

# Epiphany

When the prelude starts, please refrain from talking out loud in the sanctuary. Let's prepare our hearts for Worship.

Thank you!

**\*PRELUDE Cathy Good**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

**Leader: As we gather in worship, let us reflect on the ways God has called us to flourish.**

**What does it mean to be planted in His love?**

People: It means we trust in His provision and allow our roots to grow deep in Him.

It means we stay close to the Source, drawing strength and nourishment daily.

**\*HYMN #21 O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing**

**\* APOSTLES CREED**

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

**\*ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*VISITOR RECOGNITION/GREETING**

**\*LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES**

**\*INTROIT #10 Majesty/TRINITY CHIMES**

**\*HYMN #437 Send the Light**

**\*LITURGY**

**Leader: Come, all who are weary, come and find rest in the Lord. God has called us to be rooted in His love, nourished by His Word. We are invited to flourish in His presence, to grow in grace, and to bear fruit for His kingdom.**

People: We come with hearts open to receive Your truth, Lord. We seek Your strength to grow and to thrive in every season. We trust in Your faithfulness to help us flourish as we abide in You.

**Leader: Let us worship the God who is the source of life and growth. May our hearts be like trees planted by streams of water, Yielding fruit in season, with leaves that do not wither.**

People: We praise You, Lord, the giver of life.

We open our lives to Your transforming power.

Let us flourish in Your presence, today and always.

**\*PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**\*ANTHEM "In Remembrance of Me" Choir**

**PLEDGE TO THE BIBLE**

**I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's holy word, I will make it a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path and will hide its words in my heart so I might not sin against God.**

**\*SCRIPTURE Psalm 92:12-14 "The righteous will flourish like a palm tree, they will grow like a cedar of**



**Lebanon; planted in the house of the Lord, they will flourish in the courts of our God. They will still bear fruit in old age, they will stay fresh and green."**

**\*SERMON "Rooted to**

**Rise: Flourishing in the Christian Life" by Pastor John**

**\*OFFERTORY "How Great Thou Art" Bob Dine, Scott**

**Kline, Cathy Good-verse 4: Congregation, please join in**

**When Christ Shall Come with shouts of acclamation**

**And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.**

**Then I shall bow in humble adoration**

**and there proclaim: My God How great thou art!**

**Then sings my soul, my savior God To Thee**

**How Great Thou art, how great Thou art**

**Then sings my soul, my savior God To Thee**

**How Great Thou art, how great Thou art**

**\* THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION AND**

**WORDS OF CONSECRATION**

**Prayer of Confession (pray this prayer in unison)**

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of your great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all that repent and turn to you, Have mercy upon us, pardon**

**and deliver us from our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and bring us to everlasting life; through Christ our Lord, Amen.**

**Receive the Bread and the Cup**

**\*HYMN #562 Be Thou My Vision**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

**"May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever; Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor. Lift up your eyes and see His face and His grace forever. May the Lord, mighty God, bless and keep you forever."**

[Please sign the registration pad in your pew and please wear your name tag. \(Request one on pew pad.\) Please turn off your cell phone when you enter the church.](#)

## Our Special Prayer List

Wherever you are on Mondays at 9:00 am, please give a prayer including your church. Remember and pray for our service men and women and world leaders, Dr. Tonya Hawthorne of New Frontiers Health Force, and Rev. Emmanuel Guidi of Togo, West Africa. We shall also pray for the following members and friends:

Jean Lefebvre	Ann Hennager	Joan Batchler
Faith Jacques	Nancy Emerson	Tina Bonanno
Karin Kitchen	Daisy Tomassini	Judy Marley
Tom Barto	Gayle Lewis	Doreen Dye
Ethel Bromley	Julie Goodman	Jean Aldridge
JoAnn Hayes	Jane Wentworth	Nancy Blanton
Eleanor Eichelberger	Mary Jane Rachau	
Pete and Marion Petersen	Bob and Rhonda Click	
Dave and Dee Thompson		

## Volunteers

Ushers-Dan Marshall, Doug Chamberlain, Daniel Byrd, Chris Iaquinto, John Meister, Milton Kautz  
Acolytes-John Mueller, Karen Mueller  
Greeters-Bonnie Baker, Sharon Sterrett, Jean Aldridge, Tina Bonanno  
Coffee Fellowship- Lois Howd, Jean Johnson  
Video Technician- Patty Ezra  
Sound Booth-June Clark  
Flag Bearer-Sharon Cann

**Here's What's Happening at NBCC**

Men's Breakfast at Eve's: Wed., Feb. 5, 8:30 a.m.

