



# PENTECOST

COME HOLY SPIRIT COME



The Beacon  
May 31, 2020

# 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. Enjoy fellowship, coffee, and snacks in the Family Life Center Gym between worship services.

## 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 8:00 and 11:00am 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 11:00am service.

### Connect

At 9:30am 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.

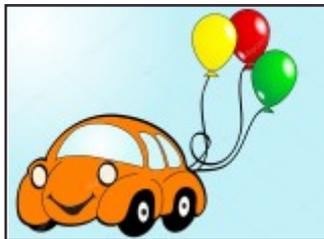
**REACH | TEACH | SEND**



Here's what you need to know this week.  
Text to **850-204-4545** to subscribe.

### **The Week of Sunday, May 31st**

- **Free Grocery Give Away** - The Grocery Give Away was a huge success. We served 125 families and gave away 149 bags of groceries. Thank you, Feeding the Gulf Coast for letting SUMC partner with you and thank you to all who volunteered. Together we can make a difference.
- **Drive-by Goodbye** - Pastor Brian's last Sunday is **Sun, Jun 7th**. We are planning a goodbye parade for the Dale's. We will meet at Shalimar Ball Park to line up and decorate our cars at 2:30pm. The parade starts at 3pm, led by our very own Deputy Self. A box will be available if you would like to give the Dales a note or card. [sumc.io/driveby](http://sumc.io/driveby).
- **Virtual VBS** - Vacation Bible School is virtual this year. Please help us spread the word. VBS will be **Jun 22-26**. If children cannot attend during the day, Ms. Jennifer will be putting recordings online for families to access in the evening. Please visit the website to register for this free event. [sumc.io/children](http://sumc.io/children)
- **Taskforce** - Our COVID-19 Task Force will give an update on **Sun, May 31st**. You can find this update on our website at [sumc.io/covid](http://sumc.io/covid).
- **Attendance** - We would love it if you register your attendance with us. You can fill out the webform found online, leave a comment in Livestream chat, or you can send an email to [Faith@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:Faith@shalimar-umc.org).



**REACH | TEACH | SEND**

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Shalimar UMC



Visit us online:  
shalimar-umc.org



**After Hours Emergency  
Pastoral Assistance:**

Dr. Philip McVay (850) 607-1133  
Rev. Brian Dale (404) 597-6242  
Rev. Faith Parry (850) 420-9888

**Text to Give  
850-203-3057**

**Ministerial Staff**

Dr. Philip McVay - Lead Pastor

- Rev. Brian Dale.....Executive Pastor
- Rev. Faith Parry..... Communication Pastor
- Dr. Brad Bradford.....Worship Pastor
- Rev. David Garvin..... Youth Pastor
- Ben Savage..... Worship Ministries Associate
- Karen Jadin.....Preschool Director
- Jennifer Guidoni.....Children's Director
- Dawn Rozofsky..... Camp Director
- Kim Margold..... Program Director

# Traditions Worship Service

## Sunday, May 31, 2020

<b>Prelude</b>		Mary Jo Horner and Joel Lane
	<i>Sweet, Sweet Spirit</i>	
<b>Church Life and Celebrations</b>		Rev. Faith Parry
<b>Hymn of Praise</b>	<i>Come, Thou Almighty King</i>	Hymn No. 61
<b>Affirmation of Faith</b>		Hymn No. 881
<b>Gloria Patri</b>		Hymn No. 70
<b>Morning Prayer</b>		Rev. Brian Dale
<b>Music Message</b>	<i>Holy Spirit</i>	Katie Schenck
<b>Offertory Hymn</b>	<i>O Spirit of the Living God</i>	Hymn No. 539
<b>Offertory Prayer</b>		Dr. Brad Bradford
<b>Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings</b>		Hymn No. 354
	<i>I Surrender All</i>	
<b>Doxology</b>		Hymn No. 95
<b>Scripture Presentation</b>	Acts 2:1-21	
<b>Sermon</b>	<i>God Brings Order in the Confusion</i>	Dr. Philip McVay
<b>Hymn of Response</b>	<i>Spirit Song</i>	Hymn No. 347
<b>Closing Prayer</b>		Dr. Philip McVay
<b>Closing Song</b>	<i>God Bless America</i>	
<b>Postlude</b>		Mary Jo Horner and Joel Lane

