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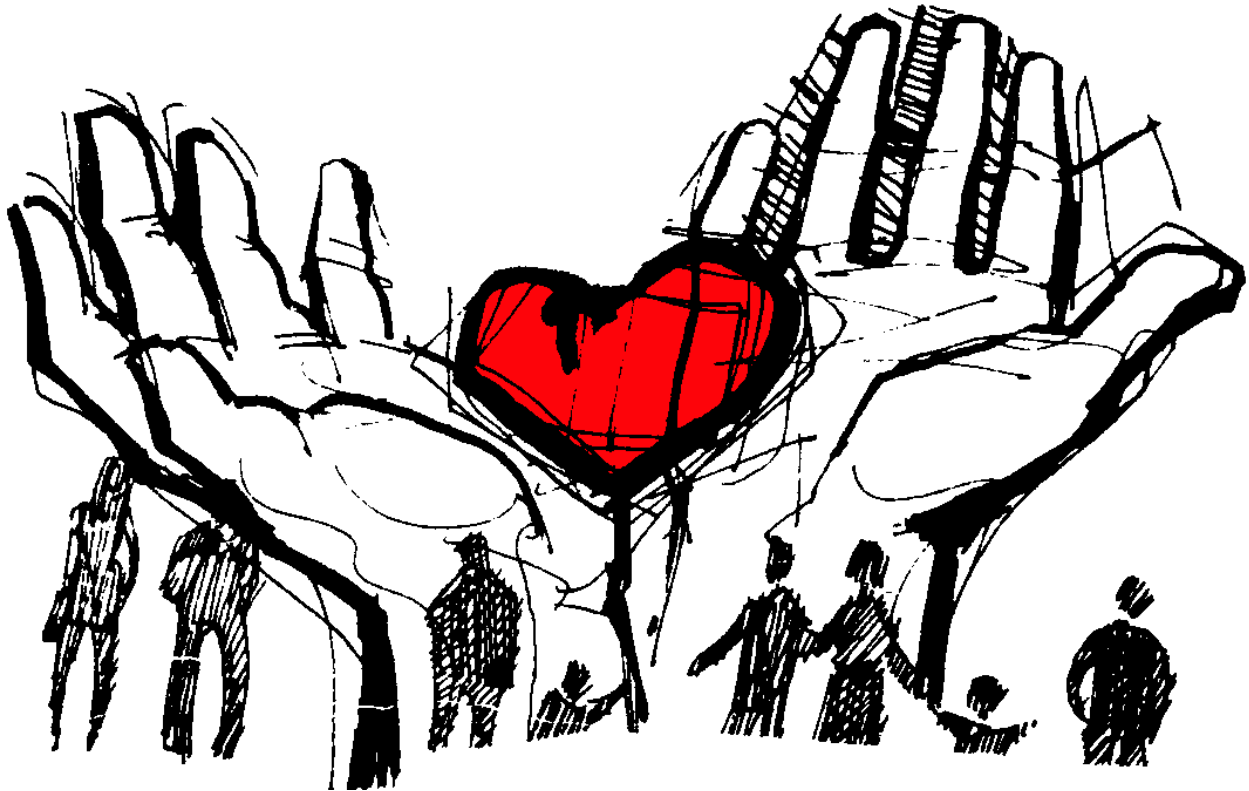
 The Community Church of Vero Beach

WELCOME

Recognizing the wide welcome offered to all through Jesus Christ, Community Church opens its arms to all.

We strive to offer Christ's wide welcome to all people, regardless of creed, age, race, or sexual identity.

*We invite you to join our congregation in worship and in membership,
as we allow our lives to be shaped by the loving outreach of Christ.*



"...You shall love the Lord with all your heart...and your neighbor as yourself." Luke 10:27

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT FEBRUARY 21, 2021

C₂ SERVICE (LIVE-STREAM ONLY) 8:30 A.M.

SANCTUARY AND LIVE-STREAM SERVICE 10:15 A.M.

COMING HOME FOR THE SEASON OR NEW TO THE CHURCH? WELCOME.

