



Community Presbyterian Church, Deerfield Beach, Florida

“The Steeple on the Beach”

Dr. Albert W. Bush, Jr., Pastor

Gail Smith, Musician

Elder RG Ghattas, Liturgist

Heidi and Cabot Knowlton, Greeters

Order of Worship – April 28, 2024

Fifth Sunday in Easter

Welcome to our worship. We are pleased to have you with us today!

Chimes

Welcome and Announcements

RG Ghattas

Prelude *“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”*

Helen Lemmel

Call to Worship Psalm 22:27-31

Hymn #463 *“How Firm a Foundation”*

Prayer of Confession

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

Gloria Patri

Prayer of Illumination

New Testament Acts 8:26-40

RG Ghattas

Hymn #819 *“Be Still, My Soul”*

Gospel Lesson John 15: 1-8

Meditation *“Go Witness to the Ethiopian”*

Dr. Bush

Hymn #39 *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”*

Prayers of the People

Thanksgiving, Intercession, and Supplication

The Lord’s Prayer

Offering Offertory *“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”* Charles Wesley

Doxology

Prayer

Hymn #12 *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”*

Blessing and Benediction

Postlude *“God Will Take Care of You”*

W. Stillman Martin

“I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower. He removes every branch in me that bears no fruit. Every branch that bears fruit, he prunes, to make it bear more fruit.” John 15:1-2

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Office Hours:
Mon-Thur: noon - 4:00pm

~~~Announcements~~~



**Please join us for fellowship and refreshments after worship.**  
Attendance last Sunday = 60

Our service is streamed live on YouTube (*Community Presbyterian Church Deerfield Beach*). The service can also be found on Facebook (*Community Presbyterian Church*) and on our website ([www.communitypreschurch.org](http://www.communitypreschurch.org)).

**Membership**

Interested in joining Community Presbyterian? Please see Dr. Bush and complete an application. We also offer affiliate membership.



**Bible Study**

Join us for the Bible Study "Matthew - the Gospel of Hope" on Wednesdays at 11:00am. Please call Jill at the church office for a Zoom invitation.



**Food Drive**

Thank you for helping fight hunger in our midst! Donations for our local food bank can be placed in the footlocker in the church front entrance.

**Flowers**

Anyone wishing to donate flowers in honor of or in memory of a loved one. Please call Jill in the office at (954) 427-0222.



**Congregational Meeting**

Calling all members: please plan to stay in the sanctuary after worship for a few minutes for a VERY BRIEF congregational meeting to elect our 2025 Nominating Committee. Thank you!!

**Memorial Service for Susan Hines**

On Friday, May 10, 2024, at 11AM, we will be hosting a memorial service for Susan Hines, who went to be with the Lord on March 9. Please plan to attend if possible. This would have been her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Prayer Requests**



**Please keep the following in your prayers:** Connie Alvarez, Patty Bates, Bill Chambers, Ken Chandler, CPC, Ann Creed, Collette Cronin, Jackie Deering, Beryl Dennis, Dianne Grezner, Jane Haskin, Steve Hall, Tib Kemeny, Cabot Knowlton, Kay Koehler, Rev. Dr. Jim Legge, Beryl O'Connell, Virginia Ohlsson, Hester Patterson, Jennifer Payne, Alison Burton Sanchez, Thomas, and Peace in Gaza and the Ukraine.