



Welcoming Pentecost:

SEEING, HEARING, LOVING

As God Loves

Regional Assembly

May 2 – 4, 2024

Parkway Christian Church

Acts 2:1-13

2 When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ² And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵ Now there were devout Jews from every people under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶ And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷ Amazed and astonished, they asked, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?” ⁸ And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹ Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹ Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.” ¹² All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” ¹³ But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.”



Spanish Docket



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From Our Regional Minister

Welcome to the 2024 Florida Disciples Regional Assembly. This is my first Regional Assembly as your Regional Minister and I'm looking forward to spending time with you! Through my first two years here, I've had opportunities to visit with many of our congregations in worship and be with some of you at special gatherings such as Women's and Men's Retreats. But Regional Assembly is a unique opportunity to have our regional family all together in one place for worship, fellowship, learning, and gathering around the table. I hope you find these couple of days meaningful, grace-filled and Spirit-led. I pray that in this time together we may see and celebrate the beautiful diversity that is the Florida Region, and we may be reminded again of the ties that bind us together through Jesus. May our eyes be opened to the ways that God sees, hears, and loves each of us and all the world as we Welcome Pentecost together.

Grace and peace,

Sandy Messick, Regional Minister

From Our Regional Moderator – Tony Rodriguez

Welcome to our Regional Assembly for the Christian Church Disciples of Christ in Florida. It's a joy to see each and every one of you gather here today. Whether you are a new congregation or a longtime member, or join us for the first time, we are so grateful for your presence. Let's come together in unity, open our hearts to the message, and embrace the fellowship of this beautiful community. Thank you for being here, and may this regional assembly be a resource of inspiration, renewal, and connection for us all. Let's begin our time together with gratitude and joy. May our time together, be filled with inspiration, connection, and the divine presence of our Lord and savior that binds us all.

Welcome!

From Our Regional Vice-Moderator – Alan Smith

Greetings to you, and Peace! As Moderator-Elect of the Region it has been my pleasure to assemble and facilitate a Regional Assembly Planning Team composed of Charlie and Ruth Wallace, Esther Valdes, Michael Junkroski, Karen Ramos, Kimberly Weir, Tina Christian, Selena Reyes, Mary Beth Harper, and Sandy Messick (we have called ourselves RAPPT!) that has met by Zoom each month since February 2023 to develop the 2024 Regional Assembly you will enjoy at Parkway Christian Church (Disciples of Christy) in Davie, FL May 2-4, 2024. The swift approach of the Church's celebration of Pentecost, 2024 led the Team to reflect upon the story of Pentecost found in Acts 2: 1-13 and the role of the Holy Spirit in making the Good News available in diverse languages and cultural environments, enabling a sense of equity and koinonia among persons of multiple nationalities, and fostering the inclusion of those who responded to the Gospel. I know you will be filled and energized as we gather to celebrate the diversity of our Region by "Welcoming Pentecost: Seeing, Hearing, Loving as God Loves"!

From Parkway Christian Church

Welcome to our church home, Parkway Christian Church, and schools. My name is Charlie Wallace, senior pastor of Parkway Christian Church. We are glad you are here! Our church is a place where we come together to worship God and to learn more about our creator. We hope that you, our brothers and sisters will find this to be a welcoming place, and that you will feel comfortable!

A special thanks our Regional Minister, Sandy Messick and the logistics team from Parkway Christian Church who has their name tag on. If you need anything, please let one of us know. It's an honor to be graced by the presence of all who are here. We pray that your time will be blessed.

Shalom,
Pastor Charlie

Regional Assembly Schedule

Thursday: May 2, 2024 - CLERGY DAY

7:00 p.m. - Clergy and Guest Dinner at Las Vegas Cuban Cuisine (prix fixe)
2150 North University Dr., Pembroke Pines, FL 33024
Guest Speaker: Rev. Matt Shears, Area Director with Pension Fund

Friday: May 3, 2024

1:00-4:00 p.m. - Pre-Assembly Workshop led by Week of Compassion
4:00-5:45 p.m. - Assembly Registration
6:00 p.m. - "In Their Own Languages" - All Assembly Dinner: Food stations,
international fare
Guest Speakers: Rev. Richard Williams, Senior Director of Services with
Disciples Church Extension Fund and Rev. Dr. Jose Martinez, Minister
for New Church Strategies with New Church Ministry
7:00 p.m. - Opening Worship: Rev. Chris Dorsey, President and CEO of Disciples Home
Missions, preaching
After Worship Fellowship