Covid 19 Protocols Made Simple

1. Wear a mask: required while on the church campus.
2. Follow Floor Signs in the Sanctuary: One way in and one way out. Arrows mark your path.
3. Socially Distance: Please sit on opposite ends of each pew unless you live together.
4. Share Offering: In the wooden boxes at each entrance to the Sanctuary, on-line or mail in by check.
5. Take Bulletin: Please re-cycle your bulletin at home.
6. Enjoy Hospitality: Cookies will be provided after worship for you to enjoy.

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Please rise in body or spirit. Thank you for wearing your mask throughout the service. **Bold text indicates congregational participation. Our service is live-streamed via internet, capturing the chancel and congregation, and may appear on social media. Children are invited to join Lia Peters for Sunday School on the Lanai after Passing of the Peace for Sunday School. Please wear a mask and maintain a loving distance when picking up your children after service. Families are always welcome to worship together during service. Nursery Care is available for children under the age of four.*

THE GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE

PRELUDE "Let Us Cheer the Weary Traveler" Jill T. Truax, piano
Twenty-four Negro Melodies Op. 59 No. 16
Samuel Coleridge-Taylor


BRINGING IN THE LIGHT Brielle Middleton

COMMUNITY WORDS Rev. Joshua J. Longbottom

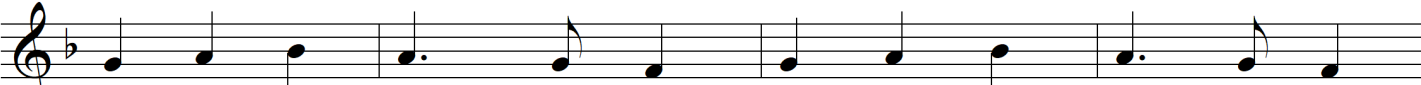
RINGING OF THE HOUR "Beautiful Savior" The Community Ringers
adapted for sixteen bells by Rachel E. Carter

CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER Rev. Dr. Anna V. Copeland


*OPENING HYMN "Christ for the World We Sing" ITALIAN HYMN



Christ for the world we sing, the world to Christ we bring, with lov - ing zeal;
Christ for the world we sing, the world to Christ we bring, with fer - vent prayer;
Christ for the world we sing, the world to Christ we bring, with joy - ful song;



the poor, and them that mourn, the faint and o - ver - borne,
the way - ward and the lost, by rest - less pas - sions tossed,
the new - born souls, whose days, re - claimed from er - ror's ways,



sin - sick and sor - row - worn, whom Christ doth heal.
re - deemed at count - less cost, from dark de - spair.
in - spired with hope and praise, to Christ be - long.

*LITANY David E. Mrotek

One: God is a refuge for the poor and hope for the humble.

All: God brings salvation for the needy, the weary and stressed.

One: The dayspring of light falls upon those who suffer in darkness,

All: Guiding their feet in the path of peace.

One: We pray for those who live on the margins,

All: That their need might be our opportunity.

One: Let us pray...

*UNISON PRAYER OF INVOCATION

God of love, give us a deep love for you, so that we can see the world as you see it, feel the compassion you feel, and be a people whose lives mediate your love to others. Open our eyes that we might see what the Good Samaritan saw. Grant us the insight to see the need in others, the wisdom to know what to do, and the will to do it. Amen

*GLORIA PATRI

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Elizabeth B. Johnson

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

At this time, children grades K-5th may join Lia Peters for Sunday School on the Lanai.

ATTENDING TO GOD'S WORD

ANTIPHONAL READING FROM THE PSALTER

Rev. Dr. Anna V. Copeland

Psalm 69:1-3, 12-17

ANDREW. R. GALUSKA



Cantor

Save me, O God, for the waters have come up to my neck.
I sink in deep mire, where there is no foothold;
I have come into deep waters, and the flood sweeps over me.
I am weary with my crying; my throat is parched.
My eyes grow dim with waiting for my God.

Cantor

I am the subject of gossip for those who sit in the gate,
and the drunkards make songs about me.
But as for me, my prayer is to you, O LORD.
At an acceptable time, O God, in the abundance of your steadfast love, answer me.
With your faithful help rescue me from sinking in the mire;
let me be delivered from my enemies and from the deep waters.

