



The Beacon
November 15, 2020



**Be
Renewed**



Shalimar

United Methodist Church

Welcome to Shalimar UMC

We are so glad you've chosen to worship with us this week! Hearing assistance devices are available for the Sanctuary. Please see an usher to obtain these aids. All services can be found online at Shalimar-umc.org.

Our Vision

Christ-centered, multigenerational, family and community relevant ministries through worship, discipleship, and mission.

Our Mission

REACH, TEACH, and SEND

We **REACH** out to our congregation, community, and the world to **TEACH** the word of God as provided in the Holy Scripture, and **SEND** our members and missionaries to be witnesses to God's grace and His promise of eternal life to us through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Worship Services

Traditions

At 8:30am in-person and 11:15am rebroadcasted on Sunday mornings in the Sanctuary, we celebrate through the rich traditions of our faith such as hymns led by organ and piano, seasonal vestments, and traditional Methodist liturgy. Our Chancel Choir leads the 8:30am service.

Connect

At 10:15am Sunday mornings in the Sanctuary, we engage in a four-fold service of gathering praise, service of the Word, Holy Communion with candle stations for prayer, and sending forth. The music is a blend of contemporary praise songs and upbeat hymns.

Freedom

At 11:07am Sunday mornings in the Family Life Center Gym, we worship through modern music, multimedia, and a teaching style message in a non-traditional atmosphere. We come to God as we are to experience the freedom of not having to stay that way.



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Here's what you need to know this week.

The Week of Sunday, November 15th

- **Thanksgiving Bags** - You will find paper bags in the Narthex or FLC lobby for our annual Thanksgiving food donations. On the bag is a list of things you may purchase to help a family in our community have a Thanksgiving meal. Visit subspla.sh/m mz4qms for more information or to download the grocery list.
- **Church App Class** - Pastor Faith will host two opportunities to learn how to use the church app. **Tues, Nov 17th** at **6:30pm** will be on Zoom and **Wed, Nov 18th** will be at 12pm in room 106. Bring your phone or tablet with you to learn how to navigate the new church app.
- **Deck the Halls** - Join us after services next Sunday to decorate the church for Advent. The Sanctuary decorating will start after the Connect service ends, around 11:30, and the Family Life Center decorating will start after the Freedom service ends, around 12:15.
- **Worship Change** - We've been excited to see all of our worship services attendance increase. So we are happy to announce, we will be bringing the Traditions service back to in-person on **Nov 29th** (Sunday after Thanksgiving). To make space for our 4th service on campus, we will shift our services back to our pre-COVID times: **8, 9:30, 11, and 11:07**. We are also currently working with the adult Sunday school classes that wish to return to campus. The youth and children ministries will resume on-campus Sunday school at 9:30 as well. Thank you for your patience as we journey together through COVID times.
- **Attendance** - We would love for you to register your attendance with us. You can fill out the webform found online shalimar-umc.org/worship-attendance, or you can send an email to Faith@shalimar-umc.org.

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Ministerial Staff

Dr. Philip McVay - Lead Pastor

- Dr. Brad Bradford.....Worship Pastor
- Rev. David Garvin..... Youth Pastor
- Rev. Matt Langford.....Associate Pastor
- Rev. Faith Parry.....Communication Pastor
- Jennifer GuidoniDirector of Children’s Ministry
- Karen Jadin.....Director of Preschool
- Dawn RozofskyDirector of Camp
- Ben SavageWorship Ministries Associate

After Hours Emergency Pastoral Assistance:

- Dr. Philip McVay (850) 607-1133
- Dr. Brad Bradford (850) 227-4328
- Rev. David Garvin (850) 319-0072
- Rev. Matt Langford (334) 437-3931
- Rev. Faith Parry (850) 420-9888

Text to Give
850-203-3057

Attendance Nov 8, 2020

Children’s Church: 22
 Worship and Technical Volunteers: 269
 Livestream: 422
Total: 713

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 Office Hours: Mon- Thu | 8 am - 4 pm
 Fri | 8 am - 12 pm