Saturday - May 4, 2024

8:00 a.m. - Fellowship Breakfast: Rev. Randy Johnson, V.P., Southeast Zone, Christian
Church Foundation
9:30 a.m. - Praise Time (led by worship team)
9:45 a.m. - Regional Life Celebration (a *NON*-Business Session)
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.: Workshops/Activities for Children & Youth

- Workshop 1: Rev. Chris Dorsey, DHM. "Building and Sustaining Authentic Community"
- Workshop 2: Rev. Gregg Kaufman, "Deliberative Dialogue - Asking 'Hard' Questions in the Church"
- Workshop 3: Selys Rivera, "The Advocating Church: Starting a Social Justice Project and Loving Like Jesus"

12:00 Noon: All Assembly Box Lunch
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.: Workshops/Activities for Children & Youth

- Workshop 4: Rev. Michael Junkroski, "Church Tech on a Shoestring – Open Tech Forum"
- Workshop 5: Rev. Sekinah Hamlin, Global Ministries, "Beyond World Communion Sunday and Pentecost"
- Workshop 6: Rev. Day Broers-Case and Rev. Margaret Marquis Hambuch, "Your Pastor Has to Take Boundary Training - What's That About?" [This workshop is open to clergy and laypeople. It does NOT meet the requirement for training for clergy with standing.]
- Workshop 7: Dr. Charisse L. Gillett, President, Lexington Theological Seminary, "Equipping the Spirit for Ministry"

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.: Closing Worship (Rev. Sandy Messick preaching)
Consider staying overnight and worshipping with the Parkway congregation on Sunday!

Sunday - May 5, 2024

10:00 a.m.: Worship at Parkway Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

Workshops

There are a variety of workshops to enjoy during the weekend. ON Friday afternoon, Week of Compassion will host a workshop on disaster preparedness. On Saturday there will be a variety of workshops on different topics offered in two separate sessions.

Friday: Pre-Assembly Workshop led by Week of Compassion

Topic: Disaster Preparedness – Description: In moments of crisis, Disciples respond to serve the needs of neighbors! In this workshop, Revs. Alan Dicken and Caroline Hamilton-Arnold, Associate Directors for Week of Compassion, will help church leaders inventory the gifts, strengths, and assets of our congregations, as we consider how Disciples can be better prepared to respond to disasters and the needs of immigrants and refugees. Details: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. in **ROOM 3 inside SANCTUARY**

Saturday: 1st Session Workshops from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m

- 1. Rev. Chris Dorsey, DHM: "*Building and Sustaining Authentic Community*"**
Location: **SANCTUARY**
- 2. Rev. Gregg Kaufman: "*Deliberative Dialogue: A New Way of Talking Across Differences.*"** – Description: Deliberative dialogue can be considered as a form of discernment where the faithful address issues of common concern in small groups. Contrasted to didactic instruction or listening to sermons or lectures, and with the guidance of a passionately impartial moderator, people express their thoughts and respectfully listen to one another to understand differences of opinion. Deliberation is “choice work” where participants endeavor to identify areas of agreement or common ground in order to move forward. [[Zoom Workshop](#)] Location: **ROOM 3 inside SANCTUARY**
- 3. Selys Rivera: "*The Advocating Church: Starting a Social Justice Project and Loving Like Jesus*"** – Description: The Bible repeatedly shares stories of hope for the oppressed in societies that favor the privileged. Jesus himself consistently challenged the status quo and stood up for the marginalized communities like the poor, the sick, the needy, the outcasts, and the forgotten. As Disciples of Christ, how can we follow in Jesus’ footsteps in our current times and advocate for causes close to God’s heart? Join this workshop to learn how to create a social justice project within your own church and transform your congregation’s faith into action.
Location: **LIBRARY [[Media Room 103 in school building attached to the church](#)]**

Saturday: 2nd Session Workshops from 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

4. **Rev. Michael Junkroski: "Church Tech on a Shoestring – Open Tech Forum" –**
Description: Pastor Michael, from the online-only church The Current, leads a discussion about what, where, when, and why to use tech in the church, and how to use it without blowing the budget. Bring your questions and answers to share in this fun, interactive forum! Location: **SANCTUARY**

 5. **Rev. Sekinah Hamlin, Global Ministries: "Beyond World Communion Sunday and Pentecost" –** Description: Location: **ROOM 3 inside SANCTUARY**

 6. **Rev. Day Broers-Case and Rev. Margaret Marquis Hambuch: "Your Pastor Has to Take Boundary Training - What's That About?" –** Description: Join us for a conversation on healthy boundaries for your congregation. Learn why such boundaries are necessary and helpful for faithful witness and service. Location: **LIBRARY [Media Room 103 in school building attached to the church]** [This workshop is open to clergy and lay people. It does NOT meet the requirement for training for clergy with standing.]

