

We welcome all of our **guests** who have come to worship with us today.

If you are a guest, please take time to fill out the information below, tear at the perforation, and turn in to the prayer box or offering basket.

Welcome!

We are honored to have you worship with us today.

Date _____

Name _____

Email Address _____

Phone _____

Address _____

How did you hear about us? _____

Please send me more information on:

- Church School
- Bible Studies
- Children's Ministries
- Membership Transfer
- Baptism
- Youth Ministries
- Life Groups
- Pastoral Visit

OUR VISION: CONNECTIONS
CONNECTING with God through inspiring worship
CONNECTING with one another through holistic small groups
CONNECTING with our community by equipping and empowering other to

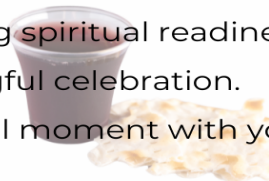
Prayer List: Conteh-Morgan Family; Nikita; Jarnell Jorrell, Landers Omar, Jacinth Oritz, Coralie Janine, Jolene, Luke and Andre Braddus; Felix Frazer, Rita Evens, Arlette Mason, Ria Gaskalla, Fran Downes, Jesse Ziemba, David Austin, Karen Canto, Jack Hicks, Erica Trew, Britaney, Amber, Bob Sullivan, Janice Brown, David Hess, Diana Marshall, Susie Brody, Jamie and Sandy Rawles, Janice Brown, Charlie Decker, Sharon & Amber Ellen, Amber & Allison French, Pete Dumenigo and family; ***Prayer List updated weekly. Print names clearly on prayer request if you want the name to be in the bulletin.**

Prepare for Communion Next Sabbath

Join us as we prepare our hearts and minds for Communion next Sabbath.

This sacred time of reflection and renewal is a wonderful opportunity to draw closer to God and remember the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

Let's come together in prayer, seeking spiritual readiness to fully participate in this meaningful celebration. We look forward to sharing this special moment with you!



Church Business Meeting

January 25, 2025 at 6:30pm



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Tithe and Offering



Combined Budget					
Rec'd MTD	CB Monthly Budget	Needed for December	YTD CB Received	YTD Budget	Difference
\$14,024	\$30,000	\$15,976	\$318,240	\$360,000	-\$41,760

Happy New Year

2024

Pastor Jeff Crain
December 28, 2024



TAMPA FIRST SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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Deacons Meeting TODAY December 28th. Current and newly selected deacons meet in the Library after church.

Young Adults (18-30 y/o) Sabbath School is meeting at 12:45pm today in the classroom behind the baptistry. Please join us!

We are thrilled to announce that our Christmas offering to reupholster and repair the pews, as well as install new carpeting, has raised \$17,597 so far! A heartfelt thank you to everyone who has contributed. If you haven't had the chance to give yet, [BLUE Christmas envelopes](#) are available in the pews. Let's keep the spirit of giving alive as we continue enhancing our worship space. Every dollar makes a difference!

Thank you Betty and the decorating committee for the poinsettias. If anyone would like to take one home they are welcome to after the service.

Adult Sabbath School Teachers, there will be an important meeting for all current and hopeful adult Sabbath School teachers in the library after service on **January 11, 2025.** Your presence is highly encouraged as we discuss upcoming plans and expectations. Thank you, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Health Sabbath Today: Get Your Blood pressure Checked in the Wellness Room. Take a moment to get your blood pressure checked in the wellness room. Regular BP checks are crucial for monitoring heart health and preventing conditions like hypertension. Whether you're feeling fine or have any health concerns, it's a simple yet effective way to stay on top of your wellness. Don't miss this opportunity to prioritize your health!

Church Business Meeting - January 25, 2025. If you would like to propose a topic for discussion, [please contact Pastor Jeff via email at sdapastorjeff@gmail.com.](#) All topics must be submitted by **January 4, 2025** in order to be included in the meeting agenda. Only the topics that have been submitted will be addressed. We look forward to your participation,

If you are no longer serving in a ministry for the 2025-2027 term, please return your keys. We have a limited number of keys available, and the new leaders will need them. Thank you for your cooperation.

The Church office will be closed on the following days: December 31st to January 1st, 2025.

Church & Worship Calendar

Dec. 28	Health Screening Sabbath
Jan. 3	Communion Practice 6:30 PM
Jan. 13	Finance 5:30 PM and Board 7 PM meeting in-person
Jan. 14	Worship Committee 7 PM Zoom meeting
Jan. 18	Churchwide Potluck
Jan. 25	Church Business meeting 6:30 PM in the Chapel

If you do not wish to be photographed or to appear on the live feed or recording, please be seated in the balcony area. By remaining on the ground floor in the Sanctuary, you are giving Tampa First your consent to video record or photograph your picture, likeness, voice, and statements.

**Song Service
Sabbath School
Worship**

December 28, 2024

TAMPA FIRST CHURCH LIFE
Pastor Jeff Crain

Gesù Bambino
The Shields Strings

1 Timothy 4: 12
Rachel Stewart & Gabriel Salas

CHILDREN'S STORY
Debbie Sterling

*I Will Early Seek Savior No. 539 and
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah No. 538*
Lauren, Kristen, Meagan Shields

PRAYER & GIVING
Gladys Rosario

Greensleeves
The Shields Strings

MESSAGE
The Comeback Church
Pastor Jeff Crain

Faith is the Victory No. 608
Lauren, Kristen, Meagan Shields

CLOSING PRAYER
Pastor Jeff Crain

Wassail Song
The Shields Strings

Worship Leaders: Lauren, Kristen & Meagan Shields;
The Shields Strings: Cello-Kristen; Viola-Sondra; Violin-Lauren & Meagan; Organ/Piano: Sondra Shields; **Presiding Elder:** Gladys

10:00 - 10:05
10:05 - 11:05
11:15 - 12:30

**PRAYER
Request**

Please complete the information below and bring to the Prayer Box (by the piano) during Worship of Praise.

Date _____

Your Name & Phone Number: _____

Person(s) needing on-going prayer: (Please print) _____

- Salvation
- Physical Healing
- Peace, Patience
- Employment
- Relationships
- Holy Boldness
- Other
- Finances
- Deeper commitment
- Emotional Healing
- Guidance
- Family Member(s)
- Encouragement

Check box and clearly print the name(s) below, if you would like to add name(s) to the bulletin :

Please call me regarding prayer request

PRaise REPORT: _____