**Pentecost**  
**Red Paraments**



GET UPDATES FROM  
THE COVID-19  
**TASKFORCE**

[sumc.io/covid](https://sumc.io/covid)

ALL SERVICES WILL BE HELD

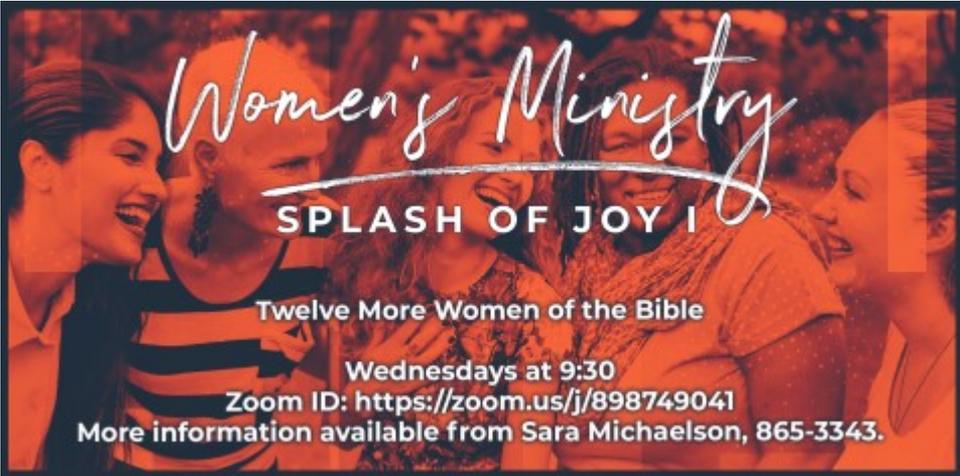
**ONLINE**

THROUGH JUNE 1ST

[sumc.io/livestream](https://sumc.io/livestream)

ONLINE  
*Sunday*  
SCHOOL

[sumc.io/33MECVp](https://sumc.io/33MECVp)



# Women's Ministry

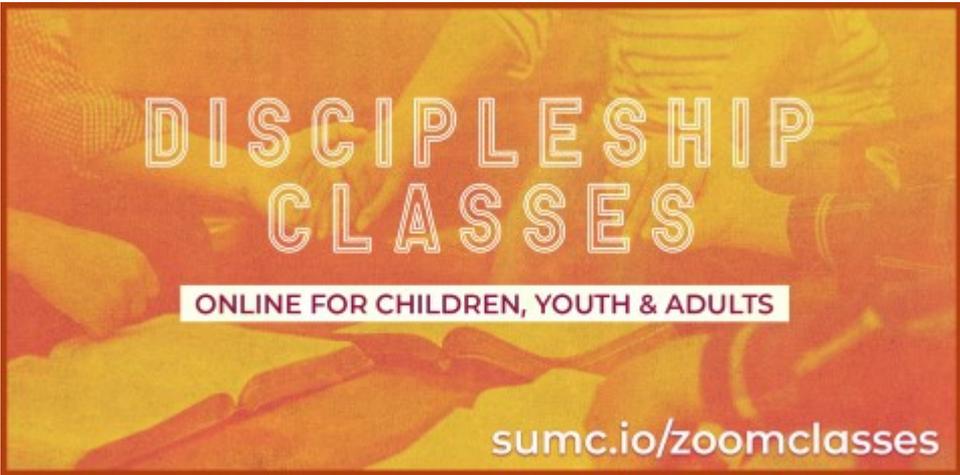
SPLASH OF JOY I

Twelve More Women of the Bible

Wednesdays at 9:30

Zoom ID: <https://zoom.us/j/898749041>

More information available from Sara Michaelson, 865-3343.



## DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

ONLINE FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH & ADULTS

[sumc.io/zoomclasses](https://sumc.io/zoomclasses)

[REBOOTRECOVERY.COM/CRISIS](https://REBOOTRECOVERY.COM/CRISIS)

# REBOOT

## RECOVERY

**CRISIS EDITION**

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN,  
CONTACT DEB HUTTO AT 850-240-2564

# Philip's Focus

## Shalimar UMC Moving to the Full Gospel SPREAD Offense

A football coach hoping to increase offensive production might commit to the spread offense, which means the defense is forced to spread out to cover up to five wide receivers. If a team does this well, the point production and yardage go way up! Why am I sharing this sports analogy? As your Lead Pastor, I believe these times of the Corona Virus call us to make the most of our new opportunities. It is time to SPREAD our offense for the Gospel! What does a spread offense look like for our Church?



- It is a time to embolden our laity to *spread* the use of their gifts for the sake of the Kingdom. What is holding you back? Excuses or maybe uncertainty? God has given you a gift to use for His glory.
- Our preachers should sharpen and implement evangelism plans to reach the world for Jesus. This has become my greatest focus during these last months. It is time to *spread* evangelism throughout every segment of our church.
- Let us empower the laity to *spread* what Jesus has done in your life to others. Nothing is more effective than to witness from one person to another. It is time to spread our witness through word and deed.
- We must *spread* the good news of Jesus to every neighbor, friend, acquaintance, and family member in word and deed. Everyone has people to reach for Jesus at their doorstep. We only need to open our hearts to see through Kingdom eyes and hear with Kingdom ears.
- It is time we *spread* words of encouragement and hope and offer deeds of love to every person in our path in Shalimar and the greater Fort Walton Beach area. Our community has never needed love and compassion like they do right now!



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- We should *spread* our influence to make the winning of souls and disciples our sole priority of our church!
- It is time to *spread* our good deeds to shine! Jesus says, “let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in Heaven.” (Matthew 5:16)

## **IT IS TIME TO SHINE SHALIMAR!**

Our best church times are just ahead! Let us prepare to buckle up and get ready for the great evangelism harvest in the future! There will be a new playbook forthcoming for our church! We are going to a new offense at Shalimar UMC! I am calling it “The Full Gospel SPREAD Offense!”

I’m counting on *you* to make all the spiritual preparations necessary to be a full participating member of this new offense. As John Wesley said, “the world is my parish.” It’s game time! Let us spread the good news of Jesus today!

Shalom,  
Philip

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



# **Drive-by Goodbye**

## *for the Dales*

**Join us June 7th to drive-by the Dale's  
and give them a huge SUMC send off. Get  
creative with signs and car decorations.**

**The car parade will meet at the Shalimar  
Ball Field at 2:30pm.**





  
**Shalimar**  
United Methodist Church

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Opportunity Provider**

  
**FEEDING**  
THE GULF COAST

On Tuesday, May 26 we hosted a free Grocery Giveaway in cooperation with Feeding the Gulf Coast. 5,000lbs of donated food were delivered by truck in the morning and separated into bags and boxes to serve 125 families. 34 volunteers from the church, Boy Scouts, and community met to sort, pack, interview, and distribute the food to those in need.



**CAST ALL YOUR  
ANXIETY ON HIM  
BECAUSE HE CARES  
FOR YOU**

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**1 PETER 5:7**





We are entering out 7th week of helping those who are hungry in our community. We have served over 400 families and have distributed almost 5 tons of food.

We can't do this without YOU as it's only your kind donations that keep this outreach possible! As we progress, we have learned some things about donations. Hopefully this is helpful to you.

For every 20 jars of peanut butter we receive only one jar of jelly. We need more jelly!

One thing we didn't think about is fruit juices. They are a big hit!

Dry beans and rice are very popular. Spaghetti and sauce go every time.

For those of you that don't know, we take money out of the Missions budget and add donations from the congregation to buy fresh milk, bread, eggs, fruit and vegetables. This has been a huge success!

Thanks for all you have done and continue to do for the folks in need in Shalimar! If you have any questions don't hesitate to call me!

Bless you all!

**For additional information**

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**To volunteer**

Kim Margold  
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Email: [programs@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:programs@shalimar-umc.org)

## Merge Young Adults

David James - Facilitator  
(850) 217-9632



Shalimar UMC Merge

**Thursdays | 6:30 pm | #10 2nd**



Merge Online Meeting  
<https://zoom.us/j/97660682189>

Join Us!