 7. **Dr. Charisse L. Gillett, President Lexington Theological Seminary: "Equipping the Spirit for Ministry" –** Description: Much has been written about the experiences of those called to ministry and the vocational calls of clergy and laity. This workshop gives attention to the ways clergy and laity can sustain their calls to ministry in a world which increasingly challenges the notion of call and drains one's ability to serve faithfully. Location: **GYM CAFETERIA**
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Spanish Translation during Worship Services

Free conference line for the Spanish translations on Friday and Saturday.

This is the information:

1. Dial in-country number shown below

Dial-in number:

+1 605-562-8400

2. Enter your moderator PIN or access code

Participants access code: 9499948

Moderator PIN: 2172988

Order of Worship Florida Regional Assembly Friday, May 3, 2024

Pre-Music Worship Band/ Praise Team

Worship Song Gathering Celebration.....“He’s in the Room”
Welcome..... Tony Rodriguez, Rev. Charlie Wallace, Rebecca Bossman (school)
Centering PrayerRev. Christine Bandy-Helderman
Call to Worship.....Brittany Swink
The Lord’s Prayer..... Tony Rodriguez
Roll Call of Congregations..... Tony Rodriguez
Worship songs.....“Amazing / Increíble”
Worship songs.....“ The Heart of Worship / Corazón De Adoracion”
Scripture.....Acts 2: 1-13..... Rev. W. Alan Smith and others
Introduction of Assembly Theme.....Rev. W. Alan Smith
Children Worship and Wonder.....Rev. Mary Beth Harper
Pastoral Prayer.....Rev. Sandy Messick
Scripture Reading.....John 15:9-17
Introduction of Speaker.....Rev. Sandy Messick
Sermon.....Rev. Chris Dorsey
Offering..... Rev. Caroline Hamilton-Arnold and Rev. Alan Dicken
Remembering Our Saints (video)..... Rev. Sandy Messick
Communion.....Rev. Selena Reyes, Rev. Merline Pierre
Prayers for Elements.....Parkway Elders
Anointing Tree.....Chaplains
Worship Song.....“Gratitude”
Benediction.....Jonathan Adkins
Closing Song.....“You Are Good / Eres Fiel”

Thanks to those who participated in the service this evening: Worship Band/ Praise Team, Tony Rodriguez – FL Region Moderator, Rev. Charlie Wallace – Parkway CC, Rebecca Bossman – Parkway Christian Private School, Rev. W. Alan Smith – Central Christian Church, Rev. Mary Beth Harper – Director at The Retreat at Silver Springs, Rev. Sandy Messick – FL Regional Minister, Rev. Chris Dorsey – Disciples Home Missions, Rev. Caroline Hamilton-Arnold – Week of Compassion, Rev. Alan Dicken – Week of Compassion, Rev. Selena Reyes – Nueva Comunidad Christian Church, Rev. Merline Pierre – New Evangelical Missionary Church of God, Parkway Elders, Chaplains, Jonathan Adkins – FCC, Daytona Beach

***LTS Reception following worship in the GYM Cafeteria. This is a Lexington Theological Seminary **alumni only** event.

Order of Worship Florida Regional Assembly Saturday, May 4, 2024

Opening Music.....“Open Up The Heavens / Ábrenos Los Cielos”
Invocation.....Rev. Rubin Vertus
Worship Songs.....“Blessed Him Some More, Thank God / Yo Te Bendecire,
.....Gracias Dios”
Greetings and Call to Worship.....Rev. Donna Oberkreser
Choir Worship song.....“Revive Us Again”Nathan Jasso Director
Children Worship and Wonder.....Rev. Mary Beth Harper
Choir Worship Song.....“The Lord’s Prayer”
Offering..... Rev. Mary Beth Harper
Scripture Reading..... Acts 2: 1-8..... Alice Price
Sermon.....Rev. Sandy Messick
Worship Song.....“Holy Spirit”
Communion.....Rev. W. Alan Smith, Tony Rodriguez
Communion Prayers.....Adam Fuller and Selys Rivera
Postlude.....Congregational representatives
are invited to approach the table and select a candle to take back to their congregation
Benediction.....Tony Rodriguez
Closing Song.....“Blessed Be the Name”

Thanks to those who participated in the service this afternoon: Rev. Rubin Vertus – Salem Evangelical Christian Church, Rev. Donna Oberkreser – Central Christian Church, Nathan Jasso Director of Parkway Christian Church Choir, Rev. Mary Beth Harper – The Retreat at Silver Springs, Alice Price – Royal Palm Christian Church, Rev. Sandy Messick – FL Regional Minister, Rev. W. Alan Smith, Tony Rodriguez – FL Regional Moderator, Adam Fuller – Palm Lake CC, Selys Rivera - Nueva Comunidad Christian Church, Rev. Hector Santiago – Iglesia Cristiana Del Norte

