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→ The Community Church of Vero Beach

“Founded in 1924 in the belief that there is more that binds us together than separates us in the worship of God.”

9.29.2019

CHAPEL SERVICE 8:00 A.M.

C² SERVICE (COMMUNITY HALL) 9:00 A.M.

SANCTUARY SERVICE 10:00 A.M.

WELCOME

Recognizing the wide welcome offered to all through Jesus Christ, Community Church opens its arms to all.

We strive to offer Christ's wide welcome to all people, regardless of creed, age, race, or sexual identity.

*We invite you to join our congregation in worship and in membership,
as we allow our lives to be shaped by the loving outreach of Christ.*

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Please rise in body or spirit. **Bold text indicates congregational participation.*

Please refrain from applause during worship until invited.

Families are asked to check-in children Pre-K through 8th grade in Commotion prior to the start of worship to participate in Sunday school. Sunday school will take place at 10:00 a.m.. All children participating must be checked in and out of Commotion. Families are always welcome to worship together in the service. Nursery care available during our 10:00 a.m. worship services.

Our service is live-streamed via internet, capturing the chancel & the congregation and may appear on social media.

THE GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE

PRELUDE

Sonate in a minor KV310, Allegro maestoso

Jill A. Truax, piano

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

COMMUNITY WORDS

Rev. David W. Johnson

*MORNING ACCLAMATION

OLD 100TH

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise
In ev' - ry land be - gin the song; To
God, all crea - tures here be - low; Praise God a - bove, ye
ev' - ry land the strains be - long. In cheer - ful sounds all
heav'n - ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.
voic - es raise, And fill the world with loud - est praise.

*CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

Dr. Casey G. Baggott

ENTRANCE OF THE CHRIST LIGHT AND SOLO

“Let the Bright Seraphim” from Samson

George Frideric Handel

Walter Prince, trumpet,
Rachel E. Carter, soprano,
and Jill A. Truax, harpsicord

*Let the bright Seraphim in burning row,
their loud, uplifted angel trumpets blow.
Let the bright Seraphim in burning row,
in burning, burning row,
their loud, uplifted angel trumpets blow,
their loud, uplifted angel trumpets blow,
their loud, their loud, uplifted angel trumpets blow,
let the bright Seraphim in burning row, in burning, burning row,
their loud, uplifted, angel trumpets blow,
their loud, uplifted angel trumpets blow,
their loud, uplifted angel trumpets blow.
Let the Cherubic host, in tuneful choirs,
touch their immortal harps with golden wires,
let the Cherubic host, in tuneful choirs,
touch their immortal harps, touch their immortal harps
with golden wires, touch their immortal harps with golden wires.*

*LITANY

Melany Crawford

One: Listen! For God speaks to us through the prophets!

All: **We have heard their words that command our compassion and our care for others.**

One: Listen! God has spoken to us through a Son!

All: **We have heard his teaching on the supreme law of love.**

One: Let us worship our God, who conveys to us the responsibilities of our faith. Let us pray.

*UNISON PRAYER

Call us back to the path you have asked us to follow, O God, if we have distanced ourselves from the needs of our brothers and sisters. Open our eyes and our hearts to the hardships others face. Direct us toward opportunities to ease suffering, restore hope, and lighten the loads that our neighbors bear. Reawaken us to Jesus' clear intention that we draw near to one another, learning to live compassionately and giving generously of our gifts. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Elizabeth B. Hipp

ATTENDING TO GOD'S WORD

ANTIPHONAL READING FROM THE PSALTER

Clergy, Cantor, and Congregation

Antiphon: Congregation may join the cantor in singing the antiphon.

Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16



Cantor and Congregation

One: ¹ You who live in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty, ² will say to the LORD, 'My refuge and my fortress; my God, in whom I trust.' ³ For he will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence;

Cantor and Congregation

One: ⁴ he will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness is a shield and buckler. ⁵ You will not fear the terror of the night, or the arrow that flies by day, ⁶ or the pestilence that stalks in darkness, or the destruction that wastes at noonday.

Cantor and Congregation

One: ¹⁴ Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those who know my name. ¹⁵ When they call to me, I will answer them; I will be with them in trouble, I will rescue them and honor them. ¹⁶ With long life I will satisfy them, and show them my salvation.

Cantor and Congregation

RESPONSE

One: May God who commanded light to shine out of darkness enlighten our way today.

All: **Amen.**

One: God's message finds utterance in our midst.

All: **We wait and listen for God's word to us today.**

1 Timothy 6:6-12, 17-19

⁶Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; ⁷for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; ⁸but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. ⁹But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. ¹⁰For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

¹¹ But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. ¹²Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses.

