



Gulfview Methodist Church

Physical Address
245 Wisteria Lane
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THE BREEZE

July 2026

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Sunday Study Classes
8:45 a.m.

Worship—10 a.m.
Pastor: Rev. Brad
Zimanek

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

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Gulfview's Annual Picnic



Many gathered at our Pavilion for hamburgers and hotdogs with lots of sides and desserts on Wednesday, June 17. It followed a Memorial Service for Sandie Fifer who loved our monthly dinners.



Curtis Nowack, son of Michael and Dawn Nowack, received an E-bike so he has transportation to and from his job. Thank you to all who give to our P234 Ministry.

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.

Welcome to our Family



Jake & Melissa Folger
& Mimi
New Members
May 31, 2026



The Hands of Jesus at Work

Four of Gulfview's men - Tony Fifer, Chris Helms, Richard Wright and Dan Zartman responded to Kelly who called the church in need of a ramp for his wife, Sandi, who suffered a stroke. They joined men from four churches who build ramps for those in need. Another P234 God moment. Response from Kelly: *I was able to get Sandi out of the house on Sunday for the first time since her stroke. She planned a trip on Monday as well. The ramp is perfect. Y'all really don't know how much this means. God bless you guys.*

In loving memory of two women who went home to be with the Lord



Sandie Fifer
June 4, 2026

Sandie was born in Ainsworth, Nebraska. A rural town of 1,600 in the scenic Sandhills region of north-central Nebraska. She graduated from Syracuse (Nebraska) High School, 25 miles southeast of Lincoln.

She took bookkeeping classes in Lincoln after high school and married Don in January 1962. They were married for 58 years. Sandie worked as a bookkeeper for Cooper theaters, a county nursing home and the family's DST Trucking business. Sandie was also one of the most successful car salesmen in Lincoln with a motto "clean it and sell it."

Sandie was a member of Gulfview Methodist Church in Panama City Beach, FL since 2022.

Memorial contributions can be made to Salty Farm Ministries or Gulfview's P234 Ministry.



Brenda Ameter
June 9, 2026

After beginning her career as a high school teacher and later earning her Ph.D. to become a university professor, Brenda dedicated her life to education. One of the proudest achievements of her career was receiving a Fulbright Scholarship, which offered her the opportunity to spend a semester teaching American Literature in St. Petersburg, Russia.

Brenda had a passion for adventure and surrounding herself with beauty, including through her travels around the country and living on her beloved sailboat, Summer School, in Baltimore, Maryland. In 2013 she moved to a beachfront condo in Panama City Beach Florida, where she could continue to be close to the ocean.

She leaves behind her husband, Malcolm Ameter, of 63 years of marriage and son, Chris.

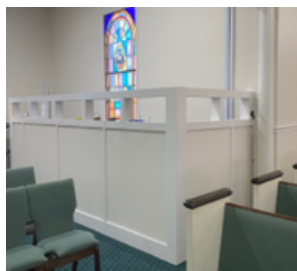
Brenda was a member of the Gulfview Methodist Church in Panama City Beach, FL since 2015.

Memorial contributions in memory of Brenda can be made to Troy University at 301 Adams, Administration Building, Troy, AL 36082. Online condolences can be sent to the family at www.cunninghamfuneralhomes.com.

America's 250th Anniversary History Quiz

1. In what year was the United States Declaration of Independence adopted, marking the birth of the nation?
A) 1773 B) 1776 C) 1783 D) 1787
2. Which city served as the location for the signing of the Declaration of Independence?
A) New York City B) Boston C) Washington, D.C. D) Philadelphia
3. Who was the primary author of the Declaration of Independence?
A) George Washington B) Benjamin Franklin C) Thomas Jefferson D) John Adams
4. How many original American colonies broke away from Great Britain to form the United States?
A) 10 B) 13 C) 15 D) 50
5. Who was the first person to sign the Declaration of Independence, famous for his large and bold signature?
A) John Hancock B) John Madison C) Samuel Adams D) Alexander Hamilton
6. What was the name of the first official constitution of the United States, which was later replaced by the current U.S. Constitution?
A) The Bill of Rights B) The Emancipation Proclamation C) The Articles of Confederation D) The Magna Carta
7. Which major territory purchase in 1803 nearly doubled the size of the United States?
A) The Alaska Purchase B) The Florida Purchase C) The Oregon Territory D) The Louisiana Purchase
8. Who is widely recognized as the "Father of the U.S. Constitution" for his pivotal role in drafting it?
A) James Madison B) Abraham Lincoln C) Patrick Henry D) John Jay
9. Which official national symbol of the United States features 50 stars and 13 stripes?
A) The Great Seal B) The American Flag C) The Liberty Bell D) The Bald Eagle
10. The 250th anniversary of America is linguistically known by which specific term?
A) Bicentennial B) Centennial C) Semiquincentennial D) Tricentennial

