

Embodying Love
Demanding Justice
Transforming the World
With Your Help
June 14, 2026



Welcome! – Riviera Church is an unapologetic progressive-thinking community in the Presbyterian Church (USA).

We are a family church where families come in all compositions.

We are a thinking church that wrestles with faith issues confronting our society today and strives to make our faith personally relevant and meaningful.

We are a mission-driven church that since the civil rights movement has worked for justice and peace for all of God's children.

In our worship, education, and mission, we strive that all will know they are loved unconditionally.

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Mission Statement

We engage with each other in joyful worship and thoughtful education; We dedicate our resources and talents to God's work; And we open our hearts in active mission to others.

- We celebrate The Lord's Supper on the first Sunday of every month. All are welcome at the table. Gluten-free option available.
- Large print bulletins and hymnals are available. Please ask an usher.
- Restrooms are accessible by the ramp in the sanctuary. Follow the signs. Changing tables are in both restrooms.
- We want to serve you. If you have a ministry need, don't hesitate to contact Congregational Care Committee Chair Karen at kc33134@aol.com. For prayer requests, please email bfah@me.com
- Riviera Presbyterian Church is a proud member of these organizations and a Matthew 25 congregation.



MORE LIGHT
PRESBYTERIANS



Matthew 25:31-46 calls all of us to actively engage in the world around us, so our faith comes alive and we wake up to new possibilities." www.pcusa.org/matthew25)

**RIVIERA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
JUNE 14, 2026 - 9:00 AM
3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
HYMN SING SUNDAY**

GATHERING



**Please stand in body or spirit*

Please let us know you are worshipping with us today by scanning and completing our online welcome form or by using the Welcome Pad; then please pass the pad to your neighbor.

PRELUDE #730 I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

WELCOMING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Rejoice in the Lord!

Praise the Lord with instruments and shouts of joy!

All: God loves justice and righteousness.

The earth is full of God's love.

One: Let all of creation revel in awe of God, our creator.

All: God's love endures forever.

One: Amen! Let us worship together.

***OPENING HYMN**

#610 O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing (V.1,4,5)

CALL TO CONFESSION

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, we confess, a bit pridefully, that we appreciate decency and order, forgetting that we seek the order that is of our own making.

We confess that clear rules and social norms give us comfort, forgetting how many of your beloved children are hurt and excluded by them.

We confess that we place our trust in ability, strength, and the works we produce, forgetting our total reliance on your grace. Forgive us, God, and free us to live in courageous faith, that we may abide in your righteousness. Amen.

(silence for personal confession)

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you!

All: And also with you.

One: Let us pass the peace with one another.

***GLORIA PATRI #583 Taizé Glory To God**

***Glory to God. Glory to God. Glory in the highest!
Glory to God. Glory to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!***

CHORAL ANTHEM City of God by D. Schutte

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Romans 4:13-25

RESPONSE:

ONE: Holy Wisdom,

ALL: Holy Word.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING **Genesis 12:1-19**

RESPONSE:

ONE: Holy Wisdom,

ALL: Holy Word.

HYMN SING

Dr. Walter Busse

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Please remember to respect people's privacy and to obtain their permission before using their full name when requesting prayers in this public format. If you have a prayer request at any time throughout the week, you can contact Congregational Care: bfah@me.com.

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

We appreciate the diverse traditions and backgrounds of the Riviera community and encourage you to use whatever words for the Lord's Prayer are meaningful for you.

THE LORD'S PRAYER unison

Our Creator, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kin-dom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kin-dom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

THE OFFERING

CALL TO THE OFFERING

THE ACT OF GRATITUDE

The physical act of giving by placing your offering in the plate is a tangible act of gratitude. If your pledge is mailed or sent electronically, you may still participate in this act of gratitude by placing the envelope found inside the bulletin in the offering plate as a symbol of your gratitude and participation in the worship service.