## Friendship Club



### FRIENDSHIP CLUB NEWS

(A ministry for all adults )

The Friendship Club invites all adults to join them for these activities!

Friendship Club activities are curtailed until June 1st.

Please continue to check back here for updates.

### For additional information

**Ollie Fay Flint: 651-2360**

**Betty Stewart: 974-2296**

## Attendance, May 24, 2020

New attendance method  
Visit [sumc.io/covidnumbers](http://sumc.io/covidnumbers) to learn more

Children's' Church: 14  
Worship and Technical Volunteers: 53  
Livestream: 614

**Total: 681**

# Student Ministry

ONLINE



sumc.io/fusion



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



FusionSUMC



## COVID-19

*Stay connected with us through your computer or phone!*

## VIRTUAL SMALL GROUPS

*Wednesdays 6:00-8:00pm on Zoom*

<https://zoom.us/j/243300001>

## WEEKLY DEVO

*Worship and teaching videos released on Instagram Sundays at 4:00pm*

## GET INFORMED

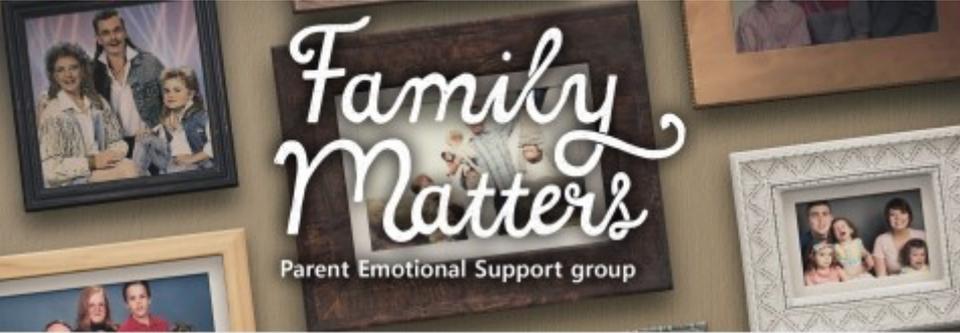
*Follow our Facebook and Instagram pages to stay updated on student activities.*

A banner for Children's Church on Zoom. The background is a vibrant green and blue gradient with a collage of children's faces. The text "Children's Church" is written in a white, elegant cursive font, with "ON ZOOM" in a smaller, white, sans-serif font centered below it.

# Children's Church

ON ZOOM

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH: SUNDAYS AT 1PM**  
[sumc.io/children](http://sumc.io/children)

A banner for the Family Matters Parent Emotional Support group. The background shows a wall with several framed family photographs. The text "Family Matters" is written in a large, white, cursive font, with "Parent Emotional Support group" in a smaller, white, sans-serif font below it.

# Family Matters

Parent Emotional Support group

Once a week meeting to pray, encourage, and strategize ways to help our children through the dull-drums as we look for biblical principles on how we raise our children.

Tues, 8-9pm | [sumc.io/children](http://sumc.io/children)



Virtual VBS June 22-26  
Register now at [sumc.io/children](http://sumc.io/children)



Yes  
to SUMC  
Kidz



Jennifer Guidoni  
Children's Director  
cell 772-626-8000  
Church 651-0721  
[children@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:children@shalimar-umc.org)



SUMG Kidz

**Children's Church** - Sundays 1pm on Zoom [sumc.io/children](https://sumc.io/children)

**ZOOMY ROOM** Mon thru Fri 2pm - 3pm

A gathering room for kids to have supervised playtime with friends on Zoom! Each weekday is themed with a focus on Jesus and fun! There will be games, scavenger hunts, sing-alongs and lots of free time for the kids to talk to friends and socialize. The room will be monitored by two Safe Sanctuary credentialed adults and will be hosted by Ms. Jen and her crew! Learn more at [sumc.io/children](https://sumc.io/children)

**FAMILY MATTERS Parenting Emotional Support Zooms** Tues 8pm - 9pm

Meet to pray, encourage and strategize different ways to help our children navigate through the doldrums and look for biblical principles on how to raise them.

**Thurs June | 4 10am - 12pm** Complete your Bible Bucket and pick up a prize from our Minion Carl. Send pictures of your child working on their bucket to [children@shalimar-UMC.org](mailto:children@shalimar-UMC.org) and I will share your progress!

