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SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES

Sunday Study Classes
8:45 a.m.

Worship—10 a.m.

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Monday - Thursday
8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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University of Kentucky

The University of Kentucky Christian Fellowship Youth Group (expecting 150) are coming to Laguna Beach Christian Retreat to have a time for small groups and Bible studies. This is their 3rd year coming to Panama City Beach.

On Wednesday, March 19 we are welcoming the group by serving dinner to them at 5 p.m. After dinner we will all be moving to the Sanctuary to hear some of their testimonies, a time for singing led by Doug White and guest speakers JL & Rachelle Dunahee from Salty Farm Ministries. Everyone is invited to join us in the Sanctuary (approximately 6 p.m.).

Here is where you can help in our Church: welcoming the group as you volunteer to prepare the dinner; serve the dinner; make desserts; and clean up. There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up before March 16.

From Jack Kennedy (Gulfview member): When I first met these Fellowship of Christian Students (FCS) from the University of Kentucky in our Church in March of 2024, I was impressed with their manners and attitude towards life. They were having fun.

Later that week, our Church prepared dinner for the FCS Group. Brad Bugg (from Kentucky) and I (a Kentucky Colonel) waited on a table of young men. We had a blast entertaining and getting to know them. So much so that we invited that table to our Thursday Morning Men's Prayer Breakfast. Brad and I laughed and figured they would rather be on the beach instead of breaking bread with a bunch of old men at Church discussing the Bible. Come Thursday morning, that table of young men not only showed up but participated in our discussion.

What really touched my heart was to hear the confessions after the dinner and how God was leading their lives. The strong faith in Christ was evident in each one of them. Also, what a pleasure to see the younger generation have this kind of love and faith in God and family. It gives me hope for the future of our great country.

Here is picture of me leading a Big Blue Kentucky Cheer. You need to meet these young folks. They will be here in March of this year.



My Favorite Bible Verse

For I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me.'

"Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You, or thirsty and give You drink? When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You? Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?' And the King will answer and say to them, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.' Matthew 25:35-40 NKJV

Chris Helms favorite bible verse 40: *And the King will answer and say to them, 'assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these My brethren, you did it to Me.'*

Why: To care for the sick, feed the hungry, clothe the naked, provide shelter for the needy, and visit those in prison seems to me to be part of God's will for us.

Unlike many parables with a hidden message, this Jesus teaching is pretty straight forward.

It coincides with Philippians 2:3-4 and Pastor Brad's/Gulfview's philosophy of helping our fellow man in our community.

Do you have a favorite Bible verse and would like to share with others what it is and why it is so special to you? Send your verse(s) and a short reason why to the Church Office to be added to the monthly newsletter.



Mark your calendar for Monday, March 24 at 6 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Juddy Stephenson will be bringing several participants from The Ark to share their faith stories with us.

The Ark is located on Panama City Beach's iconic Front Beach Rd. right across the street from the gorgeous white sandy beach and emerald green Gulf water. It is the area's transitional housing location, focused on helping our local community first and has been in Panama City Beach for more than 40 years.

Noah's Ark, now The Ark, was originally formed as a retreat center for The Alabama West Florida Conference of the United Methodist Church. Today, the facilities and programing are designed to meet new needs in our community.

In 2012, the Ark developed two new ministry directives: The Pour Coffee Shop and International Student Housing. In 2017, the Transitional Housing Program, and in 2020 The Ark Church opened its doors.

Thousands of people have been positively impacted by the ministry of The Ark over the years, and we look forward to continuing this legacy by providing new connections to our community. There are several from Gulfview UMC who are active in mentoring participants at The Ark. Please come hear the faith stories of men and women being positively impacted by The Ark.

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This is how you have helped in the month of February . . .

- ✦ 6 cell phones with service cards.
- ✦ Bayway trolley passes.
- ✦ 3 Electric bikes given.
- ✦ Bus ride to Shreveport, LA for young couple who tried to make it in PCB to no avail so needed transportation to go back towards family.
- ✦ Clothes for several women (one who had unforeseen circumstances where she left her living arrangements with no possessions).
- ✦ Bought two pairs of blue jeans for man for job.
- ✦ Several nights hotel stay until admitted to The Ark.
- ✦ Check given to Christie to help purchase vehicle after her car engine died.
- ✦ Food for pantry/blessing bags.
- ✦ Check to Salty Farm Ministry for mobile shower/food truck.



