



The Beacon
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Scripture Memorization,
Colossians 3:2

2 Set your minds on what is above, not on what is on the earth.

MISSIONARY MOMENTS



Faces to Remember

Marsha Skidmore, a member of The Tommy Coomes Band, has packed shoebox gifts for many years with her children and family.

“It’s such a joy to pray over the box and to know you’re praying over a specific child who will receive it,” she said.

This week was special for Skidmore because she met that specific child when she hand-delivered a box packed by her family to a 6-year-old girl sitting near the front of the stage. Eh came to the orphanage when she was about two years old because her mother is so poor.

Eh carefully looked through the items in her box, being sure to gently put each one back in its place. She was quiet and a little shy until she showed Skidmore her favorite gifts: stickers, a stuffed animal, and a jump rope. Eh plays jump rope at the orphanage but she’s never had one of her own.

“Today is a marker in my life,” Skidmore said. “These moments will go down as my fondest memories of anything I’ve ever gotten to do in my life.”

**November’s Deacon
 of the Month**

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Joshua & Angela

SUNDAY SERVICES

Nov 27, 2016

8:00 am and 10:00 am

Sermon:

“How to Celebrate Thanksgiving”

Psalm 100:1-5

Adult Sunday School 9:00 am

Children’s Sunday School 10:00 am

Nursery available for children 3 1/2 and under

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Bible Study and Prayer Meeting
 at 7 pm

**Your generous giving helps supports these ministries,
 selected by The Island Chapel Outreach Committee:**

Ministry	2016/17 Monthly Amount
LOCAL	
Suncoast Association	\$ 1,035
Manna on Wheels/Lighthouse Ministries	\$ 250
The Next STEPP Pregnancy Center	\$ 250
Florida Baptist Children’s Home	\$ 250
D & D Missionary Homes	\$ 225
InterVarsity Christian Ministries	\$ 100
S.T.A.A.R. (Human Trafficking Rescue)	\$ 100
NATIONAL	
Military Ministry/Campus Crusade	\$ 225
Jesus Project Ministries	\$ 100
New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary	\$ 1,000
INTERNATIONAL	
FL Baptist Convention Cooperative Program	\$ 2,368
North India Christian Ministries	\$ 125
Rafiki Foundation	\$ 125
New Hope Ministries (Haiti Orphanage)	\$ 100

Schedule of Events

This Week		
Nov 27	Church Decorating	noon
Nov 30	No Wednesday Evening Service	
Dec 1	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
Dec 3	Christmas Tree Lighting & Family Fun Day Downtown Tierra Verde	7 pm
Coming up...		
Dec 5	Ladies' Prayer Breakfast Skyway Diner 4000 34 th Street South	8 am
Dec 6	Men's Prayer Breakfast IHOP 4199 34 th Street South	8 am
Dec 8	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm
Dec 10	Grace and Glory Ladies Brunch	10 am
Dec 15	Thursday Bible Study Call 251.490.1350 for directions	7 pm

Announcements

Prayer Breakfasts

Ladies' Prayer Breakfasts

1st and 3rd Monday of every month – 8:00 AM

Skyway Diner

4000 34th Street South, St. Petersburg, FL

Men's Prayer Breakfasts

1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month – 8:00 AM

International House of Pancakes

4199 34th St. South, St. Petersburg, FL

Come join the fun and help



November 27th
after the 10 am Service

Tierra Verde's
6th Annual
Christmas Tree Lighting &
Family Fun Day!

Saturday, December 3rd
4:00 - 7:00 pm
Downtown Tierra Verde

- Snow Sledding
- Face Painting
- Pet Parade
- Live Music
- Visit from Santa

Please bring an unwrapped gift for the Lealman Fire District's Annual Christmas Toy Drive for needy kids

GRACE AND GLORY

Ladies Christmas Brunch
Saturday December 10th
More details to come!