Regional Assembly – Scripture Reading in Spanish and French

Hechos 2:1-13 [Spanish]

2 Cuando llegó el día de Pentecostés estaban todos unánimes juntos. ² De repente vino del cielo un estruendo como de un viento recio que soplaba, el cual llenó toda la casa donde estaban; ³ y se les aparecieron lenguas repartidas, como de fuego, asentándose sobre cada uno de ellos. ⁴ Todos fueron llenos del Espíritu Santo y comenzaron a hablar en otras lenguas, según el Espíritu les daba que hablaran.

⁵ Vivían entonces en Jerusalén judíos piadosos, de todas las naciones bajo el cielo. ⁶ Al oír este estruendo, se juntó la multitud; y estaban confusos, porque cada uno los oía hablar en su propia lengua. ⁷ Estaban atónitos y admirados, diciendo:

—Mirad, ¿no son galileos todos estos que hablan? ⁸ ¿Cómo, pues, los oímos nosotros hablar cada uno en nuestra lengua en la que hemos nacido? ⁹ Partos, medos, elamitas, y los que habitamos en Mesopotamia, Judea, Capadocia, el Ponto y Asia, ¹⁰ Frigia y Panfilia, Egipto y las regiones de África más allá de Cirene, y romanos aquí residentes, tanto judíos como prosélitos, ¹¹ cretenses y árabes, los oímos hablar en nuestras lenguas las maravillas de Dios.

¹² Estaban todos atónitos y perplejos, diciéndose unos a otros:

—¿Qué quiere decir esto?

¹³ Pero otros, burlándose, decían:

—Están borrachos.

Actes 2:1-13 [French]

2 Le jour de la Pentecôte, ils étaient tous ensemble dans le même lieu.

² Tout à coup il vint du ciel un bruit comme celui d'un vent impétueux, et il remplit toute la maison où ils étaient assis.

³ Des langues, semblables à des langues de feu, leur apparurent, séparées les unes des autres, et se posèrent sur chacun d'eux.

⁴ Et ils furent tous remplis du Saint Esprit, et se mirent à parler en d'autres langues, selon que l'Esprit leur donnait de s'exprimer.

⁵ Or, il y avait en séjour à Jérusalem des Juifs, hommes pieux, de toutes les nations qui sont sous le ciel.

⁶ Au bruit qui eut lieu, la multitude accourut, et elle fut confondue parce que chacun les entendait parler dans sa propre langue.

⁷ Ils étaient tous dans l'étonnement et la surprise, et ils se disaient les uns aux autres: Voici, ces gens qui parlent ne sont-ils pas tous Galiléens?

⁸ Et comment les entendons-nous dans notre propre langue à chacun, dans notre langue maternelle?

⁹ Parthes, Mèdes, Élamites, ceux qui habitent la Mésopotamie, la Judée, la Cappadoce, le Pont, l'Asie,

¹⁰ la Phrygie, la Pamphylie, l'Égypte, le territoire de la Libye voisine de Cyrène, et ceux qui sont venus de Rome, Juifs et prosélytes,

¹¹ Crétois et Arabes, comment les entendons-nous parler dans nos langues des merveilles de Dieu?

¹² Ils étaient tous dans l'étonnement, et, ne sachant que penser, ils se disaient les uns aux autres: Que veut dire ceci?

¹³ Mais d'autres se moquaient, et disaient: Ils sont pleins de vin doux.

Florida Disciples Regional Congregations and Minister(s) by Geographical Location/Area

Central District

Central Christian Church – Orlando: Rev. Margaret Marquis – Interim Minister	Central Christian Church – Mt. Dora: Rev. Bill Anderson
Community Christian Church – Orlando: Rev. Terry Harper	Daytona Beach Drive-In Christian Church – Daytona Beach Shores: Rev. Robert Kemp-Baird, Rev. Melissa Frantz
Deltona Christian Church – Deltona: Rev. Bill Dunlap	First Christian Church – Daytona Beach: Rev. David Troxler
First Christian Church – Deland: Rev. Carlos Perez-Lopez	First Christian Church – Melbourne: Rev. Day Broers-Case
First Christian Church – Ocala: Rev. John Holcombe - Interim	First Christian Church – Ormond Beach: Rev. Angel Roman
First Christian Church – Wildwood: Rev. Dr. Bridgette Sullenger	Galilee Christian Church - Summerfield: Unknown
Iglesia Cristiana De Deltona – Deltona: Rev. Ivan Santiago, Rev. Milca Rivera	Iglesia Cristiana Emanuel – Kissimmee: Rev. David Alicea
Iglesia Cristiana Emanuel – Kissimmee: Rev. David Alicea	Iglesia Cristiana Del Norte – Casselberry: Rev. Hector Santiago
Iglesia Cristiana del Oeste – Orlando: Rev. Jorge Narvaez	Nueva Comunidad Christian Church – Winter Park: Rev. Selena Reyes-Martinez
Ocoee Christian Church – Ocoee: Rev. Tuck Norvell	Winter Park Christian Church – Winter Park: Rev. Selena Reyes-Martinez – Interim Minister
United Church of Christ – New Smyrna Beach: Rev. Shawn Proctor	

