

# Order of Service

November 8, 2009

## PRELUDE

## CALL TO WORSHIP AND INVOCATION

(Please sign the attendance register – then pass it to the center aisle.)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GREETINGS

**CHORUS:** *Come, Now Is the Time to Worship*

**HYMN:** *And Can it Be?*

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**CHORUS:** *God of Wonders*

**CHORUS:** *You Are Holy (Prince of Peace)*



Children 4 years through grade 5 may now go to Vanator Hall for Children's Church.

## PRAYER, OFFERING, OFFERTORY:

## SHARING OF PRAISES AND PRAYER REQUESTS

## PASTORAL PRAYER

**VOCAL DUET** *Make Me Over* Kayla McGuire and Jamie Scribner

**SCRIPTURE:**

Luke 17:11-19

## MESSAGE

Pastor David L. Stone

“The Grateful One”

**HYMN:** *Ivory Palaces* (vv. 1, 2, 4)

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## POSTLUDE

## BENEDICTION

**WORSHIP LEADER:** Gary Weller

**LEAD SINGER:** Jill Stone with Dennis Bowers, Beth Schlabach, Katie Stone, Elizabeth Bryant and Ciara Bernatt

**GUITAR:** David Stone, Michael Stone **BASS:** Grant Showalter

**GUITAR AND DULCIMER:** Jennifer Showalter

**DRUMS:** Eric Barker **ORGAN:** Carolyn Solomon **PIANO:** Melinda Bowers

**KEYBOARD:** Mary Louise Robbins

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# The grateful one

Sarasota First Brethren Church is a body of believers,  
committed to Christ, loving and serving God, each other, our community and world.

**NURSERY HELPER TODAY: Iris Helmuth**  
**Next week: Mary Worthy**  
**For infants and children up to 4 years of age**

**TODAY:**

**8:30 a.m.** – Coffee Fellowship.  
**9:00 a.m.** – Sunday School for all.  
**10:00 a.m.** – Worship service.  
**3:00 p.m.** – Wilbur Metzler funeral.  
**5:30 p.m.** – Youth.

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**MEETINGS THIS WEEK:**

**TUES. 10:00 a.m.** – Grief Support meeting in the cottage.  
**WED. 9:30 a.m.** – Joyful Sonshine growth group meeting.  
**4:30 p.m.** – Kaye Matthew’s growth group meeting.  
**6:30 p.m.** – David Stone’s growth group at Martha’s.  
**6:30 p.m.** – Gary Weller’s growth group at cottage.  
**THU. 7:00 p.m.** – Bill and Van’s growth group at Condons.’  
**FRI. 6:30 p.m.** – Cindy’s growth group meeting.  
**SAT. 8:00 a.m.** – Brethren Men Bible study.  
**9:00 a.m.** – Shoebox wrapping party in Vanator Hall.  
**11:00 a.m.** – Memorial service will be here at SFB for  
 Donna Weaver, Kent Weaver’s mother.

**DISTRICT THANKSGIVING DINNER.** The date of the District Thanksgiving meal has been changed from that listed in our monthly calendar. Please make note that it will be held on Sunday, November 22, here at SFB at 5:00 p.m. Our church will furnish the turkey and you are invited to bring your favorite Thanksgiving dish or more to share.

**OPERATION SHOEBOX WRAPPING PARTY** is this Saturday, Nov. 14, at 9:00 a.m. in Vanator Hall. Everyone is welcome to come and assemble the boxes.

**DECEMBER 12** - Third annual Women’s Christmas Brunch: 9:30-11:30. If you’d like to decorate a table, see Cindy Showalter.

**DECEMBER 20** – The Ministry of Hospitality is sponsoring an all-church Christmas carry-in. Mark your calendars. Time tba.

Stewardship for the week of November 1, 2009					
Attendance		General Fund		Fund Totals	
Sunday School.	43	Needed	\$2,763.37	Debt Redu	\$5,000.00
Worship	97	Total	\$4,175.00	General	\$4,500.00
Men	6	Over	\$1,411.63	Ins.	\$10.00
Growth groups	44	Other	\$325.00	Min/Servi	\$50.00
Youth	8+4			Missions	\$88.00
				Pastor Sup	\$800.00
				Peru	\$25.00
				Youth	\$382.20
				TOTAL	\$10,835.20

**NONPERISHABLE FOOD FOR THE FOOD BANK** is still being collected in the barrel in Vanator Hall.

**FYI.** Norma Overly will be the new Director of the Ministry of Congregational Enrichment for next year.

**UNDESIGNATED GIFTS** have been received in memory of Donna Weaver from the Hopebuilders Class.

Undesignated gifts have also been received in memory of Wilbur Metzler from the Hopebuilders Class, Darwin E. and Gila M. Bucy, and from Virginia S. and Fred Walter.

**SYMPATHY.** We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Donna Weaver who died October 22. A memorial service will be held here at SFB on Saturday at 11:00 a.m.

**Remember in Prayer**

<b>Healing</b>	Ed Baldwin
John Showalter – Upcoming back surgery	Danny White
Mary Allende – To have bladder surgery	<b>Guidance</b>
Ann Weaver – Mother hospitalized. Breathing problems	Jan’s son, Erik
Helen Rogers – Hip surgery	Joshua Valente
JoAnne Tinkle – Cataract surgery.	Jessica Hobbs—Salvation
Dewey Mahoney – Congestive heart failure	Kim Woodruff
Cody Black – Transplant failed	<b>Grief</b>
Joyce Elliott—blood disorder	Kent Weaver – Mother Donna died 10/22
Jean Haynes—Heart aneurism	Esther Harding – Husband Walter died 10/15
Chaplain Beekley—Heart and kidney	<b>Other</b>
David Musgrove—Pancreatic infection	Dessa Bakewell – Pray for the Lord to call her
<b>Cancer</b>	Jobs for those who need them
Kathy Troyer	Jim Evans – Applying for kidney
Kathy Bowers’ Aunt Gwen	Church’s outreach, growth & ministry
	Government, economy
	Military—Active and retired

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