How You Can Give

- 
PEW ENVELOPE
 You may place your donation in the pew envelope, don't forget to write your name & address
- 
ACH
 You may set up online payment via your bank bill pay program.
- 
VANCO MOBILE
 You may download the free Vanco app (IOS & Android)
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MAIL CHECK TO US
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Please note that our CASH App account is currently offline. We apologize for any inconvenience.

OFFERTORY #821 How Can I Keep From Singing?

***DOXOLOGY** (Avery & Marsh)

***Praise God from whom all Blessings Flow.
 Praise God, all creatures here below.
 Praise God, ye hosts in Heav'n above.
 Praise God the Trinity of Love. Amen! (7x)***

***UNISON OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Holy God, we offer our gifts today and every day, trusting in your promises to heal, reconcile and bring justice and peace. May all that we offer be transformed into signs of your love and acts of your mercy. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

THE SENDING

ANNOUNCEMENT

Laura Fothergill

***CLOSING HYMN #339 Lift Every Voice and Sing**

***CHARGE & BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE #32 I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Per Capita Challenge: June 7–28

Together, we can make a difference. Our Per Capita Challenge begins June 7 and runs through June 28, and we are aiming for something special—**100% participation**.

Per Capita is **\$40 per member** and helps support the shared work and ministry of our Presbyterian connection. Every gift matters and every participant helps us move closer to our goal.

Will you help Riviera reach 100%?

Use the blue envelope enclosed in your bulletin, please write your name or you may donate online at www.rivierachurch.org/give

Theology Uncorked Today at 5:30 pm.

This month, Theology Uncorked will be led by Elders John German and Bryan Page. Come prepared for lively conversations.

Guided Labyrinth Walk



6.26.26 | 7 PM

**Pinecrest Presbyterian Church
@ Fellowship Hall
10400 SW SW 57th Avenue,
Pinecrest, FL 33156**

Meetings & Events at RPC

Monday, June 15

9:00 am - 3:30 pm Viva El Español Summer Camp

Tuesday, June 16

9:00 am - 3:30 pm Viva El Español Summer Camp

Wednesday, June 17

9:00 am - 3:30 pm Viva El Español Summer Camp

10:45 am - CCC Storytime with Ms. Emma - Sanctuary

6:30 pm - Choir Dinner & Rehearsal - Fellowship Hall

Thursday, June 18

9:00 am - 3:30 pm Viva El Español Summer Camp

Friday, June 19

9:00 am - 3:30 pm Viva El Español Summer Camp

Church Office Closed

Saturday, June 20

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Sunday, June 21

8:30 am - Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary

9:00 am - Worship Service - Sanctuary

10:00 am - Holy Grounds/Refreshments

10:15 am - Hybrid Bible Study - The Spirit Center



YOU ARE WARMLY INVITED TO A YES INSTITUTE & RIVIERA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH COMMUNITY GATHERING

A celebration of friendship, community
and 30 years of YES Institute

What to expect:

- A short presentation on RPC and YES Institute history together
- Potluck lunch provided by RPC
- Good energy and a celebratory atmosphere!



Sunday
June 28, 2026



10:30 AM – Noon
(Following 9am service)



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*Space is limited ; We'd love to see you there!
For more information, please contact
YES Institute or Riviera Presbyterian Church.*



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Riviera Presbyterian Church is a spiritual community that accepts and embraces **ALL** God's children.

Ministers	All the People
Pastor	Rev. Kim Robles
Director of Music	Dr. Walter Busse
Director of Faith Formation & Outreach	Emma Cottrell
Certified Church Administrator	Barbara Prieto
Church Bookkeeper	Carol Naveira
Sacred Space Caretaker	Glenda Bertran

Session Class of 2026

Amparo Hernandez
Kathy Stults

Session Class of 2027

Gerardo Avitia
Angela Galbreath
Laura Fothergill
Michele Ready
Cris Sweeny

Session Class of 2028

Kyle Dettloff
Carol Thompson