Cantor

Do not let the flood sweep over me, or the deep swallow me up,
or the Pit close its mouth over me.
Answer me, O LORD, for your steadfast love is good;
according to your abundant mercy, turn to me.
Do not hide your face from your servant,
for I am in distress-- make haste to answer me.

Cantor

One: These stories of Jesus invite us to ask better questions about God's mercy.

All: May God show us how to touch the face of the world's need.

Luke 10:25-42

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.' And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.'

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbor?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me.' But the Lord answered her, 'Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her.'

RESPONSE

One: Jesus calls us to follow him to Jerusalem and the cross.

All: We strive to follow Jesus wherever he leads.

ANTHEM

"If I Can Help Somebody"

The Community Sextet

arr. Andre Thomas

If I can help somebody as I pass along

If I can cheer somebody with a word or song;

If I can show somebody he is trav'ling wrong;

Then my living shall not be in vain;

If I can do my duty as a Christian ought;

If I can bring back beauty to a world up wrought;

If I can spread Love's message that the master taught;

Then my living shall not be in vain;

SERMON

"To Do or Not To Do"
"...do this, and you will live." Luke 10:28b

Rev. David W. Johnson

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER

"O Lord, Incline Thine Ear to Us"
arr. Bernadette Salley

The Community Sextet

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen***

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

MUSICAL OFFERING

"My God Is So High"
Hall Johnson
*(Refrain) My God is so high, you can't get over Him,
He's so low, you can't get under Him,
He's so wide, you can't get around Him,
You must come in, by and through the Lamb.*

Jill T. Truax, soprano

*One day as I was walkin' along the heav'nly road,
My Savior spoke unto me and filled my heart with love. (Refrain)*

*I'll take my gospel trumpet and I'll begin to blow,
And if my Savior help me I'll blow wherever I go. (Refrain)*

INVITATION TO OFFERING

David E. Mrotek

We respond to the extraordinary blessings of God, through lives of generosity and faith. As you have been spiritually fed, we invite you to spiritually feed others through Community Church. You may give at the conclusion of worship at the offering boxes located at each exit to the sanctuary, through the mail, or online at ccovb.org. God blesses us so that we might bless others. Please pray with me...

UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious God, extravagant in your mercy, we thank you for your provision in every way. We thank you for your blessings before we think to ask for them. You have fed us through worship, now send us to feed others, for your sake in Christ's name. Amen

Credits for Liturgy:

Faith and Unity Department of the Baptist Union of Great Britain; UCC Book of Worship; Monthly Prayers of the UK Christian Aid

THE SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN

"Lord, I Want to be a Christian"

I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart, in my heart;—
Lord, I want to be more ho-ly in my heart, in my heart;—
Lord, I want to be like Je-sus in my heart, in my heart;—
Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart.
Lord, I want to be more ho-ly in my heart.
Lord, I want to be like Je-sus in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart.

*BENEDICTION

Rev. David W. Johnson

*POSTLUDE

"Impromptu No. 1"
Samuel Coleridge-Taylor

Andrew R. Galuska, organ

IN WORSHIP TODAY...

THE COMMUNITY SEXTET

Rachel E. Carter, soprano; Joani Slawson, soprano; JoAnn W. Palmer, alto; Kent J. Ahern, tenor;
Ezekiel dos Santos, baritone; Joshua M. Pinnock, bass

THE COMMUNITY RINGERS

Cynthia Mowry, Paula Taylor, Laurie Beyer, Municent Hull, Melinda Marley,
Linda Moore, Polly Behrens

DEACON: David E. Mrotek

ACOLYTE: Brielle Middleton

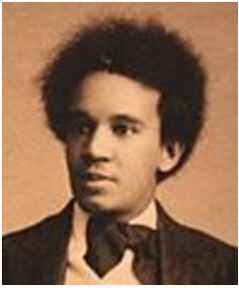
TODAY WE REMEMBER...

Cynthia Porta, who passed away on February 11, 2021.
Nancy Fowler, who passed away on December 1, 2020.

