



ONLINE BULLETIN



ORDER of Worship

Order of Worship—08/02/2026

9:00 AM

Traditional Service

Welcome/Greeting Kim Scaccia
Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" #89
Kid's Moment Ms. Suzi, Mr. Alex, Pastor Tony
Morning & Lord's Prayer Tony Sorrell
Offering/Doxology Pastor Tony Fotsch
Special Music: ***Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*** Craig Spencer
Scripture Reading: John 2:1-11 (NRSV) Gabriele Lewis
Sermon Fun In The Son Pastor Tony Fotsch
Communion
Hymn "Lord of the Dance" #261
Benediction

11:00 AM

Contemporary Service

Welcome
Kid's Moment Ms. Suzi, Mr. Alex, Pastor Tony
Praise and Worship Songs First Church Praise Team
"I Thank God"
"Washed"
Scripture Reading: John 2:1-11 (NRSV) Erin McDonough
Sermon Fun In The Son Pastor Tony Fotsch
Communion
Closing Song "O Come To The Altar"
Benediction

*Giving of offering is available after the sermon
during the 11am service. Offering Boxes & Offering plates are available
at the Communion Stations. Online Giving is also available.*

1st Sunday = Family Worship

- Kids K-5th are welcomed in the services today as celebration of 1st Sunday Family Worship. There are activities for children this Sunday for their participation in worship. Next Sunday, kids will be in Kids Church.
- Nursery care is available for children 0-4 years. Check with the ushers for directions. Please know the mother's room is also available if necessary in the glass lobby.

First Church News



YOUNG ADULT ALPHA COURSE: The Alpha Youth & Young Adult Series is an opportunity for young people ages 16-25 to explore the core ideas of the Christian faith in a relevant, accessible, and engaging way and to confidently invite their friends to join in the conversation. This is a FREE event. FREE Dinner will be provided.

Thursdays (8/6-10/1) from 6-8:30pm at 5609 Victoria Blvd (Victoria Gardens clubhouse) in Port Orange.

SISTER ACT TICKET HOLDERS: This Sunday, August 2nd, be ready to board the bus at 1:15p for our trip to the Athens Theater in DeLand. We'll be heading out at 1:30p. If you do NOT plan to take the bus, please send Bev a text. 386-295-9471.

JOIN THE MUSIC 9AM MINISTRY: Choir & Handbell rehearsals begin Thursday, August 13! Handbell Choir: 6:00 PM & Chancel Choir: 7:00 PM. Whether you're an experienced musician or simply love to make a joyful noise, there's a place for you! ALL are welcome. Come share your gifts and make music to the glory of God!

DINNER CHURCH: Hey everyone, come celebrate a Hot August Night. Be "cool" while you eat and fellowship with other "cool" people. We will meet at Chili's on Dunlawton on Aug 4th at 6:00pm. Come for food, fellowship and partaking the sacraments of Jesus Christ. Everyone is invited to come and are encouraged to bring family and friends. Hope to see you there!

MEN'S BREAKFAST AUGUST 8TH: Come on out to the Men's breakfast which is being held at Dennys in Port Orange because of the renovation of the church kitchen. Pay your own way, hear a message and have great conversations. Come on men. Let's make this happen. The address is 1641 Dunlawton Ave. See you at 9a.

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE: Thanks to the generosity of the members and friends of First Church, we have been able to assist 98 people (68 Adults, 30 children) through our Food Pantry, as of July 28. The current food pantry needs are: spaghetti sauce, canned meats (sausage, Spam, chicken) canned tuna, canned vegetables, canned fruit, crackers and bottle water. Pull tops are preferred. Thank you!

UPDATE! SHOE DRIVE: The Church Shoe Drive has entered the final 60 days of collection. We need at least 100 bags of shoes by September 15 to receive free shipping! We have collected 80 bags of shoes and are reaching out to other churches, civic groups and businesses for help. If you know of an establishment that may want to help, please let us know! We will provide the collection box and necessary announcements.

CAFÉ SUMMER BREAK: Cafe In the Hall will be closed August. Refreshments will be available in the church lobby between services. If you currently donate cookies or would like more information on how to help, contact Bev McGregor.

BUMPER STICKER: Available on the WELCOME WALL in the lobby. Place \$5 in the cup next to it. Don't miss out, they are pretty cool. *Stick it on a binder, laptop, car's bumper or window, use your imagination.

PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT: Now enrolling new students for Fall 2026! We offer a loving, Christ-centered environment where children learn, grow, and thrive through hands-on learning and play. If you or someone you know is looking for childcare, please call the preschool at (386)767-2689 to schedule a tour!

RETURN YOUR KEYS: If you have a key to the Administration Building and/or a "G" Key that you are no longer in need of, please return the key(s) to Linda in the church office. Thank you!

Sermon Notes— August 2, 2026

“Fun in the Son”

John 2:1-11 (NRSVUE)

1. God is _____ in joy, play and celebration!

2. Joy and play proclaim _____

over _____!

3. Make _____ a part of _____ day—

that's the _____ way!

Questions for Communion

- ♦ How might God bring play & joy into your troubles?

- ♦ How might you “turn water into wine” for someone who needs it in their life today?



First Church has invested in this multi-media tool for you to use at home, work, or in your bible studies. Explore what it's all about at

my.amplifymedia.com

If you'd like to sign up, the church access code is: **RXMKWJ**.

You can enter it when the site prompts you to log in with an access code.



Offering Page

Click on the offering plate below to be taken to the Online Giving Page at First Church of Port Orange.

Weekly tithes/offerings go to the
General Fund Contributions line.

Check out other opportunities to give above and beyond your regular weekly giving there as well .



Tap the plate above.

*2 Corinthians 9:7 Each of you must give as
you have made up your mind, not
reluctantly or under compulsion, for God
loves a cheerful giver.*

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For more information,

Contact the Preschool at
386.767.2689

Here for a Visit? We'd love to meet you!

We're excited to have you in worship with us today, and we hope you feel the friendly warmth of our church family. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to consider First Church Port Orange. Our Pastor would be happy to talk with you on any questions you may have.

For more information or for a staff directory, visit us online at:

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2. Joy and play proclaim **FAITH**

over **TROUBLES!**

3. Make **PLAY** a part of **EVERY** day—

that's the **JESUS** way!

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- ♦ How might you “turn water into wine” for someone who needs it in their life today?