¹⁷As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. ¹⁸They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, ¹⁹thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

RESPONSE

One: God's faithful are challenged to practice humility and generosity.

All: **May we store up the treasures of faithfulness.**

*HYMN OF DEVOTION

“Be Thou My Vision”

SLANE

Be Thou my — vis - ion, O Lord of my heart;
 Rich - es I heed not, nor vain, emp - ty praise,
 Be Thou my — wis - dom, and Thou my true word;
 Nought be all else to me, Save that Thou art
 Thou mine in - her - i - tance, Now and al - ways:
 I ev - er with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
 Thou my — best — thought, by day or by night,
 Thou and — Thou on - - - ly, first in my heart,
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,
 Wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pre - sence my light.
 Great God of heav - en, My trea - sure Thou art.
 Still be my vis - ion, O Rul - er of all.

One: Silence in us, O God, any voice but your own.

All: **May your Word be proclaimed and received here today.**

Luke 16:19-31

¹⁹ "There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. ²⁰ And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, ²¹ who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. ²² The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. ²³ In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. ²⁴ He called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.' ²⁵ But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. ²⁶ Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.' ²⁷ He said, 'Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house-- ²⁸ for I have five brothers--that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.' ²⁹ Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.'

³⁰ He said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' ³¹ He said to him, 'If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.' "

RESPONSE

One: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

ANTHEM

"How Blest Are They"

Chancel Choir

Claude L. Bass

How blest are they whose God is the Lord, whose hope is in the Lord their God.

He watches over all the earth. O praise the Lord.

How blest are they whose God is the Lord, whose hope is in the Lord their God.

He watches over all the earth. O praise the Lord.

The Lord sets the pris'ner free; He opens the eyes of the blind.

He gives food to the poor and hungry and comforts the oppressed.

The Lord lifts up the fallen; The Lord loves the righteous.

He watches over the stranger, the widows and fatherless.

How blest are they whose God is the Lord, whose hope is in the Lord their God.

The Lord God reigns o'er heav'n and earth. O praise the Lord,

O praise the Lord. O praise God, the Lord.

SERMON

"Is-ness and Ought-ness"

Dr. Robert T. Baggott

"... *between you and us a great chasm has been fixed* ..." ~ Luke 16:26b

MUSICAL RESPONSE

In Honor of Agnes

Andrew R. Galuska, organ

“What a Friend We Have In Jesus”

“I Love to Tell the Story”

“Just as I Am, Without One Plea”

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UNISON CALL TO OFFERING

Melany Crawford

God, your blessings spill across the face of the earth and sustain us every day of our lives. We have heard your prophets proclaim our duty to share, and so we bring our gifts today. Let them serve those near and far whose lives require our compassionate support. Amen.

OFFERTORY

“Rhosymedre”
Ralph Vaughan Williams

Walter Prince, trumpet
and Jill A. Truax, organ

*DOXOLOGY

“Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty”

LOBE DEN HERREN

Praise ye the Lord, O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him!
Let the amen Sound from His people again;
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

CALL TO PRAYER

Dr. Casey G. Baggott

One: God be with you.

All: **And with your spirit.**

One: Let us pray. O Lord, show us your mercy.

All: **And grant us your salvation.**

One: O God, make clean our hearts within us.

All: **And take not your Holy Spirit from us.**

CENTERING SONG

“The Call”
Ralph Vaughan Williams

Jill A. Truax, soprano

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

**Our Father which 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors,
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

THE SENDING FORTH

*RECESSIONAL HYMN

“To God Be the Glory”

TO GOD BE THE GLORY

To God be the glo - ry, great things He hath done! So loved He the
Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done, And great our re -
world that He gave us His Son, Who yield - ed His life an a -
joic - ing through Je - sus the Son; But pur - er, and high - er, and
tone - ment for sin, And o - pened the life - gate that all may come in.
great - er will be Our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, Let the earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord, praise the
Lord, Let the peo - ple re - joice! O come to the Fa - ther through
Je - sus the Son, And give Him the glo - ry: great things He hath done!

*BENEDICTION

Dr. Robert T. Baggott

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Voluntary
John Stanley

Walter Prince, trumpet
and Andrew R. Galuska, organ

IN WORSHIP TODAY

DEACON: Melany Crawford

ACOLYTE: Madison Coker

TODAY WE REMEMBER...

Eric Peniston who died on September 24th. A service will be held on November 8th at 11:00 a. m.
in the Sanctuary.

THE FLOWERS TODAY ARE DEDICATED TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND GIVEN...

by Bob Reed in honor of his children, Kendall and Nancy and their families.

