesting and I look forward to sharing this experience with all of you!

Ted and I believe we have sold our condominium next door at Howell Park. We have a contract, but of course many things can happen between the signing of the contract and the closing of the deal. This all will in no way affect my work here at Bayshore. We have owned a home in Lakeland for two years and I have very often been commuting here to the church. The Session has lovingly and generously allowed us to use the back room on the kitchen side of the church as a nest to stay in when we are required to be in Tampa overnight for church or family duties. Ted and I will pay the cost of any repair and renovation required in that regard. We are so appreciative of your kindness and understanding and look forward to years ahead of us working the midst of this unique and loving congregation!

Know that you remain in my heart and in my prayers,

God bless you all!

Pastor Celie

Our Church



Warm summer sun, shine kindly here;
Warm southern wind, blow softly here;
Green sod, bring forth flowers dear;
Filling the summer with glorious cheer.

Wade Fitzgerald
guest pianist



July
Birthdays

Harry E July 6
David E. July 18

School Supplies needed for the Beth El Children

Backpacks:
Middle and High School

Glue Sticks

Binders, 1", 2", 3"

Washable markers

Coloring pencils

Notebooks

Highlighters

Lose leaf paper

College ruled paper

Composition notebooks

Scissors

Pens (black, blue, red)

Pencils

Erasers of any type

Hand sanitizers (pocket size)

Index cards

Three hole dividers

3 prong folders w/pockets

White board markers

Pencil pouch

Deadline is July 22



Calendar

6/14 Flag Day

6/17 Father's Day

6/24 Mission Comm

7/4 Independence Day

7/8 Guest Pastor

7/10 Session, 6 PM



Sat. - May 19 - 3 - 6 PM
at Bayshore Presbyterian
Church - front lawn
2515 Bayshore Blvd.
Classic Rock
Come join us for a
fun time on the Bay!
Free Music -
Food for donation only
**What a setting for Music,
Food & Dancing on the Bay!**
*Bring a chair
Parking in rear of Bayshore Church*



What a fun
time!
Amazing help!
All working
together!

