



Catch the Wave at Bayshore PC

Tidings

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Dad

God took the strength of a mountain,
the majesty of a tree,
the warmth of a summer sun,
the calm of a quiet sea,
the generous soul of nature,
the comforting arm of night,
the wisdom of the ages,
the power of eagles flight,
the joy of a morning spring,
the faith of a mustard seed,
the patience of eternity,
the depth of a family need,
then God combined these qualities,
and then was nothing more to add,
He knew His masterpiece was complete,
and so, He called it DAD.

Hello June



FL Summer Sunsets
are proof that no matter
what happens, every day
can end beautifully.

HAPPY
FATHER'S
DAY WE LOVE YOU

CALENDAR

6/9 Pentecost & Picnic
Lunch after worship - \$5
6/15 Men's Breakfast, 8AM
at Grecian Island
6/16 Father's Day -
Trinity Sunday
6/18 Session at 1 PM
6/19 Staff Meeting at
10:30 AM



*Our
Pastor*

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As a father has compassion
on his children, so the
Lord has compassion on
those who fear him;
Psalm 103:13

We will not publish a Tidings in July, so this is the last Tidings until August. Just want to take a minute and discuss where we are on several significant matters.

- (1) We received the \$29,000 grant from the Presbytery to go toward our sign and landscape improvements. We have an additional approximately \$3,000 available in the current budget which can go toward this project. To be cautious, we need to raise at least \$5,000 more to push the button and say let's go ahead. The session has approved the purchase of the sign. It's just a matter now of being sure we are financially confident about proceeding. We will continue to work out these details in the weeks ahead. We are looking for a landscape designer to give us an over-all landscape design. If you have anyone in mind for this job, please let me know.
- (2) Several people have expressed to me that they feel it's time to take a long hard look at where we are as a worshipping congregation and where we expect to be in the next two years and in the next five years. We also need to look at where we would like to be in those same time slots and what it will take to reach those visions. Every congregation, large and small, needs to take this hard look at themselves every few years.
- (3) I am forming a Visioning Committee which will be composed of the chairs of all standing committees, the Treasurer, the Clerk of Session, and two "at-large" members appointed by the pastor. I hope to finalize this idea with the session at our June meeting. I will be an ex-officio member of the committee, to act primarily as a moderator without any power of voting, etc. My thought process is that this Visioning Committee will survey the congregation via a confidential surveying instrument. The Worship Committee has already done excellent work fashioning a portion of the survey dealing with worship style, etc. Once the overall survey is constructed, it will go out by "snail mail" to all members for their thoughtful consideration and response. All responses will be unsigned and confidential. The information will be shared with the congregation and we will have discussion opportunities on all these matters as well as educational opportunities to discuss possible options which may be available. It's an exciting time!

I pray you can stay cool in this sweltering weather. Know I am here for each of you!

In Christ's Love,
Pastor Celie

Our Church



Pentecost
Picnic
Lunch



Mother's Day



New white & bulletin boards
in the Community Room.

Trinity
Sunday
June 16th