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 shalimar-umc.org

THIS SUNDAY IN WORSHIP

Sunday, November 15, 2020

Be Renewed in My Strength Powered by Hope

Isaiah 40:31

TRADITIONS – SANCTUARY

8:30am – In-Person & Online

11:15am – Online Rebroadcast

Message by Dr. Philip McVay

Worship Led by Dr. Brad Bradford

The Chancel Choir – *Holy Is He*

Joy Ringers – *How Great Thou Art*

Gloryland – *No More Sorrows*

CONNECT – SANCTUARY

10:15am – In-Person & Online

Message by Dr. Philip McVay

Holy Communion celebrated by Dr. Philip McVay

Worship Led by Dr. Brad Bradford

The Connect Worship Team

Joy Ringers – *How Great Thou Art*

FREEDOM – FAMILY LIFE CENTER

11:07 – In-Person & Online

Message by Rev. Matt Langford

Worship Led Ben Savage

The Freedom Worship Team

Philip's Focus

Numerous Challenges No Problem Shalimar UMC Just Keeps Moving Forward

How is the church doing? This is a question I receive often. My answer, we have a lot of steep challenges right now, yet Shalimar UMC keeps moving forward! In a year of uncertainties, adversities, and complexities, amazing things keep happening at Shalimar United Methodist Church! We continue to move forward as a church for three reasons that are getting stronger by the day. We have a steadfast REMNANT of leaders and people, a clarifying IDENTITY, and are more UNITED as a congregation.

We keep moving forward because of a REMNANT of unshakable people in love with God and the Church. This core of people keeps our church strong through thick or thin, crises, and uncertainty. I have seen this resilient remnant continue to live out their prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness regardless of how great the challenges and the number of adversities to overcome. We have a powerful remnant of unwavering leaders as well. All in all, this remnant is strong, trusting the Lord in leading our church to better days ahead!

The challenges and adversity of recent years have sharpened our IDENTITY as a church. We are not trying to be like the church up the road or down the street. Our strength is in being the Church God wants us to be. We feel the strength of a 69-year-old church and the church's promise we are becoming now and in the future. We are a United Methodist Church and a church of Wesleyan theology. We continue to be a distinctive church with a significant impact on our community and region! COVID-19, the economy, division of people and cultural challenges have only made us stronger in our identity. I look for this clarity of identity to get much stronger in the years ahead. As this clear identity emerges, we are becoming more single-minded in "making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world." We continue to REACH, TEACH, and SEND for JESUS!

Our sense of UNITY is much stronger than a year ago. Last year, we had division not only in our Nation but also in our church. We are more united than one year ago as a church. Again, we have much more unity in our church now, and it is growing! Through God's grace and goodness, last year prepared us to face the adversity and challenges of this bizarre year. In the face of uncertainties and unknowns, we know God can pull us through if we are united together. We are more united as a church than at any time in my previous 6 1/2 years with you! This unity will go far in building our church back up, one step at a time, into 2021.

So how is the church doing? Our REMNANT is strong, IDENTITY is clearer, and UNITY is stronger. 2020 is making Shalimar United Methodist Church Stronger! Our God is awesome, and our congregation is steadfast! Shalimar UMC keeps moving forward, and I am honored to be your pastor!

See you Sunday as we continue to BE RENEWED in STRENGTH!

Shalom,
Philip

Dr. Philip McVay, Lead Pastor
philip@shalimar-umc.org



New Members

Welcome

John Phillips

to the 11:07 Service
on November 8, 2020





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**Pastor's Class
Wed @ 6pm
Zoom**



**Facebook Community
Sun @ 7:30pm**

fb.com/groups/shalimarumc



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HELP A FAMILY IN NEED AT THANKSGIVING

TAKE A BAG FROM THE NARTHEX OR FLC LOBBY AND BUY
GOODS ON THE SHOPPING LIST TO HELP A FAMILY IN NEED
THIS THANKSGIVING. YOUR SUPPORT MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

MORE INFO OR TO NOMINATE A FAMILY, EMAIL
STOPHUNGEROKALOOSA@GMAIL.COM

Last year, the simple idea of helping local families in our church and community was born, and within two weeks, you, the church, had donated 74 Thanksgiving Bags!

