



First Brethren Church of Sarasota, Florida

Order of Service

October 14, 2018

Announcements and Greetings Gary Weller
Call to Worship and Invocation Gary Weller

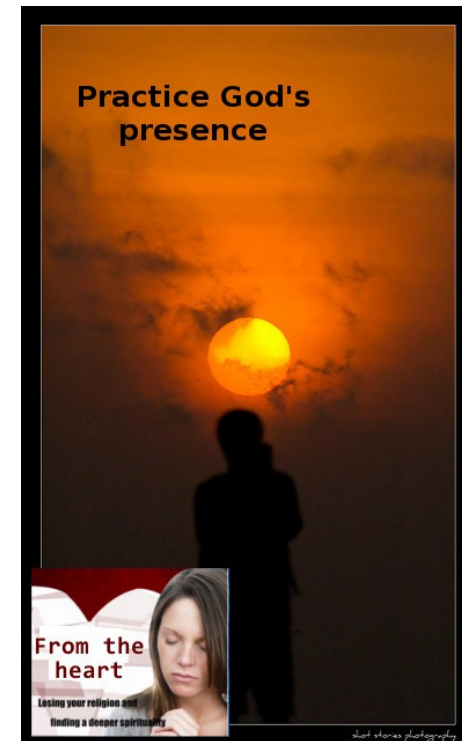
Song: *What a Beautiful Name It Is*
Song: *Holy Spirit*
Song: *Forever Reign*
Song: *As the Deer*



Prayer, Offering, Offertory
Children's Church dismissed (four years-old to fourth grade)
Sharing of Praises and Prayer Requests Gary Weller
Prayer Gary Weller
Special music Ava Condon
Scripture Acts 17:16-33
Message *Practice God's presence* Pastor David Stone
Song: *Draw Me Close*
Postlude

Worship Leader: Gary Weller
Song leader: Michael Stone **Guitar:** David Stone
Singers: Beth Schlabach, Katie Allman, Jill Stone
Bass guitar: Grant Showalter **Dulcimer:** Jennifer Showalter
Sound Tech: Jonathan Stone **Video tech:** Jane Showalter/Rebecca Frayer

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NURSERY HELPERS TODAY: Pauline Troyer

Next Week: Cindy Showalter

For infants and children 0 to 3 years of age.

TODAY: 8:30 a.m. – Coffee fellowship

9:00 a.m. – Sunday School

10:00 a.m. – Worship service

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m. – Potato bar served by youth

6:30 p.m. – Congregational business meeting

Wednesday: 2:30 Youth meeting

7:00 p.m. – Bible study

Thursday: 6:30 p.m. – Stone Growth group

6:30 p.m. – Betty Ray Growth group

Prayer Requests

New

Danny Barker

Jacob Yohe—stomach pain

Jane's nephew—eating disorder

Alberto Vazquez

Lisa Yohe—back implant for pain

Healing

Tom Conrad

Betty Miller

Baby Hope

Linda—Charles Humm's cousin

Shut-ins

Dave Schlabach

Carol Sattlem

Eugene Robbins

Midge Lair

Coni Thomson

Pat Barrick

June Shaw

Bea Funkhouser

Ava Condon

Cancer

Cindy Koontz

Cecelia Bugyis—colon cancer

James Harding

Richard Kelly

Evelyn Slolt

David Moore

Nick Matthews

Stan Gentle

Phyllis Dillinger—breast cancer

Andrew Olson

Guidance

Krestin Weaver

Jacob Yohe

Kristee Schay

Gwen Thompson

Washington George

Other

Agape school students

Hurricane victims

Stewardship for the week of October 7, 2018

Attendance		General Offering		Fund Totals	
Sunday school	24	Needed	\$2,857.91	General	\$6,156.84
Worship	50	General	3,128.00	Peru	6.00
Communion	35	Over	270.09	Air cond	400.00
Joyful Sonshine	5	Total Gen	\$6,156.84	Youth	2.00
Bible study	17			Cross repair	500.00
				Deacon fund	700.00
				Pastor Supp	800.00
				TOTAL	\$8,564.84

Coming event

Sunday, October 28, we will have a carry-in dinner to observe Pastor Appreciation Sunday. Plan now to attend this special event.

Congregational business meeting

Everyone who is interested in First Brethren is urged to attend our quarterly business meeting on Tuesday, October 1, at 6:30. We will be electing new officers for 2019 and voting on the 2019 budget. The youth will serve a dinner (potato bar) at 5:30 for a donation, and the meeting will follow at 6:30 in the fellowship hall. We would love to have you come and bring any suggestions that you have to improve the church.

New small group series

A new series of sermons on the subject of *From the heart: Losing your religion and finding a deeper spirituality* will begin next week. This series will include Bible studies and small groups as well as a new concept of Bible studies on line. Would you consider hosting or leading a small group? There are 4 groups scheduled but there is still time to plan for more. Scheduled groups include

Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the cottage, led by Pastor

Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at Pastor's home, led by Pastor

Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at Betty Ray's home, led by Carolyn

Alternate Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the cottage or at the home of Dave Schlabach, led by Iris Helmuth

Shoebboxes

Shoebboxes for Christmas child are available on the information table. Pick up a box if you wish to participate.

Signup sheets are available today in the foyer. There will also be Bible study questions available on Facebook.