**Sun June 7 | 2:30pm | Drive-By Goodbye for the Dales**

Decorate your car and meet at the ballfields. We will give them cards and letters for their farewell.

**June 8 - 19 | Sign up for Virtual VBS on our website. IT'S FREE!**

**June 18 - 19 | 10am-12 pm Pick up VBS supplies**

Each child will receive a bag of crafting supplies and a backpack of activities and surprises

**June 22 - 26 | VBS IN THE WILD**

We will have so much fun as we focus on Jesus. We will learn all about His life and how we fit into His plan! Enjoy great music in a safe Zoomy Room! Bible stories, crafts activities, and more! High energy!

**\*No Zoomy room or Family Matters zoom meetings during the week of VBS!**



## Blessings For Children

**“He has shown you, O mortal, what is good.”  
(Micah 6:8)**

Throughout these months (remember when we thought it was going to be just weeks?) of this pandemic, God has indeed shown us what is good! During this time at Blessings for Children, we have seen new volunteers step in as our regular volunteers have taken a step back due to age and health concerns. Our Mission Team's church food drive is not only meeting each family's grocery needs, but they are sending them to our ministry so we can meet their children's additional needs as well (we served 21 families last Wednesday).

Faith Backpacks, headed up by Tracey Bethea, is a vital and impactful ministry that serves during the school year. Since schools have been closed and they have been unable to use their funds as normal, they have generously shared Walmart gift cards with our families instead. Another church member who is a consultant with a book company has offered to do a book drive for our children. Financial gifts and donated items continue to be received by our generous church family. And, so beautifully, families that are being served by Blessings for Children are bringing in items (outgrown clothes and toys) that can be shared with others! So all of us together, with God's grace, provision and encouragement, and covered in His love, are making sure that every door that might have been closed during this time has been kept open wide! He is indeed showing us what is good!

While we are apart from each other, please consider joining with us at Blessings for Children as we continue to serve and minister to our community:

- Please pray for the ministry and all who participate.
- We'd love to have you join us as a volunteer and you don't have to commit weekly or even monthly!
- Consider donating items we distribute to the children. Diapers and pull-ups of all sizes, wipes, children's t-shirts, socks and underwear, children's toothbrushes or toothpaste, body wash or soap, and toilet paper are in great demand. A complete list of items we distribute can be found at [sumc.io/blessings](http://sumc.io/blessings). You can donate items any 3rd Sunday in the bins placed in the narthex and Family Life Center lobby, or stop by the #10 2nd Street house behind the church any Wednesday from noon - 3:30 pm to donate items. Children's bibles and bible stories and activity books are also a joy to receive and distribute!
- A financial gift designated to Blessings for Children allows us to shop for needed items.



**For additional information**

**Mary Jane Robertson**

**Email: [mjr53@cox.net](mailto:mjr53@cox.net)**

**Visit: [sumc.io/blessings](http://sumc.io/blessings)**

**Phone: (850) 499-6173**



**Open every Wednesday 12 - 3:30 pm**



## 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. A printed copy of the SUMC Prayer List is available each Sunday in the Narthex and FLC Lobby. If you'd like to start receiving the Prayer List via email, please call the church office at **(850) 651-0721** or email [prayer@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:prayer@shalimar-umc.org).

## Prayer Ministry

Please contact the church office at (850) 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

## Worship Times Online [sumc.io/livestream](http://sumc.io/livestream)

**Traditions Worship .....8 & 11 am**  
**Connect Worship .....9:30 am**  
**Freedom Worship .....11:07 am**

**Sunday, May 31st  
through  
Saturday June 6th**

**ALL ACTIVITIES ON CAMPUS ARE SUSPENDED  
THROUGH JUNE 1ST**

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[shalimar-umc.org](http://shalimar-umc.org)  
[office@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:office@shalimar-umc.org)  
Office Hours: Monday - Thursday  
8 am - 4 pm • Friday 8 am - Noon



**Ways to  
give .**



**WEBSITE**  
[sumc.io/give](http://sumc.io/give)



**MAIL**  
PO BOX 795 - Shalimar



**TEXT**  
850-203-3057

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