CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER 2026

SUNDAY

Middle/High School Youth Group – Middle School: 5:00-5:30pm Meet in Youth Room; 5:30-6pm Lesson; 6-6:30 Dinner; 6:30-7pm Open Gym; 7pm Home. High School 5:00-5:30pm Open Gym; 5:30-6:00pm Dinner; 6:00- 6:30pm Lesson; 6:30-7:00pm Youth Room. For more info contact Gabriel Cintron at gcintron@mooringschurch.org.

Moorings Ringers – Handbell practice 11:15am in the Handbell practice room. Contact Amy Lawson at amylawsonamy@gmail.com for info

TUESDAY

Men's Bible Study –2nd & 4th Tuesday. Held in classroom A/B at 7:30 am. Upcoming topics: Nov 10th The Sword of the Spirit, Nov 24th Giving Thanks during Thanksgiving, Dec 8th Tying up loose ends.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Wednesday Bible Study meets every Weds. at 10am in the Board Room, 2nd Floor of Moss Hall. The study which runs Oct 21 - Nov 25th is "Parables - The mysteries of God's kingdom revealed through the stories that Jesus told." Contact Carol Hartman at Hartmancarol@msn.com for info.

Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Every Weds. 7:00pm. For more information contact Chris Dekker at cdekker@mooringschurch.org.

THURSDAY

Morning Bells – Handbell practice every Thurs. at 10:00am in the Handbell Practice Room. Contact Amy Lawson at amylawsonamy@gmail.com for info.

Hallelujah Hands! Meets in the Parlor the 1st and 3rd Thurs. each month at 2pm. A Crafters Group with a Mission Focus. We are working on several projects for our church AND for a group of Mission Partners, and we need YOUR help. Come to work on a short-term project or stay throughout the year. Contact Mary at marypayne7561@sunwesthomesllc.com for more info.

HIGHLIGHTED UPCOMING EVENTS

11 Veterans Day Event – 9:30am Join us in the church parking lot to honor and give thanks to all who have served our country. All are welcomed. Wear your Red, White & Blue!

13 Moorings Presbyterian Preschool – Parents Night Out 6:00pm

15 Elder/Deacon Information Meeting – 11:15am in Moss Hall North

15 Hyacinth Piano Extravaganza 4:00pm in the Sanctuary. Free admission.

Moorings Presbyterian Church



GENERAL INFO

Visitors Want to learn more about Moorings? Go to mooringschurch.org

Watch a Live Broadcast of the 10:00 a.m. worship service on your computer. Go to mooringschurch.org and click on Watch. Recordings are available on the same page shortly after the service ends.

Baby-Changing Stations are located in the men's and women's restrooms in Moss Hall.

Hearing Assistance Devices are available for worship There are headphones with an FM receiver for those with or without hearing aids. "Loops" are available for those who have the "T Switch" in their hearing aids.

GIVING

There are multiple ways to give at Moorings Presbyterian Church. If you feel led to give by God, are inspired by our worship services, or see Christ at work in our various ministries, please consider making a financial offering using this QR code. It's simple: open the camera function on your phone and simply put the QR code into focus (don't press anything yet). When you see a yellow rectangle with the web-link, press that yellow box and follow the instructions. God bless you for being a cheerful giver!

BAPTISM

God loves us and wants us to know him and follow Jesus in ever deeper ways! Baptism is both a sign of the covenant that God makes with his beloved children and also a mark of our response to God, by faith. Are you an adult member of MPC and have someone in your family that would like to receive the sacrament of baptism? Do you have a child under the confirmation age and would like to request that they be baptized? Contact the church office to find out more about next steps. If you are not yet a member of MPC — we ask that you first attend the Member Information Class and then the Baptism Information Class. To sign up please call Renée Beckner at 239-213-5225 or email executiveassistant@mooringschurch.org.

CONTACT CARDS

We ask that everyone, members, visitors, regular attendees . . . . everyone gathered here today to fill out the Welcome and Contact Cards found in your pew. This helps us register your attendance. There is also a place to include your prayer requests, update your contact information and to let us know how you would like to be more involved in the life of the church. Please fill out the card and place in the Offering Plate every week.

MISSIONS

Helps Outreach The Missions Outreach Committee is requesting donations of food and clothing for Helps Outreach. Please place your items in the bins outside of Moss Hall. Items needed: Canned goods (tuna, chicken, veggies, beans, gravy) dry goods (beans, rice, cereal, pasta, Mac & cheese), pasta sauce, salad dressing, peanut butter and jelly, and diapers.

MOORINGS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
LOVE GOD. LOVE OTHERS. MAKE DISCIPLES.
791 Harbour Drive, Naples, FL 34103
mooringschurch.org † (239) 261-1487
Rev. Dr. Steve Aguzzi, Pastor
Pastoral Care Line
(239) 213-5225

November 8, 2026 † 10:00 A.M.