Little did we know the impact these food bags would have on those receiving them. I was brought to tears after delivering two bags to senior citizens who could not drive. Their gratitude was so genuine and for the love of those who donated.

On the following pages, you will find a letter from one of the families who was assisted through our church's Blessings for Children mission. They were also blessed by your donations last year – little did you know its impact!

Thank you again for the love and kindness you continue to show our community and local families in need. You are appreciated and admired for what you do and how you give, not only during the holiday season but EVERY DAY.

In gratitude,

Tracey Jernigan-Bethea



HELP A FAMILY IN NEED AT THANKSGIVING

When you buy the non-perishable goods on the shopping list, you provide a meal for a local family in our community who needs a helping hand this Thanksgiving. Your support makes a difference!

Check off each item on the shopping list and place it in a brown paper bag or reusable shopping bag.

Purchase one \$15.00 gift card for a Turkey or Ham from Publix, Winn Dixie, or Walmart. (Gift cards not to exceed \$20.00, please). Place the gift card in a separate envelope (sealed) with the gift card's amount written outside the envelope. Place the envelope in the bag.

Return this bag to the church office no later than Thursday, Nov. 19, 2020. Drop off times are **Mondays-Thursdays 9:00 am - 3:00 pm to Julie only.**

Shopping List Estimated cost is \$20 + \$15 Gift Card = \$35

- 2 cans of green beans
- 2 cans of cream of mushroom soup
- 1 can of French's Fried Onions
- 2 cans of corn
- 2 boxes of stuffing
- 2 cans of jellied cranberry sauce
- 2 boxes of Jiffy corn bread mix
- 1 box of instant mashed potatoes
- 1 box of brownie mix



And, if there is anything else you would like to add, please do.

Do you know anyone who needs help this Thanksgiving?
Let us know by calling the office at 651-0721 or email stophungerokaloosa@gmail.com.



A Letter of Thanks

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Nov 13th 2019

to whom it may concern.

I am the grandmother of
xxxxxx and xxxxxxx. We are
very blessed to receive this help
this year. I have custody through
the courts of both these children.
I've had them since Bottle & Dippers
age. For the past few ~~months~~^{months}, the
girls and I have been going through
really hard times. My job has cut
me to 15-19 hrs a week. We are
struggling to pay lights & water
& rent. I'm ~~currently~~ looking for
~~another~~ another job, but have had
no luck. We have no car, so
transportation is even harder than
ever. I have no help; their mother
was helping, but she got arrested.
See, their mother is a heroin addict
and was arrested about 3 weeks
ago. She used to help, where the
bills and rent was short, but
now I don't even have that. She will
probably be on her way to prison.
My struggle is so heavy
at this point I don't know
where to turn. So, I don't think
we will be having Thanksgiving.

A Letter of Thanks



(2)

or X-mas ^{with} ~~out~~ help. So when I recieved this letter from Ms, Mary Roberts, it was a Blessing. I Just want to say Thank you, Because my tears have Been many, and my heart heave. I pray all through out the days, and have given it to my heavenly Father.

Times are very diffcult for the children and I at this point we cant even Buy Hygiene products or washing powders.

So Thank you so much for mailing this X-mas Application. I am truly so very grateful. May God Bless you all, and may I ask you keep us in your prays.

God Bless you.
Sincerely.