Southwest District

Beneva Christian Church – Sarasota: Rev. David Miller	Central Christian Church – Bradenton: OPEN, Anita Haisch, Moderator
First Christian Church – Lehigh Acres: Pastor Erwin Goodwin	First Christian Church Naples – Virtual Only: Rev. Michael Junkroski
Centerpointe Christian Church – Venice [Formerly FCC]: Pastor Mitch Todd	Fort Myers Christian Church – Fort Myers: Rev. Zachary Seitz
Unity Christian Church – Fort Myers: OPEN	

Southern District

Central Christian Church of Dade County – Coral Gables: Rev. Jorge “Joey” Cotto	Christian Restoration Outreach Centre Ministry – Ft. Lauderdale: Henri Norey and Ghislaine Norey
First Christian Church – Vero Beach: Brian Traynor	First Christian Church – West Palm Beach: OPEN
First Christian Church – Wilton Manors: Dr. John W. Stauffer	Good Shepherd Missionary Church – Miami Gardens: Dr Jacques Nicolas
Iglesia Cristiana Discipulos de Cristo de Miami – Miami: Rev. Vilson Hurtado, Lisa Hurtado-Miranda	Liberty Christian Church – Miami: Pastor Willie Ivery, Jr.
Maranatha Christian Church – West Palm Beach [Haitian Church in Formation]: Ernest Duval	New Alliance Church – Port St. Lucie [Haitian Church in Formation] : Rita Duval
New Evangelical Missionary Church of God – Miami: Rev. Rubens Pierre, Rev. Meline Cadet Pierre	Parkway Christian Church – Davie: Rev. Charlie Wallace, Rev. Esther Valdes
Passion Christian Church – Pembroke Pines [In Formation]: Rev. Elizabeth “Liz” Rios	Royal Palm Christian Church – Coral Springs: OPEN
Salem Evangelical Christian Church – Miami: Rev. Dr. Rubin Vertus	Schekinah Church – Miramar [Haitian Church in Formation]: Rev. Louis Josue, Pastor
Tropical Sands Christian Church – Palm Beach Gardens: Rev. Christine Bandy-Heldermann	

West Central District

Auditorio Vida en Familia – Temple Terrace: Rev. Gustavo & Nelly Espinosa, Alexandra Rueda, Henry Diaz	Bay Point Christian Church – St. Petersburg: Pastor Randall Hildreth
Bethany Christian Church – Lakeland: Rev. Steve Stogner	Brandon Christian Church – Brandon: Rev. Steve Blinder
Central Christian Church – Clearwater: Rev. Donna Oberkreser	First Christian Church – Bartow: Rev. Eddie Owen
First Christian Church – Haines City: Rev. Rev. Bill McConnell	First Christian Church – Sebring: Rev. Alan Brown
First Christian Church – Winter Haven: Pastor Jenn Moreno	First Christian Church – Zephyrhills: Rev. Kent Riner
Palm Lake Christian Church – St. Petersburg: Rev. Oscar Banks	Primera Iglesia Hispana – Sebring: OPEN
Primera Iglesia Cristiana – Dade City:	

North District

9Thirteen Christian Church – Jacksonville: Rev. Chris Hopkins	Cypress Village Worship – Jacksonville: Contact person - Barbara Hooper, Moderator
Edgewood Avenue Christian Church – Jacksonville: Rev. Tina Christian	First Christian Church – Jacksonville: Rev. Karen Billy, Pastor
Iglesia Discipulos de Cristo – Jacksonville: Rev. Carmen M Rivera	Lynnwood Christian Church – Jacksonville: Pastor Sandra Roberts
Meizon Christian Church – Gainesville [In Formation]: Keven Bruchert, Miranda West, Drake Cromer-Moore	Riverside Avenue Christian Church – Jacksonville: OPEN
Southside Christian Church – Jacksonville: OPEN – Senior Pastor, Lay Leader: Walter Barrett	Springfield Christian Church – Jacksonville: Rev. Coley Williams, Doretta Stevens
St. Nicholas Park Christian Church – Jacksonville: Pastor Dennis Pier	Tabernacle of Jesus Christ – Orange Park: Pastor Guy St. Vil
UCC/DOC St Augustine – Saint Augustine: Rev. Donna Cooney, Rev. Judith Johnson (Associate)	Florida Senior Enrichment Center – Jacksonville [Formerly Known As: Florida Christian Center]: Rev. Kimberly Weir, Director/Chaplain