Ladies Breakfast at Rodie's: Thurs., Feb. 6, 9a.m.

February 6 Our First Cantata Rehearsal!!!! We'd

love for you to join us 6:30-8:00.

For Gentlemen: to get together and remove Pastor John's deck. Bring tools. Call Rich Bonanno. Date: Feb 8, Time: 10 a.m. Sign-up sheet in Gathering Place.

Garage Sale: If you owe money for the Garage Sale please see Jeanne Didier or put it in an envelope and mark it Garage Sale.

Valentine Dinner Party: Today is your last chance to sign up for our special Valentine Dinner Party this coming Saturday starting at 4:30 p.m. in the hall with dinner at 5 p.m. Our exciting duo Jason and Sonali will be here to entertain us throughout the evening. The sign-up sheet has many choices so bring your favorite dish and your family and friends. Prizes will be given out and there will also be a chocolate guessing game.

Attention Fellowship Committee: There will be a meeting tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. in the hall before exercise to finalize our plans for the dinner party. Also, again on Friday morning at 10 a.m. to set up the hall and decorate for the party on Saturday afternoon. Thank you !!!

Ladies Luncheon: Tuesday, February 11, at Noon. Please join us at Eves Restaurant in Oldsmar to share some Love and Laughter and enjoy a delicious lunch with a great group of Ladies. Be sure to sign up in the Gathering Place. Hosts: JoAnne Slye and Cheryl Manchester.

Men's Luncheon: February 20, 12 p.m. at Benedict's Restaurant in Dunedin. Contact Matt Wisniewski.

Hear ye! Hear ye! Be advised that the North Bay Talent Show welcomes all skits, singers, musicians, comedians and dancers to the show on Saturday, March 29 in the sanctuary at 2 p.m. There will be sign-up sheets forthcoming for each individual act.



The Pastor's Bible Study  
Every Wednesday at 11a.m. in Edgar Hall.



PRAY FOR THE PEACE OF JERUSALEM  
PRAY FOR PEACE IN ISRAEL

This Week at NBCC

<u>Sunday, February 2</u>		
Adult Sunday School	9:15	a.m.
Worship Service	10:30	a.m.
<u>Monday, February 3</u>		
Fellowship Meeting	9:30	a.m.
Monday Manna Bible Study	11:00	a.m.
Flex and Stretch Class	11:00	a.m.
AA Meeting in Edgar Hall	7:00	p.m.
<u>Tuesday, February 4</u>		
Church Gardening	9:00	a.m.
Golf at Chi Chi's	1:15	p.m.
<u>Wednesday, February 5</u>		
Men's Breakfast at Eve's Restaurant	8:30	a.m.
Bible Study	11:00	a.m.
<u>Thursday, February 6</u>		
Ladies Breakfast at Rodie's Rest.	9:00	a.m.
Painters in Library	10:00	a.m.
Choir	6:30	p.m.
<u>Friday, February 7</u>		
Fellowship Meeting	10:00	a.m.
Flex and Stretch Class	11:00	a.m.
<u>Saturday, February 8</u>		
Men to remove Pastor John's Deck	10:00	a.m.
Fellowship Dinner/Entertainment Party		
Doors open at 4:30 p.m. w/ Dinner at 5:00		p.m.

Wi-Fi at Church: North Bay Guest 3170mcmullen

Church Office Hours: Monday: 9-1, Tues.- Fri.: 9-4.

# North Bay Community Church

Knowing Christ and Making Him Known



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February 2, 2025

Morning Worship – 10:30 AM

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Cathy Good - Pianist

Desiree Little - Organist

Barry Austin - Facilities Superintendent



Giving Statements are available today and next Sunday in the Gathering Place at the Registration Desk.

Please direct any questions to Emily Lloyd.

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