

Redland Community United Methodist Church
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March 15, 2020

OUR VISION STATEMENT:

*We will be Christ's presence in our community,
building relationships*

OUR BIBLICAL PURPOSE:

*"To be a faithful community of devoted servants who will share Christ's
love and example."*

MUSIC: Felicia Fina; Samuel Hernandez
LAY LEADER: Sam Jerkins
GREETERS: Sam Jerkins, Charles Alderson, Dottie Wakulich, Santiago Garcia
LITURGISTS: Jan Burlison, Tom Settle, Yanira Bonilla
USHERS: Charles Alderson, Sam Jerkins, Robert Kelly, Tom Settle,
Dottie Wakulich, Jim Rumohr
ACOLYTES: Chloe Junco, Brittney Kipp, Jim Rumohr

Bishop: Rev. Ken Carter
District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Cynthia Weems
Pastor: Nelson Bonilla

For emergency pastoral care or needs please contact: *if you would like prayer, a visit, to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion or baptism, information on joining the church or other needs.*

Pastor Nelson Bonilla – Phone: 386-631-6193 email: nelson.bonilla@flumc.org
Regular Office Hours – Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9am-1pm or by appointment
Or the following members: **Santiago Garcia, Administrative Council Chair,**
305-608-1184 or Sam Jerkins, Lay Leader, 305-247-0181

BUDGET AND OPERATING COSTS:

2020 Annual Church Budget:	\$ 102,860.00
Weekly Operating Expenses/ Funds Needed:	\$1,978.00
Last Week's Offerings:	\$ 2,451.00



March 15, 2020
Third Sunday in Lent

Liturgist: Jan Burlison

WELCOME GUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visitors, please complete a welcome card in the pew display to place in the offering plate

PRELUDE (*acolyte brings light into the gathering place*) **Felicia Fina** **Pianist**

GREETING:

L: By grace we have been saved through faith. For we are God's handiwork, redeemed in Christ Jesus for good works. Praise the Lord!

P: The Lord's name be praised.

CALL TO WORSHIP **Psalm 95** **#814(UMH)**

* **HYMN OF PRAISE** **"Victory in Jesus"** **#370(UMH)**

* **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** **Affirmation from Romans 8:35, 37-39** **#887(UMH)**

* **GLORIA PATRI** **#70(UMH)**

GREETING ONE ANOTHER AND SHARING THE PEACE **#557(UMH)**

C: (Congregation) "Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above."

JOYS AND CONCERNS (*We lift up concerns & thanksgivings*) (*Pass Attendance Folders*)

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER *The Lord's Prayer* **#895UMH)**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE **Jan Burlison**

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** **"Rescue the Perishing"** **#591(UMH)**

HEARING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Act 2:42-47

(N.T)

Leader: The word of God for the people of God;

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"Intentional Faith Development"

Rev. Nelson Bonilla

OUR RESPONSE TO THE WORD

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HYMN OF INVITATION

"Because He Lives"

#364(UMH)

OFFERTORY

(Ushers come forward to receive the offering plates from the Liturgist

Offering Prayer – Pastor

Pianist

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OFFERTORY PRAISE:

(as Offering is brought forward)

#95 (UMH)

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HYMN OF SENDING

"God Be With You, Till We Meet Again"

#672 (UMH)

(First Verse)

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BENEDICTION

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SUNG RESPONSE

"A-men, a-men, a - men."

#898 (UMH)

**Please stand as you are able*

Join us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments following the service!

March 15, 2020

Please remember the Joys and Concerns in your daily prayer

“The LORD’S loving kindnesses indeed never cease, For His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness.” Lamentations 3:22-23

JOYS: Lent!. Birthdays, Anniversaries. Thanks for answered Prayers. Each of our talents. Church friends as helpers. Friends from past. Our many blessings. Share our testimonies with youth! Being here together on Sunday. Invite 1 to church. **EACH ONE CALL ONE** – our challenge from Sam. We each have a story of our faith to share with others. A loving place to worship. Good doctors. Health care specialists. Healthy test results. The blessing of being together! Jay Viator (Tom’s brother-in-law) cancer test showed good results. Caregivers. Our spiritual gifts. Dorothy is cancer-free! For new visitors. May’s sister Harriett is recovering from surgery. **Thank you to all who helped in our parking event Saturday and Sunday, we could have not done it without your help.**