Please join us outside Community Hall for refreshments and conversation.

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6TH: The sermon “Seeing Jesus” will be given by Dr. Casey G. Baggott at the 8:30 a.m. Chapel service and at 10:00 a.m. as we worship together in the Sanctuary service. All are welcome.

THANK YOU TO OUR GREETERS: A Big Thank You to Gerry Duhaime, Glade Gracey, the Middleton Family, Guthrie Paca, and Diana Walker for warmly welcoming everyone on Sunday!

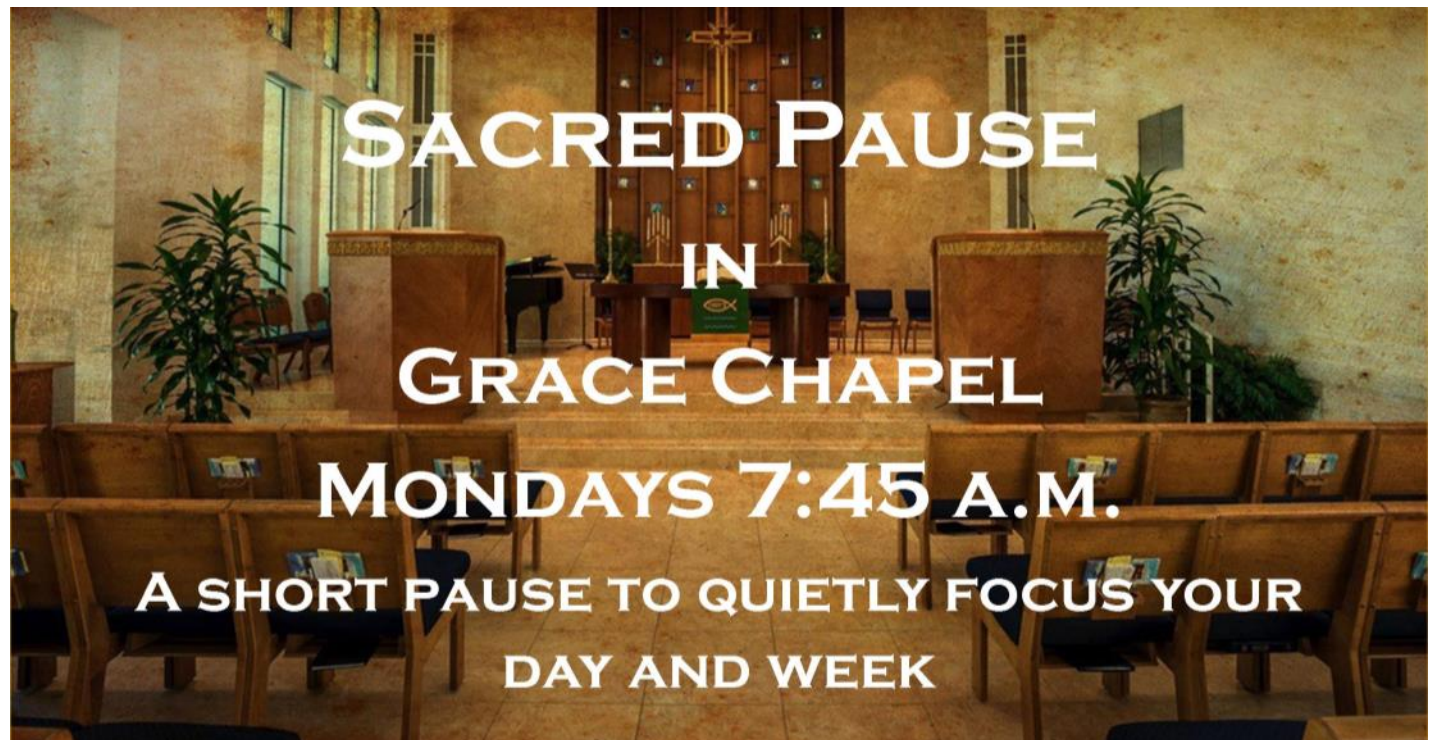
LIFELONG FITNESS CLASSES: Lifelong Fitness classes are held each Monday and Wednesday. Classes are from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. in Commotion. Led by Elaine Matthes, we work on balance, flexibility, strength training, and endurance. All are welcomed.

PERSONAL COUNSELING: Individual or couples counseling for personal anxiety, depression, or relationships, etc. is available at NO cost from Dr. Donald White on Wednesdays. We are fortunate to have this highly qualified professional who is willing to offer his expertise and guidance. Call Suzanne Rice to schedule an appointment at 772.469.2303.