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Service T I M E S

8 • 9:30 • 11 • 11:07
BEGINNING NOVEMBER 29TH



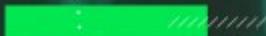
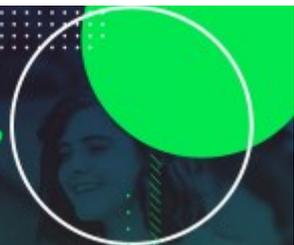
CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Resumes Sun, Nov 29th
9:30 at Cross Corner

STUDENT
MINISTRY

Sunday School

RESUMES IN-PERSON
NOV 29TH AT 9:30





fall groups

LIFE IS BETTER TOGETHER

SHALIMAR-UMC.ORG/FALL-GROUPS

EXODUS: GOD'S DELIVERANCE

MONDAYS ~ 6:30PM ~ COURTYARD
6-WEEK BIBLE STUDY IN PERSON AND ON ZOOM
LED BY REV. DAVID GARVIN

Zoom: Meeting ID: 963 5543 4763 Passcode: 929782

Friendship Club NEWS

A ministry for all adults...Friendship Club meetings and activities are on hold until the "all clear" is received.

We encourage all members to participate in Dr. Philip McVay's and Rev. Matt Langford's fall Bible Studies. Look to the Beacon and website for future announcement on dates and times.

Please continue to check back here for updates.

For additional information
Ollie Fay Flint: 651-2360
Betty Stewart: 634-6349

Join Us!





SMALL GROUPS

DEC 1 @ 6:30p *Online* on ZOOM

Whether you're worshipping in-person or online, a small group that gathers through technology may be exactly what you need. These groups are NOT Bible studies.

Yes, scripture is involved, but it's for reflection and conversation. The groups help you pray for one another, support one another, and live life together. They will be 3-5 people, men with men and women with women.

If you're interested, register for the Zoom online. If you can't make it, still sign up so you can get the information afterward. shalimar-umc.org/online-small-group

Just Older Youth (JOY)

Pickleball: Nov 21st

The JOY group plays indoor Pickleball in the Family Life Center gym. It's a lot of fun, a way to invite friends to come and join you, and it's wonderful exercise. You can play without having to deal with the weather.

- Questions? Contact Dewey Hale at 404-395-0928.

FALL GROUPS REMINDER

Please remember to send Julie a roster of your group each time a new study begins. Thank you!

office@shalimar-umc.org



CHURCH APP CLASS

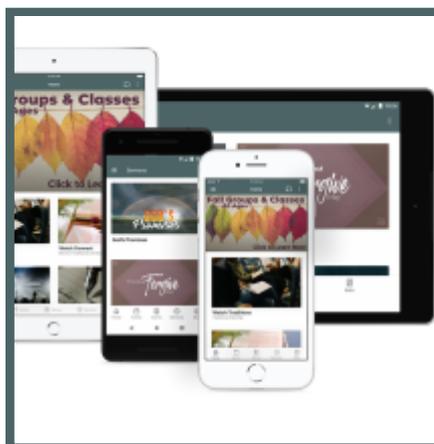
Nov 17 @ 6p Zoom | Nov 18 @ 12p In-Person

Want to learn more about how to use the church app? Hear others talking about it, but not sure where to start? Join Pastor Faith in a class where you can bring your device and learn all the in's and out's of our newest way to stay connected as a church.



Please bring your smartphone or tablet with you. You can join either by Zoom Tuesday evening or in-person during the day Wednesday.

Zoom Link: zoom.us/j/99134134365
Password: 303446



Shalimar United Methodist Church

Available in App Stores



SUBSPASH®

Scrapbooking

Dec 3rd from 12pm to 12am

Dec 4th from 8am to 6pm

Cross Corner Fellowship Hall

Bring a non-perishable food item for Bread House and your own snacks.



Surviving

the Holidays

Nov 21th | 10-12pm

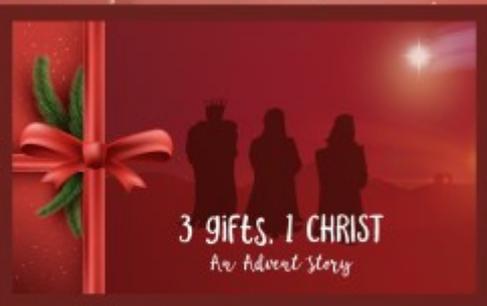
Class held on ZOOM

Call office for reservations 651-0721

Deck the Halls

Sun, Nov 22nd

Come deck the halls with us as we decorate the Sanctuary at 11:15 and the Family Life Center directly after the 11:07 service.