CONCERNS:

All victims and their families of tragic violent shootings. Our national and world leaders. First responders. Immigrants seeking asylum. All victims of terrorism and natural disasters. Prayers for our military service men/women. Aunt Nola with leukemia. Tom Shad with liver cancer treatment. Adele’s brother-in-law. Steele’s friend Ida for improved health. John Gonzalez who has been diagnosed with cancer. Debbie, with breast cancer. Jim Mowson for healing, peace and comfort. Barbara & Donnie Powell’s improved health. Jim and Lucy Rumohr, kids and grandkids, guidance for Claudia, 23-year-old niece, Luis (grandson) for improved speech. Lucy’s sister Sharon kidney stones. CJ, 15-year-old grandson. Guidance for Lucy. Joy Kelly & her loving husband, Bob. Sam & Sue Jerkins nephew & niece, Betty Russell for cardiac and kidney health, fall, injured vertebrae. Sam. Carol Horeb for coping. Neil travel to India, healing for nieces Madison and Haley. Tom Settle’s friend Bobbie Sanchez in fighting cancer; brother in law Jay Viator, recovering from neck cancer surgery. Healing and good health for Tom and Sandra. Phil and May and their daughters, Ann Marie, Angie, Lisa and their children. May, for family relationships. Alyna taking course for missionary work. For Phil & May. May’s friend, Lydia & Ron, their marriage, health, home. Kara Marie for protection of mother and brother, AJ. Job and home for niece, Danielle. Jan and Santiago- for Rick’s recovery. Healing prayers for: Vera, Harriet, Santiago, Jennifer (Lucy’s daughter) and Lucy’s mom, Patrick, Juan (Yani’s dad), Tony (Charles’ friend), Sue, Jim & Lucy. Prayers for our denomination and ALL local churches. Juan and Lydia, Sue Ann. Traveling mercies for Angie and Rob

NOTE: If you know anyone who needs a visit from Pastor Nelson, either at home or in the hospital he can be reached at **(386) 631-6193**

ANNOUNCEMENTS – Sunday, March 15, 2020

Sunday: 10:00 am -Coffee Fellowship
10:30 am -Adult Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall.
Tuesday: 10:00 am -Prayer and Share in the multi-purpose room.
4:00 pm.- Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday: 12:00 pm.- Ladies’ Lunch Fellowship
Friday: 6:00 pm- 8:00pm.- Family Night Games & Snacks
FELLOWSHIP DINNER: April 5, 2020 at 5:30pm. (First Sunday of every month)

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped in our parking event Saturday and Sunday, we could have not done it without your help.

South Dade Community Choir Concerts:
Silver Palm UMC. Friday, March 20th at 7pm
Homestead Mennonite Church. Friday, March 27th at 7pm

Lent Bible Study- Tuesdays at 4:00pm. Everyone is invited.

Memorial Service for Sherrill Smith after our worship service.

Annual United Methodist Women, SE District “Day Apart” at Kendall UMC, March 21, 9am-2pm. Let Jan know if you can attend. Breakfast and Lunch is \$15 per person. Program is “Lighting the Way through Partnership.”

Church’s Council Meeting, Thursday, March 26 at 4:00pm.

Redland Community UMW has a cookbook for \$16.00 **“Redland’s Taste of Heaven”**
See Jan to make a purchase.

March Communion Offering is for-One Great Hour of Sharing. (UMCOR- United Methodist Committee on Relief)

Choir Practice- Sunday at 8:30am. If anyone would like to join the choir, speak with Felicia.

The church facility is available for use by community and local groups. Share the idea with family and friends.

“Tree of Life” – Leaves and other features are available to dedicate or memorialize special individuals in your life. Flyers are available in the narthex. See Mr. Sam Jerkins for more information or questions.

Acts 2:42-47
New Revised Standard Version (NRSV)

⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

Life among the Believers

⁴³ Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles.

⁴⁴ All who believed were together and had all things in common;

⁴⁵ they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds^[a] to all, as any had need.

⁴⁶ Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home^[b] and ate their food with glad and generous^[c] hearts,

⁴⁷ praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.