Philippians 2:3-4: Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

God's Closet

- Washing machine given to a mom with 4 children.
- An evicted woman with 3 children had furniture moved and stored in God's Closet storage unit.
- A recliner and twin mattress was given to a single woman getting on her feet who only had a table/chairs.
- A mom with 2 children was given bedroom furniture with mattresses.
- Furniture given to a couple with 4 children.
- Picked up furniture from storage facility that a Church attendee donated.
- Moved Church attendee's storage contents to apartment.
- Delivered 2 trailer loads of furniture to woman with 5 children.

The Ark tenants have been helping with labor and given stipends to help them also.



Our Congregational Care Committee who makes lunches for our homebounds once a month. Pictured from left: Carol, Sue, Sam and Dove.



United Women in Faith

We thank everyone who participated in our "Souper Bowl" collection for Gulfview's food pantry, West Bay Elementary and the Gulf Beach "Pink" Presbyterian Church. We collected a total of **330** cans that were divided between the three places.



During our March 10 meeting, we will be having our day of Prayer and Self-Denial, which will be presented by Patsy Jeffcoat. This is done by all the United Women in Faith chapters throughout the world. All women of the Church are invited to participate.

Our United Women in Faith will take a field trip to Moss Hill, Vernon, FL on March 29 to remember those UWF women in the Panhandle District who passed away in 2024. We will meet in the Church parking lot at 8 a.m. Bring a covered dish to share.



Sherri and Jill weaving plastic grocery bags loops to make sleeping mats for our friends on the street!



Dates . . . August 13 - 16. Cost \$225 per person. \$100 deposit due by April 1. Location to be determined or Camellia Palms in Florida, Alabama.

Deposit money can be given to Kathi Hall or Kris in the Church Office. We will need to have minimum of 10 women to confirm our reservation.

In memory of Tari Sale. On Feb. 2, the ladies wore Tari's hats.



MARCH 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		Please note that Salty Farm Ministries time will change to 6 p.m. beginning on March 11.				1 10:30a Celebration of Life Pete Schofield Gulfview Sanctuary
2 8:45a Sunday Study Classes 10a Worship Service HOLY COMMUNION 11a Refreshments	3 1p Seaside Stitchers Room 200	4 10a Stephen Ministry Rm 101 5p Salty Farm Meal Distribution Our Pavilion 5:30p Choir Pract.	5 	6 8:30a Men's Breakfast, Prayer, Bible Study F.H. 9a Women CBS Room 101	7 Church Office Closed	8 8a - 4p Kairos Reserved Fellowship Hall/Rms 101 & 102 CHANGE CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR BEFORE BED
9 8:45a Sunday Study Classes 10a Worship Service 11a Refreshments	10 1p UWF Meeting Fellowship Hall	11 10a Stephen Ministry Rm 101 6p Salty Farm Meal Distribution Our Pavilion 5:30p Choir Pract.	12	13 8:30a Men's Breakfast, Prayer, Bible Study F.H. 9a Women CBS Room 101	14 Church Office Closed	15 6:45a Community Breakfast First UMC, PC
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23 8:45a Sunday Study Classes 10a Worship Service 11a Refreshments	24 1p Seaside Stitchers Room 200 6p UMM Dinner/Meeting Fellowship Hall	25 10a Stephen Ministry Rm 101 6p Salty Farm Meal Distribution Our Pavilion 5:30p Choir Pract.	26	27 8:30a Men's Breakfast, Prayer, Bible Study F.H. NO Women CBS	28 Church Office Closed	29 8a UWF Moss Hill Vernon, FL
30 8:45a Sunday Study Classes 10a Worship Service 11a Refreshments	31 1p Seaside Stitchers Room 200					

BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Wendy Newman**
- 4 Dianne Flowers**
- 16 Dawn Nowack**
- 19 Pastor Brad Zimanek**
- 20 Jennifer Williams**
- 21 Marcia Small**
- 22 Jill Zimanek**
- 26 Don Hardy**



Daylight Saving Time begins March 9 at 2 a.m.
Turn clocks ahead 1 hour before bed Sat., March 8.



Cash Flow Summary — Jan. 2025	
IN	\$40,218.08
OUT	\$19,073.46

ANNIVERSARY

- 5 Ted and Ginger Turnbough**

Ephesians 5:15–16: Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, making the best use of the time, because the days are evil.

Summary — Year End	
IN	\$40,218.08
OUT	\$19,073.46