CELEBRATING

VETERANS DAY

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

The Beacon November 11 & 12, 2017



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

Break Free

Our Saturday evening service begins at 6:00 pm in the Family Life Center opening with a gathering and fellowship time at 5:30 pm. This transformational service involves modern music, multimedia, and a style of preaching that is practical and participatory.

Traditions

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

Connect

At 9:30 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 11:07 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.

Traditions Worship Service

Prelude God of the Ages Orchestra

Community Life and Celebrations Rev. Faith Parry

Hymn of Praise Heralds of Christ Hymn No.567

Affirmation of Faith Hymn No. 881

Gloria Patri Hymn No. 70

Music Message Chancel Choir and Orchestra

Battle Hymn of the Republic

Morning Prayer Dr. Philip McVay

We Salute Our Veterans

Offertory Hymn America the Beautiful Hymn No. 696

Offertory Prayer Dr. Brad Bradford

Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings Rejoice

I WILL Remember

Doxology Hymn No. 95

**Children's Sermon Susan McLain

Scripture Presentation, John 15: 12-13

Sermon Rev. Brian Dale

Hymn of Response Amazing Grace Hymn No. 378

Closing Prayer Rev. Brian Dale

Closing Song God Bless America

Postlude Joel Lane

** 11:00 service

Children's Church for the 11:00 and 11:07 am services, meets in these FLC Rooms: PreK-104, Kinder-105, 1st & 2nd Gr-211, 3rd/4th/5th Gr-207

23nd Sunday after Pentecost Parament Color–Green

Serving Sunday, Nov. 12, 2017

Acolytes	Jasmine Daugard, Marlee Leibold
Altar Care	Sylvia Hill
Children's Church	PRE-K Stephanie Parham, KINDER Mandi Blair
	1st & 2nd Grade Ed Tras, 3rd & 4th grade Alicia Franklin
Communion Servers	9:30 Casey Brennan, Terri Wilkins, Ted & Vicki Haase
Connection Table9:00	Beth Russell, Sandy Kocanowski 10:30 Lynne Stefanik
Flower Delivery	
	8:00 Ken & Julie Winzeler
	11:00 Joan Peavy, Laura Sims
Pew Care	Martha Gorecki
	8:00 Nancy Johnson
	9:30 & 11:00 James Brantley
Sorters	8:00 Dick Cannon, Nick Chubb
	9:30 Mike Kiser, 11:07 Larry Mundy, Hal Crowson
Ushers8:00 /	Mark Bethea, Keith Latimer, Patricia Payne, Frank Brooks
	9:30 Yogi & Sandra Brown
	Chatt Johnson, Carol Johnson, Beth Russell, Tom West
Westwood Van Driver	Rip Smith

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Visit us online: shalimar-umc.org

Ministerial Staff

Dr. Philip McVay - Lead Pastor

Rev. Brian Dale	Executive Pastor
Rev. Faith Parry	Connection Pastor
Dr. Brad Bradford	Worship Pastor
Ben Savage	Worship Ministries Associate
Karen Jadin	
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Kim Margold	Program Director
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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



Altar Flowers

The flowers placed in the Sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God.



Celebrating the 51st anniversary of Corrine and Phil Richter

Given by Marv in loving memory of his wife, Dee.

Flower bouquet and rose reservation book located in Narthex or contact the church office at 651-0721.

Bouquets \$40 each / Roses \$4 each.



ADULTS \$6.50 KIDS (3-10) \$3.00 MAX \$25 PER HOUSEHOLD

ENTREE: Turkey, Dressing, & Gravy

SALAD OPTION: Caesar

KID OPTION: Pizza



RSVP on Communication Card or call 651-0721 by noon on Wednesdays



Sunday, Nov. 19th | 12:30 pm | FLC Rm 106

Lunch is our treat!

Join us for an informal gathering for those who want to see who they are, what we believe, and what your Next Step might be. Whether you're new to Shalimar UMC or you've been attending awhile.



