

THE COMMUNITY CHURCH
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At Community Church, we desire to build a healthy community of maturing Jesus followers across every age and stage of life.



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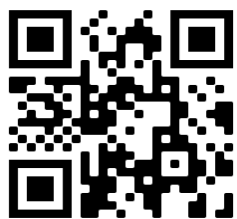
AUGUST 2021

Sunday worship celebration is one of the most exciting times in the life of Community Church. Every element works together to provide an environment in which the Christian can be thankful for what God has done in the previous week and anticipate in hope what God will do in the next week.

Thankfulness and anticipation are two essential parts of worship. The first reason is that both are *active*. Worship can never be passive. Through the Holy Spirit each believer actively gives their body (including their voice) to celebrating God. Worship was never intended to be a passive event. When we are thankful we are actively engaging in acknowledging God's activity in our live over the past week. So often we ignore the work of God in our lives; we don't even recognize what gifts God has given us. This often leads to believing that God isn't in their lives or is not concerned about their life - nothing could be further from the truth. When a Christian is thankful, worship begins to take on its correct contour and shape. Worship grows out of thankfulness.

Secondly, worship grows out of anticipation. Anticipation is an acknowledgement that God has done big things in the past and that He is able and willing to do them in the future. Anticipation is *expecting* God to act in our lives. When we anticipate God working in our lives our we are naturally led to thankfulness for what God will do. Worship fully takes on its contour and shape with the combination of thankfulness and anticipation.

This coming month, don't come to worship **EXPECTING** something to be given to you. Worship is a celebration when **YOU** bring something to worship. The first place to start is being thankful for what God has done and begin to anticipate what God will do in the coming weeks!
—Pastor Steve



You can download the church app at app.srbcc.com or you can watch us live at live.srbcc.com on Sundays. It is also simulcast on our [Facebook](#) or [Youtube](#) as well. If you run into any problems, please contact us at info@srbcc.com or call the church office 850-267-2599. Archived services can also be viewed on the app or other links as well.



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 209 and they are studying John MacArthur's study on 1st/2nd/3rd John & Jude starting this month.

Pastor Steve is currently hosting two bible studies. He is teaching "Sermon on the Mount" on Sundays @ 8:45am and "Ephesians" on Wednesdays @ 11:45am, all are welcome to join. Pastor Steve hopes to see you there.

Ways to Give to Community Church



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INTERESTED IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP?



SEE PASTOR STEVE OR EMAIL PASTOR@SRBCC.COM

Fellowship Lunch

Sunday, August 15th | 11a
in Fellowship Hall

Please bring a dish to share



Learning through Loss
Grief Support Group
meets at 1pm in Chapel*
Each Tuesdays in August

***Special Lunch will be held in Fellowship Hall on Tuesday, August 10th at 1pm**

In Learning Through Loss we are learning about managing our grief. The present is bad enough when we are hit with fresh grief. But we compound our sorrow by spinning our minds over all the years and occasions of the future when we will miss our loved ones. A certain amount is a helpful way of getting used to our loss and its ramifications.

But after awhile we remind ourselves that life is lived one day at a time and this day is all we can be sure of. We are learning skills to help us control the buttons of our preoccupations and concerns. We will live better if we focus on the day God has given us.

Our weekly classes will continue in August on Tuesdays at 1:00 pm. Classes are held in the chapel except the one on August 10th. The class on August 10th will be held in the fellowship hall and include lunch.

We are pleased that CC Whittinghill and Robin Tharpe will continue as leaders of our class.

Each class lasts about an hour and a half and is followed by gentle stretches.

Class dates are August 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th and 31st.

All who are dealing with loss are welcome to attend. For further information contact the church office or Gerry Rector.

KALEO COOKOUT CELEBRATION

On July 11, 2021, Community Church hosted a cookout for the KALEO students and leaders to celebrate the work God has done in and through their lives. We started with a fellowship meal of burgers and dogs, grilled by Pastor Steve and John Falkenstein. Several of our church members brought desserts for the 250+ people who attended and many served in various capacities. Special thanks to Mr. Rob Dickson for his invaluable efforts and coordination to ensure the food was managed well. Thanks to everyone who helped support this event, especially Rich Lindemann and our friends from Hope on the Beach who loaned their grill for the event.

Afterwards, we moved into the sanctuary for a time of worship with music, personal testimonies and prayer. It was such a blessed time and all who were involved were impacted by the time spent together as God's family. The leaders told me the students unanimously agree it was the best and favorite event of their entire time here. Thanks for making it possible and such a resounding success.

The students headed back to campus on July 23, so let's pray the fruit of the Lord's work will continue to grow in the coming year.