3 gifts, 1 CHRIST
An Advent Story

3 gifts, 1 CHRIST

An Advent Story

Tuesdays | 6-7 PM | 4 weeks

beginning Dec 1st

sanctuary

Led by Rev. Matt Langford

REORIENT OUR LIVES ON THE TRUE
GIFT OF CHRISTMAS - JESUS CHRIST!

This Joy

A YOUTH CHOIR
CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Dec 6 | 11:07 am



ALL ABOUT THAT BABY

CHILDREN'S
CHRISTMAS MUSICAL

DEC 6TH | 6 PM

Chancel Choir
& Orchestra
presents

Dec 13, 2020
8 · 9:30 · 11
Sanctuary

**THREE
GIFTS**

OUR CHRISTMAS OFFERING



Dawn Rozofsky

Camp Director

Cell: 850-294-2384

Church: 850-651-0721

dawn@shalimar-umc.org

SHALIMAR UMC CAMP

COVID-19 UPDATE: We appreciate your support in our efforts to keep our students, families, and staff safe and healthy during this time. We are diligently cleaning, changed our drop-off and pick-up procedure, and followed CDC's recommendation of smaller class sizes. We are also very blessed and thankful for the donations and installation of the Halo Air Purification system to the Church Campus, as the benefits to our air quality will be tremendous.

HELP WANTED!!!!

Job Opening: Shalimar UMC Camp program is looking for energetic, positive, and loving employees to be an addition to our Camp Counselors.

1. A 15-passenger Minibus Driver Counselor must be 25 years or older to drive our 15-passenger mini bus to pick up kids from school,
2. A Counselor must be 16 years or older and be able to supervise a group of children during daily activities.

We have an excellent Christian program that provides after school enrichment and character-building to elementary-aged children. We are a big, loving church that has lots to offer. Camp Counselors work part-time between the hours of 2 pm and 6 pm. After School Camp Counselors also have the opportunity of working Full-time seasonal hours during the Summer Camp Program. Come join our FAMILY!!

Pay: Is competitive and based on experience and education.

We have Openings for After School Camp!

We pick up from select local schools and bring them back for a daily devotion, we serve a healthy snack, have assisted homework time, crafts, games and play.

M-F 2:00 pm - 5:30 pm

\$40 - Registration

Rates:

\$55 - weekly

\$35 - 3 days or less per week



Shalimar United Methodist Children's Ministry

Sundays: 10:15am - 12:15pm

10:15am - Craft time and Praise

11:00am - Children's Church

Wednesdays: 5:30pm - 7:30pm Cost \$3.00

5:30pm- snack supper

6:00pm- children's choir

6:45pm- Kidz Club

The first Sunday of every month we celebrate Family Communion together in the 11:07 service. No Children's programs on the first Sunday.

November

15th - Craft time and Children's Church - 10:15am-12:15pm

18th - Wed. Night Kids activities -Bring back Sharing boxes

20th - Bridge Group - fairgrounds to pack boxes with Blue Star Moms - 5-8pm

22nd - Craft time and Children's Church - 10:15am-12:15pm

25th - No children's events

29th - In-Person Sunday School - children 4-12 years old

Corner Fellowship Hall - 9:30am

Craft time at Cross Corner - 10:15am

Children's Church at Cross Corner - 11:00am - 12:15pm

December

2nd - Wed. Night Kids activities - full choir rehearsal

5th - Choir Practice - 9am - 1pm

6th - Children's Choir performs one song at 11:07am service

Family Communion Sunday. No children's programs

Children's Choir Presents "All about That Baby" Musical - 6pm

9th - Children's Christmas Party Meet Santa!

