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# Connection

## Community Connection

OCTOBER 2020

Over the past month we have been talking about what it means to be a healthy church. We have been focusing in on what we learn from the Great Commandment in Matthew 22 and the Great Commission in Matthew 28. These passages give us our "purposes" for our church as we seek to be healthy. These are our five purposes: worshiping, connecting, growing, reaching, and serving. We have created this graphic with the beautiful stained-glass background to illustrate our five purposes. Notice that everything revolves around the purpose of worship. Worship is the center of everything that we do. To state it simply, worship is giving God the first place in your life.

The other four purposes are just as important as worship. Last month we learned the importance of connecting to a community. They connection happens not just on Sunday morning. There are other opportunities as well: small groups, ministry groups, etc. The rest of the month we'll be looking at the purposes of growing, reaching, and serving. As we do we'll learn how to live out these purposes in our everyday lives as well as in the life of the church.

Reflecting on the Great Commandment and the Great Commission together we'll realize how important it is to have a clear purpose and vision for what God is doing in the life of our church and the community in general. Please commit to praying for our church and each other as we begin to live out these purposes in our lives!



Our livestream broadcast will be moving from the Livestream application to our new church website and app. You can download the church app at [app.srbcc.com](http://app.srbcc.com) or you can watch us live at [live.srbcc.com](http://live.srbcc.com) this coming Sunday. We hope this will improve our streaming capability and make it easier for you to join us. You can also watch on our Facebook Page or Youtube Channel as well. If you run into any problems, please contact us at [info@srbcc.com](mailto:info@srbcc.com) or call the church office 850-267-2599.

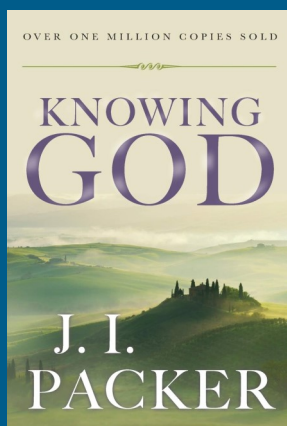


The Men's Sunday School Class meets upstairs in Room 206 and they are studying A book of the bible.

The Ladies' Sunday School Class meets upstairs in Room 208 and they are studying 1 Kings 1 to 11, Proverbs, and Ecclesiastes.

Pastor Steve's new study is "Knowing God" by J. I. Packer. He is teaching this on Sundays @ 8:45am and Wednesdays @ 11:45am, all are welcome to join. Pastor Steve hopes to see you there. Note: Pastor Steve's Sunday morning study is available on Zoom.

Visit [zoom.srbcc.com](http://zoom.srbcc.com)



Please "Like" our "Community Church of Santa Rosa Beach" Facebook page to stay up to date on info and future events.



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[give.srbcc.com](http://give.srbcc.com)

# Community Church Women

A safe and socially distanced meeting will be held for ALL women of the church on Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall

Please bring your own lunch and a drink. We will have a short business meeting and then some fun activities to laugh and celebrate being together.

This is a great chance to enjoy the wonderful friendships we have and to start and strengthen new ones.

Your CCW Officers

Gayle Lockwood, Gerry Rector, Deanna Wolverton, and Jan Rundquist

**FINANCE COMMITTEE AND CHURCH BOARD WILL MEET  
MONDAY, October 26th, AT 1:15 AND 2PM RESPECTIVELY.  
All are welcome to attend these meetings.**



## COMMUNITY UKESTERS (UKULELE GROUP)

This ukulele group is primarily made up of 3rd through 8th graders. Students are taught how to play the ukulele and are expected to practice weekly and perform monthly for Somerby Memory Care. The group classes meet upstairs on Tuesdays 3:30-4:15pm at Community Church during the regular school year. Parental support is also expected for crowd control (rotational) and for transportation to performances. Class sizes are limited and open on a first come, first served basis.

## COMMUNITY UKES (UKULELE GROUP)

This ukulele group is open to all adults (no matter what age). Students are taught how to play the ukulele and are expected to practice weekly and perform monthly for Brookdale Senior Living and Memory Care. The group classes meet upstairs at Community Church every other Thursday from 10-11am, beginning October 1<sup>st</sup> (meeting every two weeks).

**\*\*\*NOTE TO BEGINNING PLAYERS: We are not taking any new/beginning students in the either of the groups until January 2021, so if you are interested in joining, please contact Pastor Scooter at 850-267-2599 or email him at [assocpastor@srbcc.com](mailto:assocpastor@srbcc.com) to get on the waiting list.**





LEARNING  
THROUGH LOSS  
hope | healing | community

*Rejoice with those who rejoice and mourn with those who mourn. Romans 12:15*

*Because of what God has done for us we can embrace others in His love when they need it most. It is the mission of Learning Through Loss to provide support and love in times of loss.*

*We have so missed weekly meetings during Covid.*

*We realize there are still risks but we will do what we can to reduce them and meet our members needs for supportive discussions.*

*We will meet in the chapel on Friday October 3 at 2:00 pm. Dr. CC Whittinghill and Robin Tharpe will lead and facilitate. We will enter through the chapel door. Please wear a mask and we will practice social distancing.*

*Everyone desiring faith-based, grief support in a group session is invited to attend. If you have questions or suggestions please contact the church office or Gerry Rector (678-925-2017)*



COMMUNITY CHURCH

PRESCHOOL

SANTA ROSA BEACH, FLORIDA

*The fall season has arrived with many special activities for the SRBCC Preschool! We will have a visit from our local fire department this month on October 15 at 9:30am. The children will be learning about fire safety and will have an opportunity to see the fire engine! At the end of the month, on October 29 at 9:15am, we will have our Fall Parade. The parade will be in the parking lot by the playground. Make sure you bring your cameras! Also, the teachers will be completing parent/teacher conferences this month. Thanks for all your support and prayers!*

# Celebrating Pastor Scooter

On the week of Labor Day, Pastor Scooter and Amy traveled to Lynchburg, Virginia with Scooter's parents to celebrate his graduation from Liberty University



School of Music's Doctor of Worship Studies program. The original graduation was scheduled for May, then postponed to September. It wasn't until late August that Pastor Scooter received word that the graduation was cancelled. He decided to redeem the opportunity to snap a picture with his graduation regalia with his family at the school of music and worship.



