



Flagler Churches



Father Al Esposito led everyone in prayer to begin the evening.



The congregation joined in the worship too!



Church On The Rock pastors Bruce and Marlene Laurent (above) read excerpts from John 17 and offered commentary and prayer. They then introduced the Church On The Rock Choir (below).



Tenor Jamison Walker represented The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Together in Prayer and Song



Above, Santa Maria del Mar's Adult Choir performed two inspiring pieces. Right, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton's Choir had the congregation singing and clapping.



First United Methodist Church of Bunnell, right, performed two beautiful songs. They were joined by Rev. Beth Gardener, Pastor (front row, far left).



See more photos on the next page!

A Note of Thanks

What an incredible evening Saturday! I was (and truly still am) so filled with joy seeing so many faith groups coming together, sharing in an evening celebrating the love of God. The singing and music were incredible and the inspirational words spoken by the represented churches were moving — all speaking about coming together as one, sharing in our similarities, not our differences.



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The total donations from the love offering was \$1,157.25!

Flagler Habitat for Humanity can't thank Santa Maria Del Mar enough for creating this wonderful evening of prayer and song and encouraging so many to come together. Your work in creating this event does not go unrecognized. THANK YOU!

Blessings,

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Preparing for the 2011 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

A Flagler County-wide interdenominational committee is being formed to prepare for the 2011 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, to be observed worldwide by all Christian Churches Jan. 18-25, 2011.

For more information, and to see the full program from this June 5 event, go to:
www.flagler-churches-together.info



Santa Maria del Mar's Life Teen Band got the crowd singing and clapping in praise of God.

Prayer for Christian Unity

**Eternal Father, we praise you for sending
your Son to be one of us and save us.
Look upon your people with mercy
for we are divided in so many ways,
and give us the Spirit of Jesus
to make us one in love.
We ask this gift, loving Father,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**



Pastor Robert Hayes (left) from the Seventh-Day Adventist Church read Ephesians 4:4-6 and offered his thoughts and prayers before introducing the churches Mass Choir and Youth Ensemble (above).



As the evening drew to a close, the congregation joined in a giant circle around the perimeter of the church. Then everyone joined in saying the prayer that Jesus taught us, *Our Father, who art in heaven ...*



Members of the clergy present for the evening joined together for a group photo.