THE FLOWERS TODAY ARE DEDICATED TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND GIVEN...

by Barbara Sutphen in loving memory of her husband, Terry "Duncan" and her sons, Bill and
Bruce Sutphen.

WORSHIP

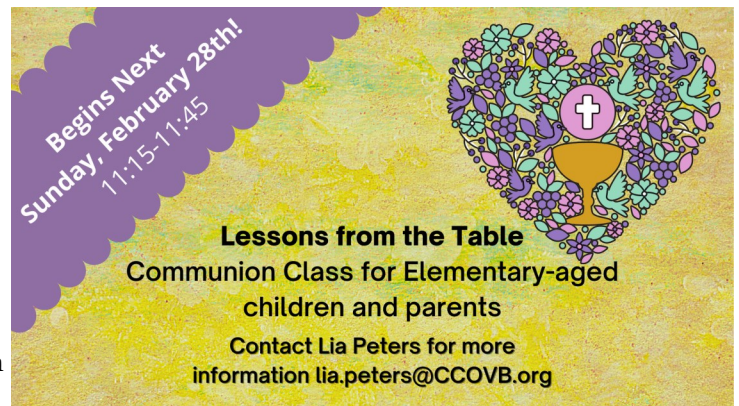


BLACK HISTORY MONTH COMPOSER SPOTLIGHT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST: Today in worship we feature Samuel Coleridge-Taylor, the composer of our prelude and postlude. Samuel was born in London, England in 1875 to a musical family. After discovering a natural affinity for music his grandfather paid for his violin lessons, while his extended family arranged for his musical education at the Royal College of Music at the age of 15. He began to study composition under Charles Villiers Stanford and became a professional musician and professor of music at Crystal Palace School of music after finishing his degree, later becoming the orchestral conductor at the Croydon Conservatoire.

In 1904, on his first tour to the United States, Coleridge-Taylor was received by President Theodore Roosevelt at the White House, a rare event in those days for a man of African descent. His music was widely performed and he had great support among African Americans. Coleridge-Taylor sought to draw from traditional African music and integrate it into the classical tradition, which he considered Johannes Brahms to have done with Hungarian music and Antonín Dvořák with Bohemian music. To find out more about Samuel Coleridge-Taylor, visit our post on facebook.com/ccovb.org.

NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH: The sermon titled, "A Time for Every Season: Lament" will be given by Rev. Dr. Anna V. Copeland by live-stream in C₂ at 8:30 a.m. and live-streamed and in-person at 10:15 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Please join us for worship.

LESSONS FROM THE TABLE BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY: This is a study for children centered around the communion table. This five-session study will help children understand why we share this special meal of remembrance. Lessons from the Table is open to all elementary-aged children and will be held in the Sanctuary from 11:15 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Parents are encouraged to attend with their child. Our first class is next Sunday, February 28th with the lesson "Table of Transfiguration" taught by Rev. Elizabeth B. Johnson. Contacted Lia Peters at lia.peters@ccovb.org for more information.



OUR ICHTHYS PRAYER WHEEL OF GRACE CHAPEL: Our prayer wheel crafted by potters Glenda Taylor and Sharon Richards will be in our Narthex during the season of Lent. For many centuries and across many cultures, prayer wheels have been utilized in devotional practice. The Christian use of prayer wheels dates from around the 19th century and has grown across the years. We invite you to write your prayer on the slips of paper provided, place it in the prayer wheel, and turn it gently at the base to symbolize turning your prayers toward heaven. God receives us as we are and hears our prayers. Trust in the Lord in all your ways and God will care for you.

STAYING CONNECTED

LIVE-STREAM VIEWING: To watch our services on live-stream, please do one of the following:

- Visit our web page at ccovb.org. Scroll down to the box titled 'Livestream Our Service Here' and click on live-stream in the image; or go to the top right and click on the small camera icon.
- Go to our Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/CCOVb.org>). Scroll until you see the live-stream.
- Go to <https://livestream.com/watch>. Type "The Community Church of Vero Beach." in the search box. Click on the drop down box for The Community Church of Vero Beach, and the live-stream page will come up.