He was also able to catch up with some dear friends, Carlton and Jean Bell, who so graciously hosted the family at their home in Chesapeake, VA. Scooter also connected with his friends, Colonel Chris Batterton and his wife, Stacey. Scooter was deployed to the Middle East with Chris back in 2008-2009, and it was a meaningful time to celebrate this accomplishment because Chris was a huge part of Scooter's return to music ministry. Scooter also met with several of his colleagues on staff at Liberty and have dinner with a fellow classmate. Although it was a compressed visit, Scooter had a wonderful time with his mom, dad, and wife, Amy. Traveling more than 2,400 miles in one week, they all made some lasting memories together and will look forward to what the Lord has in



store for the years ahead.



Come To  
Worship

**October 4th**

**Communion Sunday**

**Romans 8:29**  
**Ephesians 4:15**  
**"Created to Be Like Christ"**  
**(Discipleship/ Growing)**

**October 25th**

**Deuteronomy 11:2**

**Colossians 1:16**

**Proverbs 16:4**

**"What We Have Learned"**

**October 11th**

**Ephesians 2:10,**

**Job 10:8**

**1 Peter 4:10**

**"Shaped to Serve"**  
**(Serving)**

**October 18th**

**John 20:21**

**Acts 20:24**

**"Made for a Mission"**  
**(Evangelism/ Reaching)**



**PLEASE KEEP the following people on our Prayer List in your thoughts and prayers:**

**Please pray for: church family:** Hilda Gorby, Rex Lysinger and Jean Rice, Dennis Stephens, Betty Pascher, Janice Roxby, Marty Dees, Barbara Munn Smith, Fran Newsom, Mo Davis, Pastor Reyes, Linda Fullerton, Joan Carpenter, Doug McGinnis, David and Ariete Burch, Pastors Steve and Scooter and their families

**friends & relatives:** Denise Henderson, Jim Riehle, Denise, Dr. Wayne and Andrea Richard, Mac Benson, Pete and Kay Hyde, Kym Heine, William Smith, Demi Smith, Tom Foley, John Thompson, Laura Jones Polivka, and Residents of Brookdale and Somerby.

**Thanksgiving for prayers answered:** Joyce Henning

(Please notify the church office if someone can be taken off the prayer list. Thank you.)



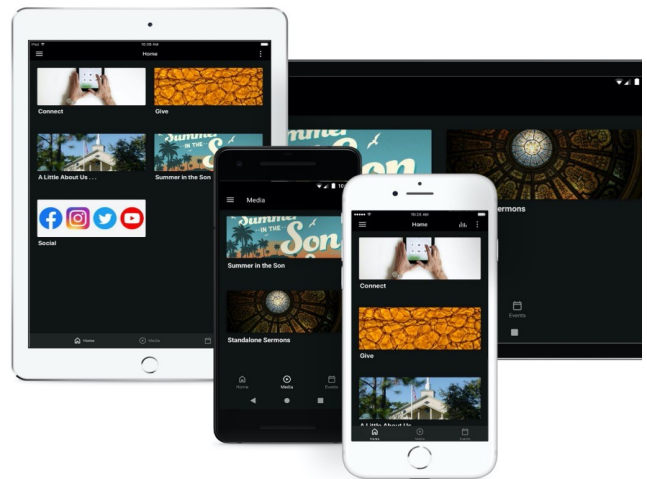
## New App and Website Coming October 2020!

Pastor Steve and Pastor Scooter have been diligently working on a new app and website, which will launch in October of this year! We also have a new livestreaming platform that will also be introduced that will make it much easier to access our Worship Services and Sermon Archive all in one stop shop. It will also automatically stream our services to both our Church's Facebook page and YouTube channel. Download the app today from the Apple Store, Google Play Store, or the Amazon App Store.



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Available in App Stores



[app.srbcc.com](http://app.srbcc.com)



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TO:

# TRANSFORMED

*How God Changes Us*

*Be transformed by the renewing of your mind . . .*

ROMANS 12:2

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# Community Church

## Calendar

### October 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27 <b>8:45am Bible Study</b> <b>9:30am Fellowship</b> <b>10am Worship Svc</b> 5:30pm El Shaddai (chapel)	28 7pm AA Group (upstairs)	29	30 <b>11:45am Bible Study</b> <b>1pm Bulletin Folding</b> <b>3:30pm Worship Reh.</b> 7pm El Shaddai praise practice (chapel) 7:30pm AA Group	1 5:30pm El Shaddai (chapel)	2 1pm LTL (chapel)	3
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## news & announcements

**We collect coupons, used cell phones and donations for Path of Grace and Caring and Sharing. Call the church office if you would like information on these missions.**

**Also, when collecting coupons, please make sure you cut these out and put into a Ziploc bag. These can be placed in the gold box outside of the church office.**

**If you have any news or announcements you would like to see in our monthly newsletter, please call the church office or email Tiffany at [churchadmin@srbcc.com](mailto:churchadmin@srbcc.com).**

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