



*“The friendly little church  
on the circle in Everglades City”*

101 S. Copeland Avenue, Everglades City, FL 34139

*The Rev. Dr. Bob N. Wallace, Pastor*

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Church Office: (239) 695-4787

A Historical, Ecumenical and Inclusive  
Non-denominational Christian Congregation

**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE**

Sunday, February 5th, 2012 - 9 AM  
FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPHPHANY

10:30 TO 10:55 - MUSIC BEFORE WORSHIP .....

11:00 - THE RINGING OF THE CHURCH STEEPLE BELL TO CALL  
EVERGLADES CITY TO WORSHIP

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS .....Ron Slutter

THE BEGINNING OF OUR MORNING WORSHIP .....  
.....Jeffie McDonald, Piano & Mitch Peters, Organ

THE RINGING OF THE NARTHEX BELL

THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

THE GATHERING

THE PASTORAL CALL TO WORSHIP AND RESPONSE

**Pastor:** *Let us lift up the name of the Lord;*

**ALL:** **And rejoice for God hears our prayers!**

**Pastor:** *Praise the One who brings healing to our pain;*

**ALL:** **And causes joy to follow the long night of sorrow!**

**Pastor:** *We will not be silent. We will not still our tongues!*

**ALL:** **O Lord, our God, we will give thanks to You forever!**

\*\* HYMN No. 136 – “Holy, Holy, Holy!”

*\*\* Indicates the congregation stand*

\*\* PASTOR: *Let us unite in a historic confession of the Christian faith,  
THE APOSTLES’ CREED, saying, (Inside back cover of hymnal)*

\*\* THE GLORIA PATRI – HYMN No. 734

THE WELCOMING OF OUR VISITORS

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE



.OUR NEW 2012 Everglades Community Church Photo Directory is in the making. For those that choose to be in the Directory and wish to have an updated picture used, we will be receiving your personal pictures beginning today, or a photo shoot will be done during Church Fellowship through the month of January. Please note the deadline for pictures is Feb. 12th.

For any personal telephone # or addresses that have to be changed, please fill out the Telephone Directory forms available in the fellowship hall and hand into Millie Wallace or Helen Bryan after service....OR you may email information to us. Thank you.

#### PHOTO DIRECTORY COMMITTEE

NEW FLOWER CHART. Flower Chart for 2012 is posted in the hall outside the church office. Please pick your Sundays to beautify our altar and sign up to sponsor the flowers. The price for the 2 vases in 2012 will \$40. If you want something special, please speak to Charlotte Ledford.

ATTENTION SINGERS: Choir rehearsal is every Saturday, at 10 AM. Please come and plan to sing your heart out as the Pastor again leads the choir in a new season for us.

PASTOR'S EXCITING BIBLE STUDY continues in the book of Romans which is unquestionably the greatest of all of Paul's letters and the widest in its scope. Every Christian ought to know the book of Romans like the back of the hand. Come join our Pastor every Sunday morning at 9:45 AM for Bible study.

ORDER OF WORSHIP AVAILABLE ONLINE. Each week you will find our Order of Worship available online at [www.evergladescommunitychurch.com](http://www.evergladescommunitychurch.com). Click on the Services button. Use it to prepare your heart for every upcoming Sunday's worship service. It is hoped this will help you understand more fully the weekly scripture lessons and sermon.

WELCOME. We invite all newcomers and visitors to please fill out the Visitor Card found in the pews and place in the Offertory Plate. Please join us for lunch in Fellowship Hall after the service.

#### AN INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP

We invite you to consider one of the following avenues into membership of Everglades Community Church.

Profession of Faith and Baptism is the initial entrance into membership when confessing faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and receiving baptism.

Reaffirmation of Faith is renewal of the initial profession of faith after a period of inactivity in a church fellowship.

Transfer of Membership from any Christian denomination. We recognize Baptism from all Christian churches.

### Associate Membership

For any Christian residing in our area for an extended period. This membership entitles you to the fellowship and pastoral care of Everglades Community Church and to participation in activities, including holding of an office.

### WHY NOT JOIN TODAY?

If you have decided to join Everglades Community Church, why wait another day. Speak with the Pastor following this service or call the church office at 695-4787.

**MEMBERSHIP FORM.** We want to get all the important information about our members, such as how you would like to be involved in the church workings and how long you have been attending our church. Please take a few moments and fill out this form and give to any board member. Thank you.

**PRAYER REQUEST.** If you have a special prayer request, please fill out a card that is available in the pew racks for your use. If you provide Charlotte Ledford with the person's address, she will send them a card.

The Everglades Community Church website ([www.evergladescommunitychurch.com](http://www.evergladescommunitychurch.com)) has new things happening every week. Check it out.

Don't forget to fill out the Visitor Card so we can keep you posted on the "happenings" here at Everglades Community Church while you are away from us. Return to us soon.

**CHECK OUR WEB SITE.** Now is an exciting time for all of us as we return to our real sanctuary. Check the website to see all the work that was done ([www.evergladescommunitychurch.com](http://www.evergladescommunitychurch.com))

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