Community Church Calendar

August 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Communion 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	2 7p AA Group (upstairs)	3 1p LTL (chapel)	4 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study 3:30p WT Practice 7:30p AA Group (upstairs)	5 10a Comm. Ukes (upstairs & zoom) 5:30p Girl Scouts (upstairs) 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	6 OFFICE CLOSED	7 2:00p El Shaddai -Back to School Party
8 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	9 7p AA Group (upstairs)	10 1p LTL Luncheon (FH)	11 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study 3:30p WT Practice 7:30p AA Group (upstairs)	12 5:30p Girl Scouts (upstairs) 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	13 OFFICE CLOSED Pre-K Orientation	14
15 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc 11:00a Fellowship Dinner 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	16 Pre-K Starts 7p AA Group (upstairs)	17 1p LTL (chapel)	18 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study 3:30p WT Practice 7:30p AA Group (upstairs)	19 10a Comm. Ukes Outreach (Brookdale) 5:30p Girl Scouts (upstairs) 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	20	21
22 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	23 1:15p Finance Mtg. (upstairs) 2:00 Board Mtg. (upstairs) 7p AA Group (upstairs)	24 1p LTL (chapel)	25 10a Bible Study (Brookdale) 11:45a Bible Study 3:30p WT Practice 7:30p AA Group (upstairs)	26 5:30p Girl Scouts (upstairs) 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	27 6-9p VBS Night 3 (Dinner & Movie)	28
29 8:45a Bible Study 9:30a Fellowship 10a Worship Svc 5:30p El Shaddai (chapel)	30 7p AA Group (upstairs)	31 11a Cong. Care (upstairs) 1p LTL (chapel)	1	2	3	4



COMMUNITY UKES IN ACTION



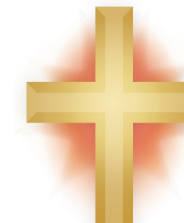
August 1st
Communion Sunday
"Jonah from the Depths"
Jonah 2:1-10

August 8th
"Jonah & Jesus"
Matthew 12:38-41

August 15th
"Jonah Bows a Knee"
Jonah 3:1-5

August 22nd
The "king" and the King
Jonah 3:6-10

August 29th
"Jonah's Presumption"
Jonah 4:1-4



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

Please pray for church family: David & Ariete Burch, Gerry Rector, Mary Defries, Dick & Hilda Gorby, Jim Hopson, Judy Stephens, Diane Goldsby, Leola McCall and family, Dot Jenkins, Jean Rice, Fred & Barbara Munn Smith, Fran Newsom, Pastor Reyes, Joan Carpenter, Doug McGinnis, Pastors Steve & Scooter and their families

Friends & Relatives: Lois Schmidt, Jim Robbins, Lorre James, Maureen Banner, Aaron Boutwell, Clarissa Livingston, Shayn Foley, Danny, Denise Henderson, Ian Quance, Residents of Brookdale, Somerby and Watercrest.

FINANCE COMMITTEE AND CHURCH BOARD WILL MEET MONDAY, August 23rd

At 1:15 and 2:00pm respectively

COMMUNITY CHURCH WOMEN (CCW)

Our CCW meeting was held on May 20, 2021 at 11am at the church. A fellowship event on **October 23, 2021 – “Sweet Life Comedy”** – for which our CCW ladies will provide the refreshments afterward is on the books and will be advertised by the church in the near future.

Special Event/Memorial Reception Team: Gerry Rector, Donna Osterbrock, Diane Goldsby, Leola McCall and Dot Taylor. (We have been asked to provide approximately 200 + desserts for this event, you may get a call to help.)

CCW Mission/Fundraiser Team: Doris Tharpe, Donna McIntyre, Dot Taylor, Donna Osterbrock, Margaret Rogers and Gerry Rector, they will be planning a fundraiser in honor of Robin Lloyd later this CCW year.

CCW Activities’ Team: Jan Rundquist, Deanna Wolverton, Amy Ward and Joyce Henning.

If you would like to join any of these teams or have suggestions for fundraisers, local missions, or fellowship activities, please contact the person whose name is underlined in each area above.

ACTIVITIES WRAP-UP/UPCOMING EVENTS

July 10, 2021 - Dr. and Missy Squires were joined by others to Bowl at Hurricane Lanes. We all decided what went on at the bowling alley will stay at the bowling alley, fun and food were had by all.

August 3, 2021 – Afternoon dinner at AJ’s had been postponed, the sailing vessel is out of the water getting a face lift! We will reschedule when they let us know the ship is back in the Harbor.

September 10, 2021 – We are planning our day trip, with Pastor Scooter, to Tallahassee by church bus. We will all meet at the church to ride the bus together at 7:30am and return by 4:30pm. Everyone is welcome to bring their breakfast onboard. Evites will be sent out for all our events as we get closer to them, and a sign-up sheet will be posted at the church in the Sunday morning refreshment area. Note: If you would like to be added or removed from our computer Evites, please contact Jan Rundquist.

CCW Officers for 2021: Jan Rundquist (Chair), Missy Squires (Co-Chair) and Fran Eckert (Secretary). September CCW Meeting Date will be posted soon.



This ukulele group is open to adults. 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 (meeting every two weeks in-person and online via Zoom Meeting).

Community Ukes Rehearsal/Performance Schedule:

Thursday, August 5th at 10am CST (Upstairs & Online via Zoom)

Thursday, August 19th at 10am CST (Brookdale Destin)

I am so thankful for the memories and legacy of this wonderful music ministry. We have grown to include five generations now in our little merry band of players. **More than 120 people have cycled through the two groups in five years**, and we have recently added four new players!

After our performance, we will be on a short break until September. I anticipate some new members joining our group then and will be offering a beginner/refresher class sometime in September.

Our Community Ukesters (3rd-8th graders) are currently on **summer break** and will resume activities in the Fall when school starts back. Anyone interested in becoming a part of this ministry, please see me.

— Pastor Scooter