SACRED PAUSE: Please join us on Monday mornings. We will be offering “Sacred Pause” at 7:45 a.m. each week in Grace Chapel. Join us for 15 to 20 minutes of guided meditation to focus your day and week. This will be a weekly opportunity and will be led by different staff and volunteers.

NEW MEMBER CLASS: If you are interested in learning more about our church and want to consider becoming a member, please join us TODAY at 11:05 a.m. in the Garden Room for conversation, coffee, and cookies. For more information you may call Elaine Matthes at 772.469.2309.

WOMEN OF COMMUNITY CHURCH: Women of the church, join us for our fall retreat on Friday, November 15th and Saturday, November 16th. Invite your friends to come along as we focus on “What’s Love Got To Do With It?” We’ll start with a movie Friday night that will lead us into Saturday’s discussion on the importance of responding in love to all that happens in our lives. Love has EVERYTHING to do with it! So come learn how to express love in our church, our community, our nation and our world. Led by Elizabeth Hipp and Elaine Matthes.



ADULT EDUCATION

BIBLE STUDY: Come to learn about sacred texts of our faith, and to let them speak to us in ways that challenge, affirm, comfort, and support us. Participants enjoy learning with and from one another as they gather to discuss this week's lectionary scripture. All are welcome.

- **Women's Bible Study** - Tuesday classes are from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Please note the **NEW TIME** for Tuesday classes. The 11:00 a.m. group is held on Wednesdays. Both classes are led by Elizabeth B. Hipp and meet in Community Hall East.
- **Men's Bible Study** - Classes are held at 7:00 a.m. (donuts and coffee provided) in Community Hall East and is led by Rev. David W. Johnson.
- **Monday evening Bible Study:** Men and women are welcome to join Rev. David W. Johnson in the Garden Room at 7:00 p.m.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRY

NURSERY CARE: We offer nursery care (infants - 3 year olds) during the 10:00 a.m. worship services. Parents are asked to please bring their children to the 2nd floor of our Education Building prior to service. Infants - 23 months meet in Rm. 221, and toddlers (2-3 year olds) meet in Rm. 222.

GODLY PLAY: Two important announcements! First, we have another mini-training session for our Godly Play Program TODAY, September 29th at 11:15 a.m. in Room 206 (The Art Room). Come, learn, and support our wonderful families. Second, you can sign-up to teach Godly Play by going to the following link: <https://bit.ly/2yZM5lq> Questions? Contact Doug Johnson at doug.johnson@ccovb.org or call at 772.469.2323.



GODLY PLAY

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Today, 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
Room 206 (The Art Room)

To sign-up to teach go to:
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ANNOUNCEMENTS...



- **October 3 - Girls' Small Group - Yoga @ 6:30pm in Commotion**
 - **October 5 - #trashtag beach clean-up, meet @ Humiston Park, 10:30am-12:30pm**
 - **October 13 - Costume Pool Party/Cookout at the Robinson's @ 5pm - bring a side dish or dessert to share**
 - **October 27 - Skyzone Trampoline Park (\$25), 12:15pm meet @ church, return @ 4:30pm.**
- RSVP to Elizabeth or Church Office!**


CCOVB October Youth Events

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP: MS Youth Group (6th – 8th grades) meets each Wednesday from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. in Commotion. Pizza and snacks will be available for purchase. All middle school youth are welcome to join us for this fun evening. Feel free to bring a friend! If you have any questions, please contact Doug Johnson at doug.johnson@ccovb.org or Charlene Applegate at charlene.applegate@ccovb.org or call the Church Office at 772.562.3633.

MIDDLE SCHOOL FALL RETREAT SCHEDULE: This year our middle school youth are attending a retreat at Teen Missions Retreat and Conference Center, Merritt Island, Florida. Registration forms are currently available through the Church Office. The cost is \$150.00 per child and due by Friday, October 4th. The group will meet at Community Church on Friday, October 11th at 4:30 p.m. and return Sunday, October 13th at 11:30 a.m.. If you would like to register your child, feel free to contact Charlene Applegate at charlene.applegate@ccovb.org or call 772.469.2322.

MISSION MINISTRY

MISSION WATCH: SNEAKER EXCHANGE Help kids in Indian River County get the shoes they need to participate in school activities. The Education Foundation takes care of all the logistics, we just help kids find a pair of shoes they like. Sign up or find out more at the mission table in the courtyard after worship.



Community Ringers

REHEARSALS BEGIN
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15
5:00 P.M.
IN THE CHOIR ROOM
ALL ARE WELCOME!

RACHEL.CARTER@CCOVB.ORG
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ANNOUNCEMENTS...