12th - Volunteers Christmas Dinner and Retreat - 5-9pm

13th - Sunday School at Cross Corner - 9:30am

Craft time at Cross Corner - 10:15am

Children's Church at Cross Corner - 11:00am - 12:15pm

16th - No Wed Kidz Programing - on Holiday

20th - Sunday School at Cross Corner - 9:30am

Craft time at Cross Corner - 10:15am

Children's Church at Cross Corner - 11:00am - 12:15pm

24th - Family Children's Interactive Service - 3:00pm

27th - Sunday School at Cross Corner - 9:30am

Craft time at Cross Corner - 10:15am

Children's Church at Cross Corner - 11:00am - 12:15pm

30th - No Wed. Kidz Programing - Holiday

31st - Nerf and Nachos Bridge Family Retreat 9 - 12pm



Bread House Casa de Pan

"Got Food? Share it!"

Destin Harvest visited the Bread House Thursday, providing meat, bread, and vegetables for the community that we serve. Our weekly focus on foods needed at the Bread House remains the same. Canned meat, canned soup, canned vegetables, dried beans, personal care items, snacks, and pantry items. The Bread House is open Monday-Wednesday-Friday from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm. Donated items can be dropped off at the Bread House during these hours. To meet the needs of the families that we serve, people can only visit **one** time per week to receive food. It is important that we are able to sustain the program during the pandemic and beyond. Those families in need of additional assistance are referred to Sharing and Caring. You are welcome to join us at the Bread House Monday-Wednesday-Friday from 9:00am until 12:00pm.

NOTE: If you cannot bring items to the Bread House, you can donate gift cards from local grocery stores or make cash donations to SUMC. In the MEMO section of your check, write Bread House or COVID 19 Relief Fund. The distribution of gift cards is tracked in order to ensure accountability and that we provide the cards to as many different people as possible.

If you have any questions about the program, please contact Janet Norris, Donna Whitney, Sandra Brown, Bill McBroom, Phil Richter, or Pete Peters at 703-395-2437 or email fpeters1@cox.net.

Week 30 Numbers

Bags Collected - 285

Bags Given Out - 251

Gift cards Given Out - 0

Members Served - 208

Total Numbers

Bags Collected - 8344

Bags Given Out - 7601

Gift cards Given Out - 170 (over \$7225)

Members Served - 4862

1 Peter 4:10 - "Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms."

Last month my five-year-old granddaughter said, "I miss God." Bewildered by her statement, I reassured Maddie that God is in heaven watching over her and that Jesus lives in her heart. It wasn't until several days later that I realized that

she thought God lived at First United Methodist Church in Crestview, where she went to preschool over a year ago.

Have you missed God during this Covid-19 pandemic? In Psalm 139, 1-10, we read that God is all-seeing, all-powerful, and everywhere present. "God knows us. God is with us, and his greatest gift is to allow us to know him. "With everything going on in the world, I found that I missed God. Listening to daily devotionals online reminded me that God knows us and continues to be with us. Those words touched my heart and soul on a daily basis and reassured me that God was definitely on his throne. On April 1, my sister, Janet Norris, and Mary Jane Robertson, asked me to serve with them at Blessings for Children. Their passion for those with children in need during this time made me realize that God was working through this ministry, and I wanted to join them. Janet and Mary Jane invited me to participate in the Shalimar United Methodist Church food drops and the food drives that lead to the food pantry, known as the Bread House. I saw the genuine compassion of the members of SUMC to provide the basic essentials to those with food insecurities and nowhere to turn.

As a Team Lead at the Bread House, I encounter people searching for food and personal care items on a weekly basis. One of the kindest customers I have met is a wonderful lady, Katia, from Russia. She and her father typically stop by every week. Her husband lost his job and is waiting for his security clearance to be validated to start his new job. She is genuinely embarrassed to ask for help. Katia shared that they have two daughters who attend Liza Jackson Preparatory School. She is thrilled when we can provide fresh produce and meat for her family. Your generosity supports the Shalimar United Methodist Church Bread House and enables us to serve Katia once per week and those less fortunate during these difficult times. Thank you for allowing us to continue to serve others through this vital ministry for our community!