Philip's Focus

"Security in These Troubling Times"

We began this week with one of the saddest events in U.S. history. The First Baptist Church in Sutherland Springs, Texas, was worshipping when an active shooter opened fire on a congregation during worship murdering 26 people. Our hearts and prayers go out to the families who lost loved ones in this act of senseless evil. We want to also offer our prayers specifically for First Baptist Church of Sutherland Springs. Can we imagine the pain, grief, and loss experienced by this congregation? May the God who is able, walk with them through this dark and evil valley of death.

Once again, we are left with sadness and another mass shooting. This time, it is closer to home, as it is a church. As we will pray for the victims' families, those wounded, and the church, I would imagine many churches across America are thinking about safety.

We have been thinking about safety at Shalimar UMC. On many occasions, I have given thanks to God for Ed Keller, a member and volunteer of our congregation. About one and a half years ago, Ed came and shared with me he felt the Lord was leading him to a specific ministry. What was the ministry? He felt led to help Shalimar UMC become more secure. He also considered what God placed on his heart to be a ministry.

We gave Ed our blessing to proceed and soon he formed a team of volunteers to work with him. This newly formed security team is able to communicate with each other and works under the radar. They have a purpose to assess anything on our campus that is potentially unsafe. In the past year, they have been a big help being ready to respond when and if needed. They have also done a good job of keeping a low profile, so not to hinder the Shalimar UMC's need to extend hospitality to all the people that attend and participate in the church.

In addition to the security team, earlier this year, our Trustees and Church Council approved taking the step of adding a Sherriff's Deputy on campus for our worship services and to provide a presence during our weekday children's programs. We have grown to appreciate the presence of a Sherriff's Deputy on campus as a precautionary step for safety.

These two steps of adding a security team and adding a Sherriff's Deputy are two steps of making our church campus safer. We have also added better lighting and trimmed overgrown hedges to add greater visibility to our campus. The security plan is proactive and developing additional steps as they seem prudent. We as a church are grateful to implement changes, when determined it is for the good and safety of our church.

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In these troubling times, we need worship more than ever. The children need safety more than ever. I am so grateful to Ed Keller and the Security Team for providing steps and a growing plan for our safety. May the Lord bless all the churches everywhere to go forward with the good news of Jesus Christ! God is greater than the Evil One and His goodness will prevail over evil in the end! Our prayers go out to all affected in the shootings of First Baptist Sutherland Springs.

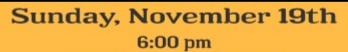
Shalom, Philip

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









Sponsored by the Greater Fort Walton Beach Christian Ministerial Association

Community Thanksgiving Service

Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name. 1 Chronicles 29:13 NIV

Trinity United Methodist Church

403 Racetrack Road NW Ft. Walton Beach Gathered Together WITH Thankful Hearts

For all churches in the Greater Ft. Walton Beach Area

Our Own Pastor Philip McVay will be speaking







Dec. 10th
8:00 am
9:30 am
11:00 am

Featuring the
Chancel Choir & Orchestra

Christmas Performances & Concerts

November 17 & 18 Musical Theater Performance "God Bless Us Everyone" 7:00 pm - Family Life Center

December 2 & 3
Youth Choir Concert
"What a Beautiful Name"
2nd - 6:00 pm - Family Life Center
3rd - 9:30 am - Sanctuary
3rd -11:07 - Family Life Center

December 3 Children's Choirs Christmas Musical "Jingle Bell Beach" 6:00 pm - Family Life Center

December 10 Chancel Choir & Orchestra Concert "How Should a King Come?" 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am - Sanctuary

TODAY'S SERMON NOTES:
Not in a group or class? Check these out
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or pick up a Places to Grow flyer at the Connection Table in the FLC.