FACEBOOK: If you would like to receive a daily word of hope please visit us on our Facebook Pages:

- The Main Church Facebook page may be found at: www.facebook.com/CCOVb.org
- Rev. Dr. Anna V. Copeland's Wednesday Minister's Blog: www.facebook.com/AnnaVCopelandBlog
- The C₂ Facebook page may be found at: www.facebook.com/C2Worship
- The Children and Youth Facebook page may be found at: www.facebook.com/CommotionYouth
- The Music and Fine Arts Facebook page may be found at: www.facebook.com/CCOVbDepartmentOfMusic

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: The Church Office is open Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Our office staff is practicing social distancing, so please help us by observing the posted guidance. You may also call the Church Office at 772-562-3633.

DIAL-A-SERMON: Those interested in hearing the sermon from Sunday may call 772-410-5833.

THIS WEEK AT COMMUNITY...

HIGH SCHOOL SUNDAY FUNDAY: Meet Rev. Josh at South Beach park at 1:00 p.m. Questions? Email joshua.longbottom@ccovb.org.

DAILY BREAD MEAL PREP CLASS TODAY, FEBRUARY 21ST: If you registered and are attending our Meal Prep Class today, (February 21st) don't forget to bring your knife and cutting board! Rev. Elizabeth B. Johnson and Chef Matt Gulyas will meet you in Community Hall at 4:00 p.m.

SACRED PAUSE: Mondays at 8:30 a.m. on Zoom.

LIFE-LONG FITNESS SCHEDULE CHANGE: Meets Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in Community Hall. For information, call Elaine Matthes at 772-643-6644.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Tuesdays at 8:00 a.m. on Zoom with Rev. David W. Johnson.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. on Zoom with Rev. Elizabeth B. Johnson.

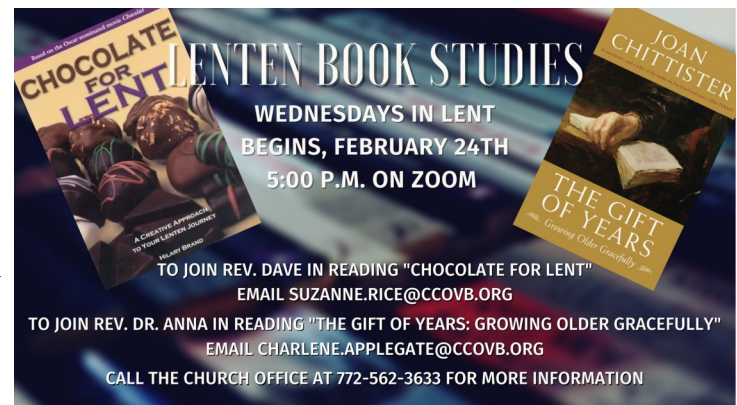
WEDNESDAYS @ 1:00 P.M. FACEBOOK LIVE: Join Andrew Galuska on Wednesday, February 24th for a house tour of the Laura Riding Jackson House. VisitFlorida.com writes, "It's a white, wooden, turn-of-the-century 'Florida Cracker House,' with green shutters and a tin roof. It's empty now. But, for half a century, it was home to the woman some call the 'Greatest Poet of the 20th Century.' Born in New York City in 1901, Laura Riding Jackson became a widely-published poet, short-story writer, novelist, essayist, and critic. Educated at Cornell University, she became the only female member of the southern literary group called 'The Fugitives,' which included Robert Penn Warren, Allen Tate and John Crowe Ransom." You may catch this program on-line at facebook.com/ccovb.org.



MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH ADVENTURE CLUB: Middle School Adventure Club will meet Wednesday, February 24th at 5:30 p.m. Email Rev. Josh at joshua.longbottom@ccovb.org for more information!

BOOK STUDIES FOR LENT: Our Lenten book studies begin this Wednesday, February 24th! Please be sure to purchase your books before classes begin on February 24th.

BOOK STUDY: CHOCOLATE FOR LENT: Based on the movie "Chocolat," starring Juliette Binoche, Dame Judi Dench, Johnny Depp and more, the book "Chocolate for Lent" by Hilary Brand uses scenes from the movie to guide an exploration into themes of transformation and change. Each week participants will read a section of the book, then join together on Zoom with Rev. Dave to eat chocolate and discuss various clips from the movie.



