

# Brandon Christian Church

## Purpose Statement:

**Changing lives through the power of Jesus Christ by sharing the love of God:**

- ◆ A church that fosters Christian values in our youth;
- ◆ A church that seeks justice for the ignored;
- ◆ A church where relationships are real, lasting, and more important than individual opinions;
- ◆ A church that supports those who seek mental health resources, feeding the hungry, and helping the homeless;



- ◆ A church that shares God's love by our words and actions.

Brandon Christian Church is part of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) with general headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana and regional offices in Ocala, Florida. We originated in the United States in 1832 by men whose dream was Christian Unity. They chose the name, The Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) as a name that could include everyone who confessed their faith in Jesus Christ as Lord, regardless of their denominational background. Another distinctive feature of our church is that the Lord's Supper is part of every Sunday's worship service.

One becomes a member by confessing their faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and baptism. If they are a new Christian, baptism is by immersion. Christians from other backgrounds are accepted into membership by an acknowledgment of their previous baptism and confirmation of their faith in Christ.

Brandon Christian Church has been here for 50 years. We are a church who strives to welcome, nurture, pray and care for all who enter our doors. We invite you to join us as we worship God and seek to live by the teachings of Jesus, our Savior.



**Brandon  
Christian  
Church**

(Disciples of Christ)



**910 Bryan Road  
Brandon, FL 33511  
(813) 689-4021**

**Rev. Michael Sinclair  
Interim Minister**

**Please join us for worship on  
Sundays at 11:00 a.m.**

Website:

[Www.brandonchristianchurch.org](http://www.brandonchristianchurch.org)

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Facebook:

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## Church Programs

- ◆ **Worship & Wonder** (ages 3-10)
- ◆ **Adult Sunday School**
- ◆ **S.W.I.F.T. (Single Women in Faith Together):** 3rd Sunday, 12:30 p.m.
- ◆ **Book Club:** 2nd Sunday, 2:00 p.m.
- ◆ **ANNUAL:** Flea Market, Craft Bazaar

## Outreach Opportunities

- ◆ **Meals on Wheels:** Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. Our volunteers prepare and deliver meals to 35 homes each week.
- ◆ **Family Promise of Greater Brandon:** Working with homeless families to provide for their needs and helping them to regain independence.
- ◆ **Community Groups:** 20 community groups use the building for their group meetings.
- ◆ **Other Congregations:** Three other congregations meet weekly for worship in the sanctuary.
- ◆ **E.C.H.O.:** Food collection and The Christmas "sock & underwear tree" which provides for needy children.
- ◆ **Feeding Tampa Bay**

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### supports:

- ◆ **Disciples Mission Fund**
- ◆ **Week of Compassion**
- ◆ **Church World Service**
- ◆ **Emergency Care Help Organization of Brandon (ECHO)**
- ◆ **Family Promise of Greater Brandon**
- ◆ **HOPE (Hillsborough Organization for Progress and Equity) - to promote justice, fairness, and the dignity of people.**

## Family Promise



## Meals on Wheel

## Feeding Tampa Bay



## Worship & Wonder

## Small Group Studies

Various small group Christian book and bible studies offered weekly throughout the year lead by ordained clergy as well as lay members of the church.

## Worship Service

Worship begins at 11:00 am and includes traditional hymns, praise and worship music, contemporary songs, message from scripture and the Lord's Supper. The service is held in our Sanctuary, on Facebook live, and YouTube.

## Worship & Wonder

Following the praise music, children, age 3-10, are invited to Worship & Wonder, a Montessori based worship experience designed specifically for them.

## Nursery

A nursery is available during the Worship Service for infants and toddlers.

## Fellowship Time

Following worship is a time for conversation, light refreshments and developing friendships.