This Week's Guide for Groups & Individuals

Our scripture passage this week comes right after Jesus telling the parable of the Vine and the Branches. Jesus is preparing his disciples for his death which is near. He emphases on them that they are his friends and the true mark of love in a friendship is the willingness to lay down one's life for a friend. For us today as Christians, we must be willing, if needed, to lay down our lives for our friends and brothers and sisters in Christ.

In light of the shooting in Texas, it can cause one to think, what would I do if that happened here in Shalimar? Would I do my best to protect the person next to me? Would I try to stop the person who was shooting? Would I have laid down my life for someone else in the church?

On this Veteran's Day, we are reminded that every veteran promises to do whatever he or she is asked for the people of America or the country they have been sent to defend. The Airman's Creed says, "I defend my Country with my Life...I will never leave an Airman behind." If we were to look at the creeds of the other branches, we would find similar lines in every creed of the Army, Coast Guard, Marines, and Navy.

This week, ask yourself what am I willing to sacrifice for Christ? Jesus' love on the cross is the biggest sacrifice of all. What can we do to carry on Christ's sacrifice and honor him as Christians and as a military community.

God Bless and thank you to everyone who has served, who currently is serving, and to the families who support them.

Faith Parry, Associate Pastor faith@shalimar-umc.org





A SUMC Local Missions, Outreach Event

December 9th 9 am to 12 pm



sharing God's Love

What is Santa's Workshop?

In lieu of an Angel Tree, we are sponsoring Santa's Workshop for children who are participants in our After School Program, SUMC Bus Ministry, and Faith Backpacks programs. We invite the community parents we serve to shop for affordable Christmas gifts for their children. The Family Life Center will be transformed into Santa's Workshop for the parents to shop and have gifts wrapped. Gifts will be priced for just a couple dollars so parents can afford to give Christmas to their children instead of gifts coming from strangers or an agency. Proceeds will go towards purchasing Christmas Day Meals for each family.

We need Donations!

Donations can be made by way of the Santa's Workshop Tree located in the Family Life Center and in the Sanctuary. What a great opportunity to teach children the gift of giving and sharing with the less fortunate.

Donation Info

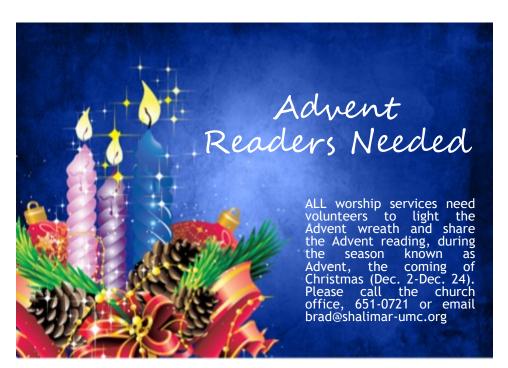
Donation drop-off locations are the church office, Monday—Thursday, 8 am-4 pm and Friday, 8 am-12 pm or Sundays under the Santa Workshop trees. All donations need to be dropped-off before Wednesday, November 29th.

Volunteers

Volunteers are needed the day of the event for set up and as personal shoppers for the families.



For more info contact Lisa Burkett at lisa.burkett@cox.net







United Methodist Men's Breakfast

Sunday, Nov. 19 at 7:00 am FLC, Room 106



Guest speaker: Pete Peters
All are invited
A cook is needed.
Please contact Keith Latimer









Please send your answered prayers by email to prayer@shalimar-umc.org. They will be sent by email to those signed up to receive the Prayer chain email. Please include your name and email address in case you need to be contacted for clarity.



Prayer Room

The Prayer Room is always available for your use. The code to enter is 4125. On Sunday mornings, after every service, someone will be in the Prayer Room to pray with you, if you would like. They will not bother you if you would like time to yourself. There are prayer shawls available for your use as well. A Prayer Box and Prayer Cards are available for you to leave a prayer request for the Pastors and/or Prayer Team to pray for you or a situation you would like lifted up. There have been great reports of use for this special place.