Regional Church Ministries and Leadership Directory

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Rev. Selena Reyes-Martinez: selena@fldisciples.org (Support Pastor: Hispanic Ministries)
Rev. Merline Cardon Pierre: merline@fldisciples.org (Support Pastor: Haitian Ministries)
Brenda Turrentine: adminassistant@fldisciples.org (Admin: The Retreat at Silver Springs/FL Disciples Regional Church - Finances)
Rev. Tina Christian: tina@fldisciples.org (Admin: FL Disciples Regional Church)
Leadership Council Moderator: Tony Rodriguez
Leadership Council Vice Moderator: Alan Smith

Regional Commissions and Chairperson

Commission on Ministry: Rev. Donna Oberkreser

- Pastoral Support Team: Rev. Alan Brown

Florida Disciples Men Ministry: Brad Beyers
Florida Disciples Women Ministry: Sandra Basford
TRASS: Steve Turrentine
Outdoor Ministry Committee: Rev. Melissa Frantz
Youth Ministry Commission: Dylan Booth
Young Adult Fellowship
Stewardship Commission: Rev. Bob Kemp-Baird
Personnel: Rev. Steve Blinder
Antiracism/Pro-Reconciliation: Rev. Oscar Banks
New & Affiliating Congregations Commission: Rev. Sandy Messick
Hispanic Convención of the Southeast: Horacio Rodriguez
Haitian Ministries: Rev. Dr. Rubin Vertus
FL Convocation: Rev. Oscar Banks
Florida Senior Enrichment Center: Rev. Kimberly Weir, Director:
Garden of Eden Health Center, Puerto Rico: Alicia Rodriguez

Ministries of the General Church

Explore the General Ministries of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) that are established or recognized by the General Assembly to strengthen congregational life and to fulfill its mission of witness and service to the world.



Central Pastoral Office for Hispanic Ministries

Promote, undergird and coordinate work of Disciples Hispanic Ministries

Website: <https://www.obrahispana.org/>

Christian Board of Publication/Chalice Media

Denominational, congregational, and professional resources Parenting, social justice, Christian living resources, and more.

Website: <https://chalicepress.com/>

Christian Church Foundation

Christian Church Foundation works with individual donors, congregations, regions, and other ministries of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) to determine their passion for ministry and discern together the best way they can use their gifts to support ministry.

Website: <https://christianchurchfoundation.org/>

Disciples Church Extension Fund

Connecting congregations' financial and capital resources to mission Building and capital planning/lending Investment services for individuals and churches Capital fundraising services.

Website: <https://disciplescef.org/>

Disciples Women

Leader development... Faith Formation...

Bible Study... Justice and Social...

Action Woman-to-Woman Worldwide

Website: <https://www.discipleswomen.org/>

Disciples of Christ Historical Society

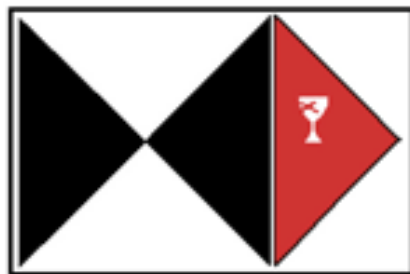
Assistance for congregational historians and scholars. Historical archives Stone-Campbell Movement artifacts.

Website: <https://www.discipleshistory.org/>

Higher Education and Leadership Ministries

Works with wider church and higher education partners to develop and nurture Christian leaders who are transforming church, society and world.

Website: <https://helmdisciples.org/>



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Disciples Overseas Ministries

Global Ministries is a joint witness in mission between the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ. Join us in our mission to receive and share the Good News of Jesus Christ by joining with global and local partners to work for justice, reconciliation and peace.

Website: <https://www.globalministries.org/>

National Benevolent Association

Partners with new Disciples health & social service ministries to strengthen and grow their effectiveness and impact, locally. Initiates ministry programs designed to establish and grow partnerships around health and social service ministries. Connects health and social service providers empowering them to learn, collaborate, and grow stronger together.

