

Evangelical Covenant Church of Venice Isle

101 Via Veneto, Venice, FL 34285

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Rev. Elizabeth M. Jensen

May 19, 2019

Nella Salimov ~ Accompanist

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Welcome and Church Notices

Prelude: "*All Creatures of Our God and King*" with Sonata #4 by Ludwig van Beethoven

* Opening Hymn # 78 I Love You, Lord

* Call to Worship – *based on Psalm 148*

Pastor: Praise the Lord who spoke the word which created the grandeur of the heavens.

People: For brilliant moon and countless stars; sun, rain and blue-sky days we praise the Lord!

Pastor: Praise the Lord who spoke the word which created the fragile beauty of earth and seas:

People: For changing seasons; the contours of land and sea; for heat and cold, wind and calm, we praise the Lord!

Pastor: Praise the Lord who spoke the word which created trees and plants, animals and birds, and all peoples.

People: For the environment which sustains boys and girls, women and men; poor and rich, old and young, we praise the Lord!

* Invocation

Hymn # 147 How Great Thou Art

Scripture Lessons read by Joyce Durbin

John 13:31-35 and Acts 11:1-18

"Glory Be to the Father" (# 812)

Message: "Acceptable or Unacceptable"

Hymn: Jesu, Jesu Fill Us with Your Love (See Insert)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (sins/sin)

Musical Response: "*Spirit of the Living God*"

Offering

Offertory: "*Spirit Song*"

* Doxology (# 815) and Prayer of Dedication

* Closing Hymn # 597 Take My Life and Let it Be Consecrated (Vs. 1, 5 & 6)

* **Benediction and "Three-fold Amen"**

Postlude: "We Will Glorify"

Today's Prayer Requests:

Ann Geise Donna Resler Arlene Mondry Jim Sine
Ken Clark Bev Ringwelski (Pastor Liz's sister-in-law)
SEC Churches in FL esp. Bay Indies

If you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, call the Church Secretary. We won't know if you don't tell us!

Greeter: Donna Clements

Ushers: Billie Lindstead, Carl Risch
Phil and Faith Van Zanten

Altar Flowers:

Mom and Dad Davis:

"Happy Birthday to our wonderful daughter Debbie"
Doug and Marilyn Vincent

In memory of relatives who have passed



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Church Secretary: Joyce Durbin (Cell) 813-841-4863

Church Council Members:

Jim Keckler – Chair Ron Burkholder – Vice Chair

Ann Geise – Secretary Marna Corbus – Treasurer

Phil VanZanten – Financial Secretary

Emilee Basil, Julie Hilz, Fred Resler, Carl Risch

This Week at ECCVI

- Thurs. **NO** Bible Study.

Looking Ahead

- Thurs. May 30 **Closer Walk Bible Study: the Gospel of John**; 2-3PM CH 2 Venetian Rm. Study sheets are posted on the church website under Resources.
- Sun. June 23 **Summer Sing 'n' Social** 6:30 PM at CH 1. Sing some favorite hymns followed by ice cream, cookies, & conversation. It is FREE and open to all. Bring your friends! This is a community event that we sponsor.

Ministry Opportunities ~ Open to ALL

- **Meals Ministry:** provides 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.
- **USHER:** We need **ONE more Usher** in June. Please see Julie Hiltz to volunteer.

Church Notices

- **Thanks** to who Mixed 'n' Mingled last Monday.
- An updated list of “**On-going Prayer Needs**” is available on-line & on the Welcome Table. Take one home; pray.
- **Today's Hymns** in large print available with bulletin.
- **FREE Coffee** (caffeinated) available before worship.
- **Attendance** May 12 was 53.

The Three Ships of the Southeast Conference

“We are better together!”

- Fellowship
- Leadership
- Discipleship

Mission Priorities of the Evangelical Covenant Church

(ECC):

“We are in it together!”

- Start & Strengthen Churches
- Make & Deepen Disciples
- Love Mercy, Do Justice
- Develop Leaders
- Serve Globally

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As I have loved you,
so you must love one another.

John 13:34

Fifth Sunday of Easter