



Amelia Plantation Chapel

An Interdenominational Community Church

September 27, 2026

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 am Service



"Lydia of Thyatira"

by British illustrator Harold Copping (1863-1932) was featured in the 1920's book *Women of the Bible*. The original watercolor is in a private collection whereabouts unknown.

Believe in Jesus
Dr. Ken Jones, Senior Pastor

Our Vision:
To develop mature Christian disciples who
compassionately respond to the needs of others.



Gathering Music

Jennifer St. Clair

Welcome & Call To Worship

Homeless Children Ministries

Sandy Malone

Organ Prelude

I Heard the Voice of Jesus

arr. Eugene Englert

***Hymn 111**

When Morning Gilds the Skies

LAUDES DOMINI

Invocation & Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us; and grant that we may serve you in newness of life by the power of the Holy Spirit, to the glory of your great name. Amen. (Time for silent prayer)

Assurance of Pardon & *Gloria Patri

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen.*

***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 Spirit, 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 sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Call to Prayer

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

arr. Daniel Light

*Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in His wonderful face.
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim, in the light of His glory and grace.*

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

***Hymn 437**

Jesus Loves Me

JESUS LOVES ME

Invitation to Christian Stewardship

Offertory

Jesus is All the World to Me

Will L. Thompson arr. Don Hustad

KEY: (*) Indicates standing if able.

***Doxology & Prayer for the Nation**

*Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty, to Thee we sing; long may our land be bright with
freedom's holy light; protect us by Thy might, Great God our King.*

***Prayer of Dedication**

Choral Anthem

Just as I Am, Without One Plea

arr. Lynette Maynard

*Just as I am, without one plea, but that thy blood was shed for me.
And that thou bidd'st me come to thee. O Lamb of God, I come.
Just as I am, though tossed about with many a conflict, many a doubt.
Fightings and fear within, without, O Lamb of God, I come.
Just as I am, thou wilt receive, will welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;
Because thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come.
Just as I am, thy love unknown has broken every barrier down;
Now to be thine and thine alone, O Lamb of God, I come.
Charlotte Elliot, (1789-1871)*

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading

Acts 16:25-36

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God**

Sermon

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***Hymn 442**

Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

TRUST IN JESUS

***Benediction**

***Going Forth**

Go with Us, Lord

TALLIS' CANON

*Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day.
That in Your Spirit strong and true our lives might be our gift to You.*

Organ Postlude

Let All Rejoice

George Blake

Healing Prayers

[You may come to the side altar to receive a prayer for healing or other special needs](#)





After the service, please join us in the Fellowship hall for refreshments and conversation.

Please remember the library is conveniently open on Sundays, making it easy to stop in and find the perfect Christian book to encourage you in your faith walk.

Worship Notes

Today is the eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost, a Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Ordinary here does not mean usual or common. It stems from the word “ordinal,” related to the concept of ordering or counting time.

Ordinary Time refers to that part of the church year which does not fall within one of the major liturgical seasons. It consists of thirty-three or thirty-four weeks each year and emphasizes personal faith development, nurture and growth, and enhancement of the Church.

The color for Ordinary Time is green, symbolizing growth and development.





Get Connected With Amelia Plantation Chapel

THIS WEEK AT THE CHAPEL

Today, September 27

8:30 am: Choir Practice (Choir Room)
9:00 am: Worship Service
10:00 am: Coffee Fellowship (FH)
10:15 am: Bible Study (Meeting Room)
10:15 am: Children's Bible Study (Upper Room)
11:15 am: Worship Service

Monday, September 28

10:00: Coed Bible Study (Meeting Room)

Tuesday, September 29

10:30: Men's Bible Study (Library)
10:30: Women's Bible Study (Meeting Room)

Wednesday, September 30

3:00 pm: Choir Practice

Next Sunday, October 4

8:30 am: Choir Practice (Choir Room)
9:00 am: Worship Service
10:00 am: Coffee Fellowship (FH)
10:15 am: Bible Study (Meeting Room)
10:15 am: Children's Bible Study (Upper Room)
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Bible Study Classes

- Sunday Bible Study: Sundays at 10:15 a.m. in the Meeting Room
- Coed Bible Study: Mondays at 10:00 a.m., led by Jan Smith studying the Gospel of John
- Men's Bible Study: Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Library. This fall's study is *Hebrews: A 12-Week Study (Knowing the Bible) by Matthew Capps*.
- Women's Bible Study: Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Meeting Room. This fall's study is *Waiting: A Bible Study on Patience, Hope, and Trust by Sharla Fritz*.
- Fellowship of Bible Investigators (Children's Bible Study): Sundays at 10:15 a.m. in the Upper Room.

