

Evangelical Covenant Church of Venice Isle

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Rev. Dr. Mary Hendrickson

March 7, 2021

George DeJong ~ Pianist

Please turn off or mute your cell phone. Thank you!

Prelude:

Welcome and Church Notices

Worship in Music: We Have Come Into His House

* Call to Worship:

Pastor: You're blessed when you stay on course, walking steadily on the road revealed by God.

People: We're blessed when we follow his directions, doing our best to find him.

Pastor: That's right—you don't go off on your own; you walk straight along the road he set. Let's pray:

People: We've come to worship Lord, straight to your house, to your people, to hear your words and learn of your ways. This morning, give us strength for the journey.

Pastor: Thank you for all these people seated here, faithful companions on the road.

People: Help us as we map our way together, following the route that Jesus showed us. In his name we worship, and we pray, Amen.

*** Invocation and the Lord's Prayer** (sins/sin)

Worship in Music: The Solid Rock

Prayers of the People

Scripture Lesson: Read by Chub Bortz
Philippians 3:12 - 4:1

Message: "The Ultimate Prize"

Worship in Music: Onward, Christian Soldiers

Worship in Giving - Offering

Service of Holy Communion

Worship in Music: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

*Benediction

* Postlude:

Today's Prayer Requests:

Gail McKay, Janet Keckler, Bob Himes,
Hal Goff's brother in law David,
MaryAnn Olund, Brenda Alsip, Joe Clements,
Ron Burkholder, Julie Immegart, Dennis Lovell,
Wally Hilz, Kay and Pastor Dave Johnson
Lois and Pastor Bob Swoveland
SEC Churches in FL especially:

Kingdom Covenant Ministries in Miami

If you or someone you know needs prayer, contact the Church Secretary; we won't know if you don't tell us!

Altar Flowers: Chub and Georgine Bortz in honor of new and first great grand baby
Ann Geise and Carol Westrup: Happy belated birthday
Bev Arnold



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Church Council Members:

Becky Erickson DeCicco – Chair,
Gretchen Davis – Vice Chair, Betty Basinger –
Secretary, Marna Corbus – Treasurer, Carl Risch –
Financial Secretary, Ron Burkholder, Gary Durbin,
Hal Goff, Julie Hilz,

This Week

- **Bible Study** Thursday; 9-10:15AM– we will be learning about lesser known, but critical people in the Bible. Zoom link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86198127005>.
- **Every morning at 8 AM, join me for 15 minutes of reflection and prayer.** If you have particular prayer needs, you will have the opportunity to share them, and we will lift them up in prayer. The link for this is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82138910263>

Looking Ahead

- Tue. Mar 9 Church Council Meeting CH1, 9AM
- Mon. Mar 15 **Share Night at Venice Culver's** 4-7PM
- Fri. Apr 2 **Good Friday Service** at 7 PM CH1
- Sun. Apr 4 **Easter Sunday Services, 8:30 & 10:30AM**

Ministry Opportunities ~ Open to ALL

- **Altar Flowers** honor God and bless others. To order call Ann at 612-715-1336. Please put \$30 in an offering envelope labeled FLOWERS with your name.
- **Meals** This ministry needs a new coordinator. provide a few meals on a short term basis for “laid-up” church members and friends. If you are able to make and deliver meals when the need arises, would like to donate to help pay for food, or are in need of help, please call Janet Keckler: 488-5511.

Church Notices

- Today's **bulletin** is available on the church website
- **After worship** recycle or throw your bulletin away at home. For the safety of our precious volunteers, don't leave it behind or hand it to someone to discard for you.
- **Thank you:** For wearing a Face Mask and a Nametag
- **Attendance** February 28 was 42



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**Welcome
to Sunday
Worship!**