Quiz answers on back page



Do you have computer skills, experience working sound or video production? Gulfview needs volunteers to work in the sound booth. If you can click a computer mouse, you can do the slides. If you have skills at framing visuals for online worship, we can teach you the system to do video production. If you can listen to check for volume levels to balance vocals and music, we can teach you our sound board. Contact the church office or speak to Don Hardy or anyone in the booth if you are interested in working one or two Sundays a month to help out!



At our June meeting, we had the pleasure of having Laurie Combs from Doorways of Northwest Florida, which is a homeless coalition in Panama City. She spoke about how the organization works in Bay County. When I mentioned God's Closet, she asked if they could be considered as they are always needing furniture for those that get placement. She explained that homelessness generally falls into two categories: people who are unhoused because of economic or environmental circumstances and those experiencing mental health challenges. Our Women of Grace presented Laurie with a \$250 check.

We want to thank everyone that donated to the Father's Day Honor/Memory roll. All of the proceeds will be going to the Bethlehem Family Camp in Bonifay.

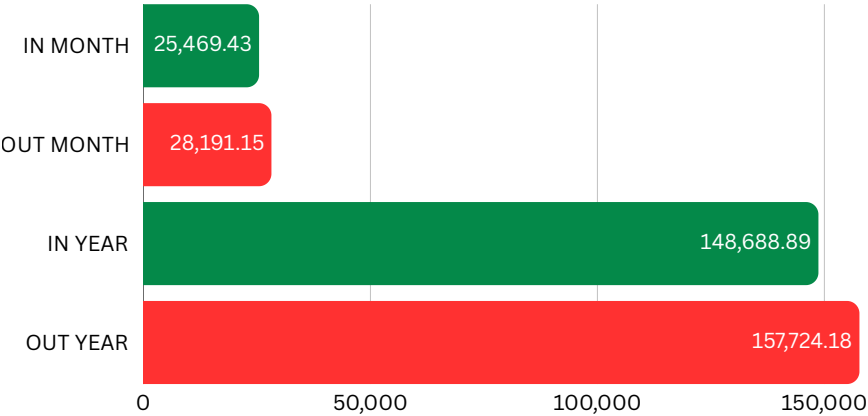
Our July meeting on July 13, will be a field trip to Humble House. If anyone would like to join us, please contact me for details.



~ Submitted by Kathy Hardy, GWG President

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 8:30a Men's Breakfast, Prayer, Bible Study-F.H. 9a Ladies' Bible Study "Group Hug" Room 101 10:30a Prayer in Sanctuary	3 Office Closed	4
5 8:45a Sunday Study Classes 10a Worship Service HOLY COMMUNION  11a Refreshments in Fellowship Hall	6 1p Seaside Stitches Room 200 6p Zimanek's Small Group Mtg.	7 10a Berkebile's Small Group Mtg. 6p Salty Farm Meal Distribution-Pavilion	8 6p Hardy's Small Group Mtg.	9 8:30a Men's Breakfast, Prayer, Bible Study-F.H. 9a Ladies' Bible Study "Group Hug" Room 101 10:30a Prayer in Sanctuary	10 Office Closed	11
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MAY 2026 FINANCE REPORT
Cash Flow End of Month and Year



2 Corinthians 9:7

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

Answer Key

- 1. B) 1776 – The Continental Congress officially adopted the document on July 4, 1776.
- 2. D) Philadelphia – It was signed at the Pennsylvania State House, now famously known as Independence Hall.
- 3. C) Thomas Jefferson – Jefferson drafted the document as part of a Committee of Five.
- 4. B) 13 – The original 13 colonies declared themselves independent states.
- 5. A) John Hancock – His prominent signature became synonymous with signing one's name.
- 6. C) The Articles of Confederation – Ratified in 1781, they served as the first governing framework until the Constitution.
- 7. D) The Louisiana Purchase – Bought from France for \$15 million, it added 828,000 square miles.
- 8. A) James Madison – Madison spearheaded the constitutional framework and authored many Federalist Papers.
- 9. B) The American Flag – The stripes represent the original 13 colonies, and the stars represent the 50 current states.
- 10. C) Semiquincentennial – "Semi-" (half) + "quincentennial" (500 years) represents the 250-year milestone.