Participants should view the movie and acquire the book (Available used at Abe Books (<https://www.abebooks.com>)) before our first session this Wednesday, February 24th. If you are interested, call the Church Office at 772-562-3633 or email suzanne.rice@ccovb.org.

BOOK STUDY: "THE GIFT OF YEARS: GROWING OLDER GRACEFULLY": by Joan Chittister, internationally known author and Director of Benetvision, and research and resource center for contemporary spirituality. Other authors skillfully address physical and social issues of aging. Chittister takes a rare and reflective look at the spiritual work of the second half of life. This book will provoke a meaningful conversation for anyone old enough to receive that first AARP invite in the mail, who have aging parents, or who want to reflect more deeply on faith matters for the second half.

If you would like to join this thoughtful conversation, please order the book and start reading in advance of our first Zoom meeting which will take place from 5-6 p.m. for four weeks during Lent, February 24th - March 24th. Call or email Charlene in the Church Office at charlene.applegate@ccovb.org to confirm your participation and receive a Zoom invitation to the class.

THIS WEEK AT COMMUNITY...

LENTEN ORGAN AND POETRY SERIES: Join Andrew Galuska and nationally-recognized guest poets for this annual part of our journey toward Easter. This Thursday, February 25th, Sean Sexton will read selections from "Decade: Ten Years of Poetry and Barbecue" published by the Seizin Press Vero. This book is being released by the Laura Riding Jackson Foundation. Tune in to facebook.com/ccovb.org at 11:00 a.m. every Thursday in Lent. You may also attend in-person in the Sanctuary, masked and safely distanced. All are welcome.

MIGUEL BONACHEA AND JILL TRUAX IN CONCERT:

Mark your calendars for Friday, February 26th at 6:30 p.m.! Guitarist Miguel Bonachea and pianist Jill Truax will present an eclectic concert of guitar and piano music including the world premier of "Metaforas 1 & 2" by Juan A. Leyva. Attend on-line or in-person in the Sanctuary. Those who wish to attend in-person will need reservations. To reserve your spot in the audience, please call Jill Truax, at 772-469-2321. Thank you for practicing safe distancing and mask wearing when you attend.

EASTER RESERVATIONS NOW OPEN ON-LINE: Beginning today, February 21st, you may make your reservations for Easter Sunday Worship on April 4th. To reserve your seat for in-person worship, visit <http://ccovbreservations.org>. For more information, please call the Church Office at 772-562-3633.

NOW ACCEPTING ORDERS FOR EASTER FLOWERS:

If you would like to beautify the church and honor family or a loved one with flowers for Easter, you may now do so. You may visit the giving page at ccovb.org or fill out the form below and bring it to the Main Office. Email suzanne.rice@ccovb.org or call 772-562-3633 for more information.

Lenten

ORGAN AND POETRY SERIES

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH 11:00 A.M.

SEAN SEXTON READING SELECTIONS FROM:

"Decade: Ten Years of Poetry and Barbecue"

Published by the Seizin Press Vero

ANDREW GALUSKA, ORGANIST

ATTEND IN-PERSON OR ONLINE AT WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CCOV.B.ORG

FRIDAY
FEBRUARY
26TH
6:30 P.M.

MIGUEL BONACHEA, GUITAR
JILL TRUAX, PIANO
IN CONCERT

FEATURING THE WORLD PREMIER OF
"METAFORAS 1 & 2" BY JUAN A. LEYVA

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EASTER WORSHIP RESERVATIONS

RESERVE YOUR SEAT BEGINNING

FEBRUARY 21ST

Sunday, April 4th

9:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship

11:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship

Visit ccovbreservations.org

Honor Family and Loved Ones

EASTER FLOWERS

Beautify the Church for Eastertide

Place your orders on-line or in-person by
Monday, March 22nd.

Flowers are \$25 each.