Prayer Chain

To add someone to the prayer chain please email prayer@shalimar-umc.org or contact the SUMC church office at 651-0721. If you would like to receive the prayer requests through email, please call the church office, 651-0721 or email patbrantley@cox.net. A printed copy of our church family's prayer concerns is available each Sunday in the Narthex and FLC Lobby. If you'd like to start receiving the Prayer List via email, please select it on the Communication Card inside the Beacon.



Prayer Ministry

Please contact the church office, 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 list).
- Prayer Room Attendant Volunteer to pray with those who come to the Prayer Room after each worship service on Sunday morning.
- Praying in the Prayer Room during each of the worship services on Sunday morning.
- Pray for special church functions and events.
 - Participate on the Prayer Chain and Prayer Link (if you're not already.)



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SANTA'S WORKSHOP

New toy donations and volunteers needed. Drop unwrapped items by Santa's Workshop Tree in FLC before Nov 29th. No clothes, shoes, electronics, or computer games.





COOKIES FOR HOPE

A Rejuvenated Cookie Drop!

SUMC Missions is collecting homemade cookies in disposable containers.

(no zip lock bags or platters)

Cookies will support FWB Chamber of Commerce's "Cookies for Hope" cookie drive where proceeds will support One Hopeful Place.

One Hopeful Place is building an expansion to their current buildings.

Bake as a family & have fun!

Please call Janet Chubb with your commitment to bake! 850-217-0846



Drop-off ~ SUMC Kitchen December 1st from 8-11 am



Attendance, Nov. 4 & 5

6:00 pm service	34	11:07 am service	206
8:00 am service	166	Livestream	42
9:30 am service	111		
11:00 am service	192	TOTAL	751

Merge Young Adults

Michelle Carmical - Lead Facilitator | 850-217-0391







Merge 1 College & Career (ages 18-23)

Merge 2 Young Adult group (age 23-30 and beyond)

Thursdays | 6:30-8:00 pm

BOTH MERGE GROUPS and all BIG events meet together at #10 2nd St (behind the church in the house with a UMC flame on the garage).

Friendship Club





November Monthly Meeting

The Tuesday, Nov. 14th, 11:30 regular meeting will feature our own Lt. Col. Becky Carter who will speak about battlefield medicine for austere medical care and battlefield trauma.. Come join us as she informs us of the latest cutting-edge technology to treat our wounded troops in the battlefield. You will be amazed! Call the church office, 651-0721 by noon, Monday, Nov. 13th to make reservations. Lunch cost \$6.50, provided by Chef Heyward.

December Monthly Meeting

The Tuesday Dec. 12th, 11:15 (note early start time) meeting will feature the Shalimar UMC Preschool children presenting their Christmas Music Program followed by the group singing Christmas Carols. Lunch cost \$6.50, provided by the Chef. Call the church office for reservations by noon, Monday, Dec. 11th.

For additional information please contact Pastor Brian, 651-0721, Ollie Fay Flint, 651-2360, Betty Stewart, 243-5551, or Jon & Kathie Sheperd, 651-8008.



WHERE WOMEN BASK IN GOD'S LOVE

WOMEN'S RETREAT 2018

FEB 23-24 Cost \$45.00 Family Life Center

For more information or to register visit sumcwomensretreat.org



Jonathan Lefler - Youth Director 307-689-6545 | youth@shalimar-umc.org





FUSION Shalimar UMC Youth

NEW PARENT TEXTING LINE

Text @fusionsumc to #81010

WEEKLY SUNDAY SCHOOL

Meets weekly from 9:30-10:30 am in the Youth Room

FUSION - Sunday, Nov. 12th 6:30-8:00 pm

Wednesday - Small Groups, Nov 15th

Youth Rooms | 6:30-8:00 pm

FEAST OF PLENTY | Nov. 19th | 6:30-8:00

A-M-Side dish N-Z-Dessert

MELTDOWN - Jan. 26-28, 2018

Now – Nov. 30th \$140 Late after Nov. 30 \$150

one + ONE Singles

Please come join us every Monday night at 6:00 pm, at #10 Second St. for a lot of good fun, fellowship, and different activities. A monthly calendar with detailed activities is available at the FLC Connection Table. If you are 50+, single, and looking for a Christian environment, please come and join our group. Bring a friend. All are welcome from SUMC and the community.

