



Gulfview Church



Physical Address
245 Wisteria Lane
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The Breeze

MARCH 2026

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
for small groups and Bible studies. This is their fourth year coming to Panama City Beach.

The University of Kentucky Christian Fellowship Youth Group (expecting 175) are coming to Laguna Beach Christian Retreat to have a time

On Wednesday, March 18, we will welcome 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 Paul Brown, along with guest speakers. 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 serving them dinner; make desserts; setting up and cleaning up. There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall. Please sign up before March 15.

What is University of Kentucky Christian Fellowship Youth Group?

At the University of Kentucky, there is a non-denominational campus ministry. There are over 400 students that participate in this ministry. They have a 40,000 sq. ft. building on campus where students can gather. However, many of the students who belong to this ministry can be found around the campus sharing their faith and the word of God with others.

Three years ago, Brad Bugg and I met some of these students during Spring Break when they attended our church-held fellowship dinner. Since Brad is from Henderson, Kentucky and a University of Kentucky alumni and both he and I are Kentucky Colonels, we were drawn to the camaraderie of these students.



Jack Kennedy and Brad Bugg with some youth.

It was during this occasion that I met Conner Cissel, one of these students, at the fellowship dinner. I invited him and several of his friends to our Thursday morning Men's Prayer Breakfast. Twelve of them showed up!

This group of wonderful young adults will be visiting our church again on Wednesday, March 18. There will be a fellowship dinner before going into the Sanctuary for inspiring and uplifting testimonials and singing. If you have not attended before, it is a moving experience to be surrounded by a hundred plus young adults raising their voices in song to God. Listening to these young adults' testimonies as they travel their road to faith will give you a reassuring feeling for the future of our country.

So come join us March 18 in the Sanctuary after dinner and meet some terrific young adults from the University of Kentucky's Christian Student Fellowship and hear their messages.

Written by Jack Kennedy



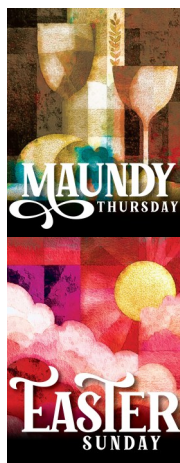
Palm Sunday ~ March 29 ~ 10 a.m. Worship Service

Gulfview's First Palm Sunday - Gospel Homecoming

Palm Sunday will feature the Chancel Choir singing and praising to your Gospel down home favorites. Enjoy the scriptures of Palm Sunday, read by congregation members, with Gospel Songs of Praise. WAVE your Palm Branches as we celebrate the King of Kings and Lord of Lords with an outdoor Worship Service in our pavilion (weather permitting)!

We thank guest drummer, Tim Dutrow, from the Destin-Fort Walton area, Sharon MacDonald, bass guitar and John MacDonald, banjo.

The choir is currently searching for an acoustic guitar player to join us for this Celebratory Service! Please contact Paul Brown, Music Director, if you are interested in joining us for this special service.



Maundy Thursday Service
Thursday, April 2
6 p.m.

Easter Sunrise Service
April 5 @ 6:30 a.m.

Easter Sunday Service
10 a.m.

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.
Ephesians 4:32 ESV

Welcome to our family Gulfview's New Members

Carol Davis
Feb. 1, 2026
New Member



Gary and Margaret Congdon
Feb. 8, 2026
New Members

Beckie Campbell
Feb. 15, 2026
New Member



UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

Our thanks and gratitude to everyone that contributed to our "Souper Bowl" with cans of soup. We collected 380 cans which were distributed to Gulf Beach Presbyterian Church and our own food pantry. West Bay Elementary let us know they didn't need any at this time as they have a stocked food pantry.



We will help support the dinner for the University of Kentucky students on March 18.

~ Submitted by Kathy Hardy, UWF President



Mark your calendar for March 23, at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for our monthly men's dinner.

Coach Brian Hodge will be our guest speaker and you will not want to miss his faith story. It starts in his early childhood with tragic circumstances, coming closer to God during his recovery from cancer, and still overcoming obstacles today. Brian is the founder of "Meet Them Where They're At" and leads a group called M.O.V.E.R.S. (Men of Vision, Exemplifying Respect and Success). Bring a friend with you. He is part of our men's group and Jubilee Sunday School class.



~ Submitted by Lane Rees

Church Council Meeting Summary

Our Church Council met on Feb. 9, 2026. Here is a summary of what was discussed and voted on.

- ▶ Finance Chair Jack Kennedy reported income for January was \$45,545 and expenses were only \$22,933 to begin the year on a very positive note! Thanks to our generous congregation!
- ▶ Membership Chair Sheila Rucks reported we welcomed six new members to total 132.
- ▶ Trustee Chair Steve Berkebille noted that this year they would concentrate on maintenance and no capital improvements were scheduled.
- ▶ Christian Education Chair Jill Zimanek announced the updated "Holy Land Tour" series would commence Feb. 18 and end April 8. Classes will be held Wednesdays at 10 a.m.
- ▶ Congregational Care Chair Sam Blount requested anyone needing assistance with meals or transportation for medical emergencies, please contact her or Kris in the Church office.
- ▶ Stephen Ministry Chair Reese Chapman requested that the "GriefShare" series be added to their portfolio.
- ▶ The Council voted to continue to participate in Operation Christmas Child, but to remove Gulfview as a Drop-off location.
- ▶ The Council voted to hold the Palm Sunday service in the Pavilion with a picnic lunch to follow.
- ▶ The Council also voted to proceed with converting to the "One Board" administrative structure.

The next meeting will be 4 p.m. on March 23, 2026.

~ Council Chair Jo Ann Stone



Special thanks to the sharp-dressed, bow-tied men of the church who served everyone at the Greek Valentine's Dinner! A full Fellowship Hall and a delicious 5-course meal prepared by Judy Stephenson happened on Wednesday, Feb. 11.