You may submit order forms in-person to
Suzanne Rice in the Church Office.
Info: email suzanne.rice@ccovb.org.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Enclosed is \$ _____

Number of Flowers: _____

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In Honor Of

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In Memory Of

BLACK HISTORY MONTH PROJECT

February has been designated as Black History Month. It began as Black History Week in 1926 by Carter G. Woodson who was disturbed that history books neglected the achievements of black people. You can read more about Carter Woodson at <https://www.cnn.com/.../history-of-black.../index.html>.

During this month, people of Community Church have volunteered to write a short biography about the achievements and contributions of a particular black man or woman. These may be people we know or have only read about. Their work may be local or international in scope. If you would like to research and contribute a short (500-1000 words) biography of someone, please contact Rev. David Johnson (david.johnson@ccovb.org) for more information. Each day these biographies will be posted on our Facebook page, www.facebook.com/ccovb.org. We hope you will check these posts regularly throughout the month, and do additional research to learn more about them.

MISSION: SERVING THE COMMUNITY

COVID VACCINE COACHES: Many have expressed frustration at their inability to get signed up for the Covid vaccine. If you are over 65 and have been unable to secure an appointment or you are willing to help others navigate the myriad of screens required to successfully get signed up, please contact Rev. David Johnson at 772.469.2355 or david.johnson@ccovb.org. We will connect you so that you can work together to get vaccinated.

HOW WE CAN HELP: If you are facing health issues, have been furloughed, or lost your job and are in need of support for food, housing, or medical assistance, Community Church has support for those within our church family. Please contact Rev. David W. Johnson at david.johnson@ccovb.org or Rev. Dr. Anna V. Copeland at annavcopeland@ccovb.org.

HOW YOU CAN HELP:

- Share prayers online at www.ccovb.org or pray for others.
- Build and strengthen community through calls to your friends and neighbors, and continue with your Circle of Care calls.
- Contribute through donations to the CCOVB general fund, the Deacons Fund, or the Minister's Discretionary Fund to support the work and outreach of the Church for staff, church members, and wider needs in the community.
- Serve through mission initiatives. Contact Rev. David W. Johnson for more information.
- Send letters of encouragement to members and friends of the Church to connect with and support one another.
- Be the eyes and ears, hands and feet of the community, let your ministers know through the Church Office who may be in need of assistance.

COMING SOON: MUSIC AND FINE ARTS

PICTURES AT AN EXHIBITION: On Friday, March 12th at 6:30 p.m. Director of Music and Fine Arts Andrew R. Galuska will present a concert of music by Mussorgsky. This includes the famed "Pictures at an Exhibition" and many other works by this fabulous composer. All of these orchestral works were adapted and transcribed for organ by Andrew and he presents this free concert as part of our Winter/Spring concert series. Seating in the Sanctuary is limited due to social-distancing precautions, so a reservation is required to attend. To reserve your seat for this event, please call Associate Director of Music Jill A. Truax at 772-469-2321. You may attend in-person wearing your mask or tune in on-line at facebook.com/ccovb.org or our church website www.ccovb.org. A free-will offering will be accepted.



Mussorgsky's
**PICTURES AT AN
EXHIBITION**
AND OTHER WORKS
ADAPTED FOR ORGAN AND PERFORMED
BY
ANDREW R. GALUSKA

**FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 2021
AT 6:30 P.M.**

Seating Limited
Reservation Required
Call: 772-469-2321
Attend In-Person or On-line
Masks Required
Free-Will Offering

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

PASTORAL VISITATION: If you or a family member is in the hospital, our ministers will be happy to visit. Current hospital policy states that you must request a visit to allow a ministerial visit in the hospital. After requesting a visit, please notify the ministry staff by emailing Suzanne Rice at suzanne.rice@ccovb.org or calling the Church Office at 772-562-3633.

CONTACT A MINISTER: During this time when we are sheltering in place, we want to stay connected to you. Each week there will be a minister on call whom you may contact by email for conversation, pastoral care, or prayer. Our minister on call is Rev. David W. Johnson. You may contact him at david.johnson@ccovb.org.