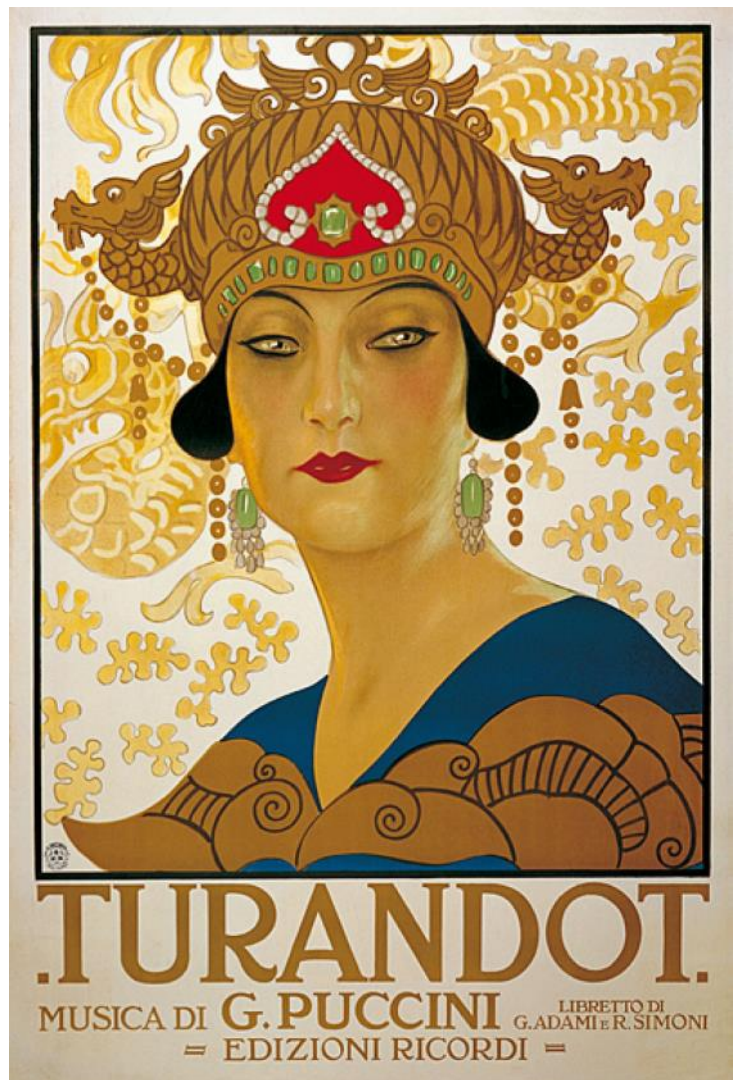
A graphic for 'Bachtober' featuring a portrait of J.S. Bach wearing sunglasses on the left. The word 'Bachtober' is written in a large, stylized, white font across the top. Below it, the text reads: 'The music of J.S. Bach will be featured in our Chapel and Sanctuary services Sundays in October. Bachtober begins 10.6.2019!' The background is a warm, orange-red gradient with musical notes and a staff.

MUSIC AND FINE ARTS

CHANCEL CHOIR: Calling all singers! No audition is required. All voice types and levels of musical experience are welcomed and encouraged! Choir rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. For more information, please contact Andrew Galuska at andrew.galuska@ccovb.org or by telephone at 772.469.2306.

COMMUNITY CHURCH GOES TO THE OPERA: Join us on Tuesday, October 15th at 4:00 p.m. at the Majestic Theater here in Vero Beach as we see Puccini's last opera, "Turandot". This is a production from the Metropolitan Opera in NYC and features powerhouse soprano Christine Goerke, tenor Roberts Aronica, and some of the Met's greatest singers. Tickets are \$27. Please call the Church Office at 772.562.3633 to reserve your spot for a night of music, fun, and dinner after the opera at Carrabba's Italian Grill with Community Church's Director of Music and Fine Arts, Andrew Galuska.

COMMUNITY RINGERS: Want to be part of the music ministry but singing "isn't your thing"? Try ringing! Community Ringers, our handbell choir, begins Tuesday, October 15th at 5:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. All are welcome. No experience necessary. For more information contact Rachel Carter by phone 772.469.2310 or email rachel.carter@ccovb.org.

A poster for the opera 'Turandot'. It features a stylized illustration of a woman with a large, ornate, golden crown and a blue dress. The background is filled with intricate, golden, floral patterns. Below the illustration, the text reads: 'TURANDOT. MUSICA DI G. PUCCINI LIBRETTO DI G. ADAMI E R. SIMONI = EDIZIONI RICORDI ='.

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