MOORINGS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LOVE GOD. LOVE OTHERS. MAKE DISCIPLES.



PRELUDE ***Sonata no. 1 in F*** Felix Mendelssohn Barthold
i. Allegro moderato, e serioso
ii. Adagio
iii. Andante, recitativo
iv. Allegro assai vivace

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. Steve Aguzzi

INTROIT ***Be Still, for the Presence*** David Evans

Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.
Come bow before Him now with reverence and fear.
In Him no sin is found; we stand on holy ground
Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here
Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.
He burns with holy fire; With splendor He is crowned.
How awesome is the sight: our radiant King of light!
Be still for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.
Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.
He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister His grace.
No work too hard for Him, in faith receive from Him.
Be still for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Louise Howard

One: Above all creation stands the throne of God.
All: The glory of the Lord fills us with awe.
One: Christ is the First and the Last, the Living One.
All: He was dead, and behold, he is alive forevermore.
One: His majesty exceeds all earthly glory.
All: At his feet we worship without fear.
One: Come before the glorified Lord.
All: Let us worship Jesus Christ, alive forevermore.

HYMN 41** ***O Worship the King, All Glorious Above LYONS

***CONFESSION OF SIN**

Glorious God, your majesty is beyond our understanding, yet we confess how casually we approach you and how easily we diminish your holiness. We become impressed with earthly power, distracted by lesser glories, and forget the One who is the First and the Last. We have sinned in thought, word, and deed and have failed to live in reverent obedience. Forgive us through Jesus Christ, the Living One who died and is alive forevermore. Lift us from fear, renew us by your Spirit, and teach us to live for your glory alone. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS AND EXPRESSION OF PEACE**

(Please turn toward your neighbor and with hands from heart express peace).

***RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE** (for all to sing) GIVE THANKS

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. *(repeat)*
And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us." *(repeat)*

WORD FOR CHILDREN Gabriel Cintron

MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP Salomon Cardenas

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Dr. Steve Aguzzi

MOMENT OF MEDITATION ***The Lord's Prayer*** Albert Malotte

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done,
in 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, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

OFFERTORY ***I Will Be With You*** Sean Ivory

Refrain: I will be with you for I am the Lord, your God.
I will be with you, I have called you by name; you are mine.
When you pass through the waters, I am there,
when you pass through the rivers, I am there.
When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned,
for I am the Lord, your God. (*refrain*)
It is I who created and formed you, you are precious and honored in my sight.
All the days of your life are known to me. I am the Lord, your God. (*refrain*)
I am your God, you are my child, engraved on the palms of my hands.
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I am the Lord, your God. (*refrain*)

***DOXOLOGY 606** OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION** Rev. Dr. Steve Aguzzi

HYMN 347** ***Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence PICARDY

SCRIPTURE (Page 673, 995) **Ezekiel 1:26–28**
Revelation 1:12–18

SERMON ***Theophany!: The Man on the Throne***

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

HYMN 268** ***Crown Him with Many Crowns DIADEMATA

***BENEDICTION and THE AMEN**

POSTLUDE ***Festive Trumpet Tune*** David German

*Please stand as you are able.

TODAY'S MUSIC

(written by Dr. John Stansell): Music often consists of tension and resolution. Mendelssohn's First Organ Sonata is like that. In the first movement a tense minor-key mood is interrupted by a quiet hymn tune about trusting God's will. The second movement offers a respite in the form of a quiet duet. In the third, a "still small voice," interrupted a bit by more raucous turbulence, leads to the triumphant major-key fourth movement finale. Let attentive listening take you on this journey!

PARTICIPANTS

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Minister of Word and Sacrament: Rev. Dr. Steve Aguzzi
Musicians: Dr. Chris Dekker, The Chancel Choir, Dr. John Stansell, Lesly Hale
Liturgist: Louise Howard
Acolytes: Cameron Dekker and Austin Dekker
Word for Children: Gabriel Cintron

YOUTH

Nursery: opens at 9:45am in the Nursery.
Sunday School: Children (Pre-K through 5th grade) may proceed to Sunday School following the Word for Children. After worship Pre-K may be picked up in the nursery and K-5th may be picked up in the Gym.
Middle & High School Youth will go to Youth Room.

PRAYER

Please lift in prayer MPC staff member Erika Arroyo who is recovering from surgery.

Prayer concerns are added to the bulletin upon request to Renée Beckner at executiveassistant@mooringschurch.org or submit a request online at mooringschurch.org/prayer-request. Hospital Admissions- If you or a loved one is admitted to the hospital, please let us know by calling (239) 261-1487.

FLOWERS

Flowers In The Sanctuary The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given by Sylvia Fryling to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, Victor Fryling.

To donate flowers in the Sanctuary, please contact Renee Beckner at executiveassistant@mooringschurch.org.