Website: <https://www.nbacares.org/>

National Convocation

National Convocation of the Christian Church is an expression of the church that promotes reconciliation, social justice concerns, and transformational ministry, by equipping and training clergy and laity leadership, and empowering congregations to do mission and ministry for the 21st century.

Website: <https://www.nationalconvocation.org/>

North American Pacific/Asian Disciples

We, the members of the North American Pacific/Asian Disciples of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the United States and Canada, affirm the cultures and heritages of Pacific/Asian peoples within the historic and living Christian faith. As part of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), we join with other Disciples in the total mission of the church, to recognize and promote the gifts and presence of North American Pacific/Asian Disciples in the life and work of the Church.

Website: <https://www.napad.net/>

Pension Fund

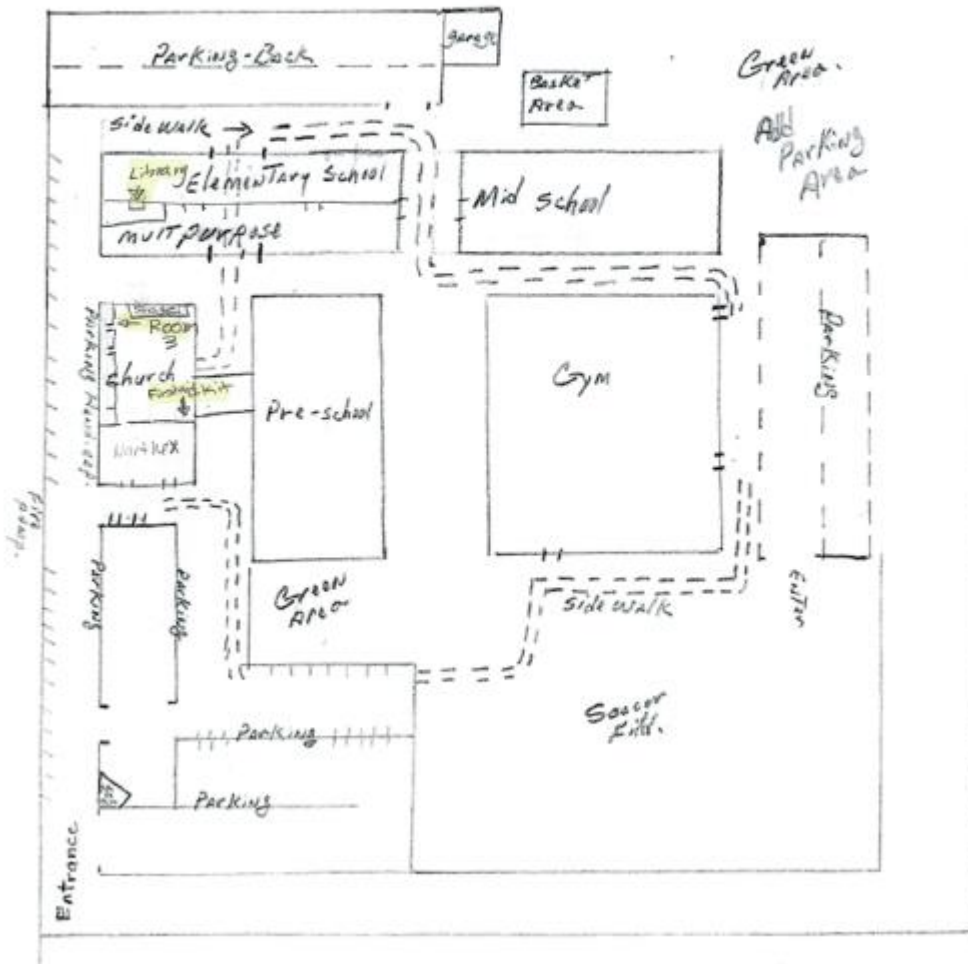
Provides pension and retirement savings accounts for clergy and lay employees of congregations, regions, general ministries, church-related colleges and seminaries, and benevolent care organizations of the Stone-Campbell (Restoration) Movement.