Submitted by Sandra Brown.

***Focus items you can help us with this week!**

Canned Meat: Chicken, tuna, and ham

Canned Soup: Chicken Noodle, Tomato, and Cream of Mushroom soup

Canned Vegetables: Corn, green beans, mixed vegetables, baked beans, and Beanie Weenies

Pantry: Bread, Jelly, fruit cups, raisins (small boxes), peanut butter crackers, rice, granola bars, Mac & Cheese, and snacks

Dried Beans: Black, White, and Pinto Beans

Other Items: Paper towels, toilet paper, toothpaste, and toothbrushes

Snacks: small size bags of chips, cereal, fruit, health bars, etc. are always needed.

A special thank you to all our volunteers who dedicate themselves to this important mission each week!

Blessings for Children



♪♪ The B I B L E is the book for me ♪♪

Many of us may remember singing this in Sunday school or VBS or hearing our children or grandchildren singing it; years later, the words continue to ring true! And when Blessings for Children was started two years ago, our team knew that we wanted the Bible and Christian literature to go hand and hand

as part of our outreach ministry, distributed side by side with the clothing, school supplies, and personal care items we share with children in need. In the #10 house where we serve each Wednesday, we have a bookcase that we keep filled with all kinds of children's books. Still, we strive to make sure that at all times, we have children's and family Bibles, Bible coloring, activity, and storybooks, and Christian literature for our families to take home. Our church family has been so generous with your support financially so that we may purchase the items we need and with donations of the things we distribute. Just this month, we have had a great and generous donation from one of our faithful volunteers of children's and family Bibles that are in Spanish, and I wish I had a video so that you could hear the hand-clapping and exciting voices, and see the joy and smiles when those are discovered and claimed! It is with much thankfulness that we can share that the Bibles, both in English and Spanish when we have them, fly off our bookshelf. May we all exhibit that same enthusiasm and appreciation when we pick up our Bibles! But Bibles are expensive, and like all ministries, we strive to be good stewards of the money we have been blessed with to meet our needs. So if you have any "extra" Bibles that you may not be making the most use of, or your family has outgrown, please consider donating them to our ministry or the Bread House, (our church's Food Pantry) both of these SUMC mission outreach ministries are intentional about sharing God's Word with whomever God sends! And know they will be received joyfully.....for the B I B L E is the book for ALL!

If you would like to join with us in helping our area's children in need of Blessings for Children, please consider any of the following:

- Please pray for the ministry and all who participate.
- Consider donating items we distribute to the children. Diapers (size 4, 5, and 6 in particular!) and pull-ups, wipes, school supplies, children sized t-shirts, socks and underwear, children's toothbrushes, toothpaste, body wash or soap, shampoo, and toilet paper. A complete list of items we distribute can be found at sumc.io/blessings. You can donate items by stopping by the #10 2nd Street house behind the church any Wednesday from 11:30 am - 3:30 pm. Children's bibles, bible stories, and activity books are always a joy to receive and distribute! And Spanish language Bibles are always needed!
- A financial gift designated to Blessings for Children allows us to shop for needed items.

New volunteers are always welcome, with no regular commitment required.

For additional information

Mary Jane Robertson

Email: mjr53@cox.net

Visit: shalimar-umc.org/blessings-for-children

Phone: (850) 499-6173

Open every Wednesday 12 - 3:30 pm



BLESSINGS FOR CHILDREN
SHALIMAR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MERGE ENGAGE COLLIDE REVIVE

Young Adults

SHALIMAR-UMC.ORG/YOUNG-ADULTS

Young Adults (age 18-35)

Collide: In School

Sundays, 7-8:15pm

Led By Rev. Matt Langford

Cross Corner Fellowship Hall

Merge: In Transition

Thursdays, 7-8:15pm

Led By David James & David Garvin

#10 2nd Street

Revive: Professionals

Mondays, 7-8:15pm

Led By Ben & Angelina Savage

SUMC room 20





Rev. David Garvin, Youth Pastor
850-651-0721 | youth@shalimar-umc.org



FusionSUMC



SUNDAY

Join us from 6-8pm for games, Scripture, and student led worship around the bonfire! Meet in the rear parking lot of the FLC.