Chapel Tables

Sign-ups for the fall Chapel Tables are now available in the Narthex and the Chapel office. Chapel Tables are small groups of individuals and couples who meet once a month for lunch or dinner. This is an excellent opportunity to meet new members and get to know other members better while enjoying fellowship. Please complete your sign-up sheet and return it to the Chapel office no later than September 30.

Annual Welcome Back Dinner

October 25 | 5:00 p.m. | Walker's Landing
Join us for an Italian dinner, Oyster roast, and an evening of fellowship with our church family!
Dessert volunteers needed: We're looking for cookies and other sweet treats to share.
Please contact Janet Kolar at jhkolar@me.com or info@ameliachapel.com if you would like to help with desserts. Sign-up sheets are located in the Narthex and the Chapel office. Please return your sign up sheet and payment to the Chapel office no later than October 11

Men's Fall Breakfast Schedule

Oct. 9 - Dr. Ken Jones, senior pastor
Nov. 13 - Tim Dunlevy, Chairman of Nassau county Young Life | Dan Binette, Area Director | Mary Shore, Staff Associate
Jan. 8 - Dan Goodrich

Shepherd Meeting

Date: November 4
Speaker: Jim Tippins

Stewardship Figures

Budgeted Offerings for 2026:	\$1,643,042
Received Year to Date:	\$1,210,502
Needed by December 31:	\$432,540

Stewardship Estimate of Giving

Estimate of Giving Cards to Date:	173
Estimate of Giving Amount to Date:	\$1,354,420

You Are Welcome Here!

Flower Calendar

The 2026 calendar is in the Narthex. You may also call the Chapel office to reserve a date. \$75 suggested donation in honor of a special occasion.

Plant A Seed

Please share this bulletin with someone you know to personally invite them to join us in worship on any Sunday at 9:00 or 11:15 am. Romans 10:17: So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

God Calls You By Name

And we will too if you wear your name badge! If you don't have one, order by calling the Chapel office.

Please wear your name badge to all Chapel functions.

Hearing Assistance Devices

Ask any usher for a wireless hearing device, which permits you to sit anywhere and hear the service clearly.

Chapel Nursery

The nursery is available for all children under the age of 5. Please keep any child with cold symptoms out of the nursery to avoid spreading germs. Thank you. Children's worship bags are also available to take into the Sanctuary during the service.

Holy Communion Matters

As we remember Christ's sacrifice as the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world, please be aware that if you need gluten-free Holy Communion wafers or would like to have the communion elements with you in the pew (rather than walking up front), please pick up a "communion packet" in the Chapel Narthex as you arrive to our worship service. Also know that the "wine" in both the gluten-free packets and served from the Lord's Table in the sanctuary is really grape juice.

Live Streaming Available

For those unable to attend service live streaming is available on our website at www.ameliachapel.com.

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Today We Pray For

Chapel Members

Henry Turner
Dick Devoe
Tom Jordan
Harry DeNoers
Ron Heymann
Shirley Hargreaves
Sewell Harlin
Lillie Bowman
Lynn Pelletiere
Richard Trevillian

Relatives

Darryl Frick,
brother of Laura June McDuffie
David & Dorothy Drissel,
brother & sister of Dianne Gruber
Bobby Phillips,
step-father of Tammy Beall
Gary Wilkins,
son in law of Pat & Bob Stichweh
Patricia Terwilliger,
sister of Vicky Easton

Flowers

"In honor of our daughters'
birthdays Anne & Ashley"
-Dee & Nat Phillips

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If you would like to become a member, please pick up a membership packet in the main entry. Full or associate membership is available. Associate membership is for those who wish to retain membership in their home church yet enjoy full privileges of Chapel members.

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