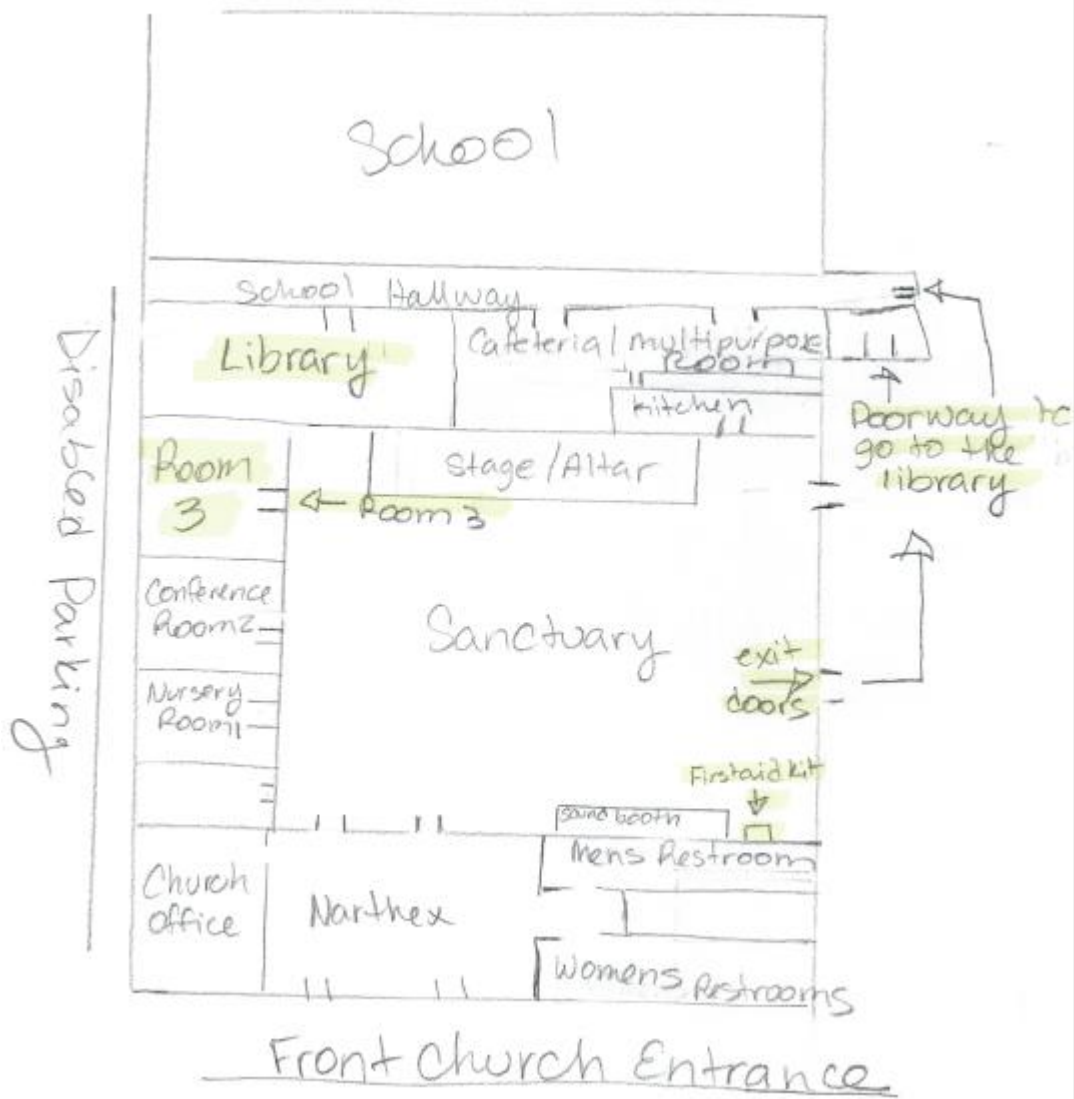
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Workshop Rooms and First Aid Kits Highlighted

PARKWAY CHRISTIAN CHURCH





APENDIX

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Docket in English



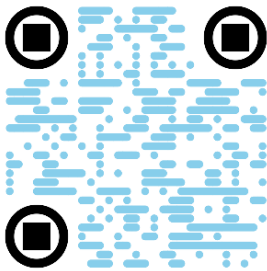
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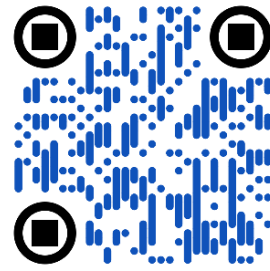
Giving – The Retreat at Silver Springs



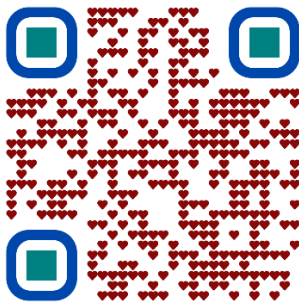
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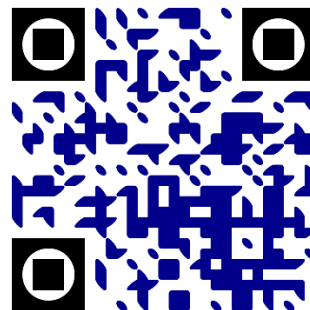
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