WEDNESDAY

Small Groups begin this Wednesday, 6-8pm! Join us at the rear parking lot of the FLC for an outdoor-only evening of discipleship.

GET INFORMED

Follow our Facebook and Instagram pages to stay updated on student activities.





Prayer

Prayer Room

The Prayer Room is always available for your use. **The code to enter is 1423.** After each Sunday morning service, someone will be present to pray with if you would like. They will also respect your wishes to pray alone. Prayer shawls are available for your use. The Prayer Box with cards is available for you to leave a request for either the pastors or Prayer Team. They will pray for you or a situation you would like lifted up. There have been great reports of use for this special place.

Prayer Chain

You can **add someone** to the Prayer Chain, **share an answered prayer** or **receive prayer** requests and praises through email. We are excited to announce the prayer list can now be accessed on the website or app. Please call the office for the password to this page. If you'd like to start receiving the Prayer List via email, website, or app, please call the church office at 651-0721 or email prayer@shalimar-umc.org.

Prayer Ministry

Please contact the church office at 651-0721 if you are interested in becoming involved in one of the following Prayer Ministries:

- **Prayer Group** - meets weekly to share praises and intercessory prayer for people listed on the Prayer List (both church and personal)
- **Prayer Room Attendant** - Volunteer to pray with those who come to the Prayer Room after the Sunday morning worship services
- **Pray in the Prayer Room** during each Sunday morning worship service
- **Pray for special church functions and events**
- **Participate** in the Prayer Chain and Prayer Link

Weekly Schedule

Sunday, November 15th

Worship Times In-Person

Traditions Worship..... 8:30 am
Connect Worship..... 10:15 am
Freedom Worship..... 11:07 am

Worship Times Online

Traditions Worship8:30 & 11:15 am
Connect Worship..... 10:15 am
Freedom Worship..... 11:07 am

Sunday, November 15th

Library 9:00 am
Sunday School Zoom 9:30 am
Children's Upper Room..... 10:15 am
Children's Church 11:00 am
Grief Share Zoom.....3:00 pm
Youth Choir Drama.....4:00 pm
Youth Choir Rehearsal5:00 pm
REBOOT Zoom5:30 pm
Youth Fireside6:00 pm
Collide7:00 pm

Monday, November 16th

Bread House 9:00 am
Library 10:00 am
Richardson Funeral..... 11:00 am
One + ONE.....5:00 pm
Connect Team Rehearsal5:30 pm
Exodus Bible Study6:30 pm
Lighthouse Rehearsal6:00 pm
Alanon6:00 pm
SPR.....6:00 pm
Revive.....7:00 pm

Tuesday, November 17th

Joy Bell Ringers Rehearsal5:30 pm
Prayer Group6:00 pm
Stories Jesus Told6:00 pm
Finance.....6:00 pm
Missions6:00 pm
Freedom Worship Practice6:30 pm

Wednesday, November 18th

Bread House..... 9:00 am
Splash of Joy I 9:30 am
Splash of Joy II 9:30 am
Library..... 10:00 am
Blessings for Children..... 12:00 pm
Church App Class 12:00 pm
Kidz Club 5:30 pm
Children's Choir Rehearsal 6:00 pm
Orchestra Rehearsal 6:00 pm
Pastor's Class Online 6:00 pm
Youth Small Group..... 6:00 pm
Choir Rehearsal..... 7:00 pm

Thursday, November 19th

Freedom AVL 5:30 pm
REBOOT..... 5:30 pm
Trustees..... 6:30 pm
Merge..... 7:00 pm

Friday, November 20th

Bread House..... 9:00 am

Saturday, November 21st

Pickleball 9:00 am
Surviving the Holidays - Zoom .. 10:00 am



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