PRAYER: If you or a loved one is in need of prayer, there are numerous ways to submit a request. You may:

- Fill out a prayer card during Sunday worship and drop it in an offering box in the Narthex.
- On-line: Email Suzanne Rice at suzanne.rice@ccovb.org or submit through our church website, www.ccovb.org.
- Call the Church Office at 772-562-3633.

GIVING

ON-LINE OR TEXT GIVING: We appreciate your generosity as we seek to continue the work of God in Vero Beach. For your convenience, you can give either by texting or going online to our website. Your information is held securely by a SSL encrypted connection, will remain private, and is never given away to third parties, other than to process your scheduled contributions.

- **Text to Give:** You can text a dollar amount to 772-222-3393. You will be asked to set up an account. From then on, you will be able to text a designated amount any time you'd like, just by sending the dollar amount to the number.
- **Online Giving:** Visit our website at www.ccovb.org. Click on the "GIVE" tab and follow the instructions. You can give one time or set up recurring gifts.
- **In-house Giving:** Please place your offering in the wooden Offering Boxes, by the doors in the Narthex as you leave worship today.
- **Give By Mail:** You may also mail a check to the Church Office. Thank you for your generosity.

Thank You!

Our deepest gratitude to all of you helping to celebrate our roots, cultivate our ministries, share our faith, and shape the future of our church since 1924.

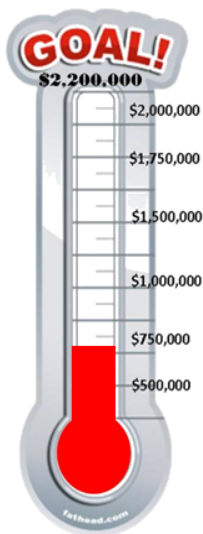
Your gifts enable our church to offer worship services, provide for over 20 different outreach programs, mission trips, and faith formation activities for our adults and youth. They also allow us to give congregational care, offer educational programs, and fine arts to our members and community at large.

We can not move forward without you!

Submit your annual pledge to the missions and ministries of Community Church automatically from our website (which submits confidentially to Shawna Carawan), or by returning the pledge card to the church office either in person or by mail.

For more information on how to contribute to The Community Church, please contact

Shawna Carawan at 772. 469. 2330 or email shawna.carawan@ccovb.org.



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LENT AND EASTER 2021

Lenten Organ and Poetry Series

Thursdays in Lent at 11:00 a.m.

February 25th

March 4th, March 11th, March 18th, March 25th

In-Person in the Sanctuary and On-Line

After Worship Today, February 21st 4:00 p.m.

"Daily Bread Meal Prep Class"

with chef Matt Gulyas and Rev. Elizabeth B. Johnson

If you are attending, don't forget to bring your knife and cutting board!

Zoom Lenten Book Studies Begin this Wednesday, February 24th 5:00 p.m.

Wednesdays in Lent until March 24th

"Chocolate for Lent" with Rev. David W. Johnson

"The Gift of Years: Growing Old Gracefully" with Rev. Dr. Anna V. Copeland

"Lessons from the Table"

11:15 a.m. Communion Class

Begins Next Sunday, February 28th Ends March 28th

Weekly Lessons for Children and Parents with Lia Peters and a Guest Minister

C₂ Re-Imagined Worship

6:30 p.m. In-Person in the Sanctuary

Thursday, March 18th

8:30 a.m. Live-stream Broadcast

Sunday, March 21st

Saturday, March 27th 3:00 p.m.

Drive-Thru Palms

Palm Sunday March 28th

8:30 a.m. C₂ Live-Stream

10:15 a.m. in the Sanctuary and On-line

Maundy Thursday April 1st

7:00 p.m. Worship Service In-Person in the Sanctuary and On-line

Good Friday April 2nd 7:00 p.m.

"Requiem for the Living" by Dan Forrest with

Chamber Orchestra and Chamber Choir

Attend In-Person or On-line Reservations: 772-469-2321

Saturday, April 3rd 10:00 a.m.

Easter Festival

Easter Sunday April 4th

8:30 a.m. C₂ On-Line Worship Only

9:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship (In-Person Only)

11:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship (In-Person and On-Line)

Reservations will be available beginning February 28th.