Welcome to the Shalimar UMC Kidz Ministry info page!

IF you are new: Please REGISTER your child by filling out a Lime Green Info Card at the SUMC KIDZ MINISTRY Check in Table in the FLC gym on Sundays. You only have to do this once! Please update contact info and child's current grade.

As your child continues to come to different programs and events here at SUMC on Sundays, please Check In at the Check In Station in the Family Life Center or the Sanctuary and get a security label for you and your child.

Church Family: Our current playground is over 20 years old! We are now collecting donations for a new playground to be used by the Preschool, After School Care, Children's Ministry and Summer Camp! A new playground is estimated at \$80,000! Please donate to SUMC and in the memo line: Playground. Thank you all for your support!

ONGOING PROGRAMS

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:30-10:30 am for 4 year olds-5th grade in courtyard rooms. Kids are collecting canned goods for Sharing & Caring for November. Please place ítems in box in the courtyard area. Thank you!

CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Kids 4 year olds-5th grade at the 11/11:07 am Worship Services. Volunteers are needed!

SUNDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES: 4:30-6:30 for kids Kinder-5th grade.

Fish Factory: Nov. 12th-Bible verse: You are the Christ, the son of the Living God." Matthew 16:16.

Snack Supper: Grilled Cheese and Cheese Ravioli, salad, cookies. Don't forget to bring \$3.00 for snack supper and \$1.00 for our Mission Project: Shalimar Elementary School.

Choir: Please remember to listen to your CD's and make sure you are practicing your parts for the musical *Jingle Bell Beach*. Kidz will sing in church on Nov. 26th. Musical rehearsal is Saturday, December 2nd – all must be there! 9:00 am-noon-lunch provided.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE CLASSES: 6:00-8:00 pm for Kinder-5th grade. Kidz will have free play from 6:00-6:30 pm in courtyard. All classes will go to the FLC Gym for Bible video story then back to courtyard for big group games, then to small groups for Bible story discussion, crafts, and small group games. THERE WILL BE NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES ON WED. NOV. 22nd, HAPPY THANKSGIVING!



Weekly Schedule

Sunday,	Nov.	12th
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Worship Times	;
Traditions Worship	8 & 11 am
Connect Service	9:30 am
Freedom Service	11:07 am
Freedom Band Rehearsal	8:00 am
Brk/Free Life Group	
Sunday School for all ages.	
MERGE Young Adults	
Little Buddies	
Children's Church	
Youth Leaders Meeting	
Drama Rehearsal	•
Prayer & Fasting Class	1:00 pm
Grief Share	
Fish Factory	
Military Family Group	4:30 pm
FF Snack Supper	•
Youth Choir Rehearsal	
God's Kids Choir	5:45 pm
Special Buddies	
Youth Snack Supper	
FUSION	7:00 pm

After School Care Mon.–Fri. 2:00-5:30 pm

Monday, Nov. 13th OFFICES CLOSED for Veterans Day

Connect Team Rehearsal	5:30 pm
Alanon II	6:00 pm
Drama Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Lighthouse Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Monday Bible Study	6:00 pm
One + ONE Singles	6:00 pm
Emerald Coast Pops	7:15 pm

Tuesday, Nov. 14th

Friendship Club Lunch	11:30 am
Joy Ringers Bell Choir	5:30 pm
Drama Rehearsal	6:00 pm
Journeymen	6:00 pm
Prayer Group	6:00 pm
Trustees Meeting	7:00 pm

Wednesday, Nov. 15th

Splash of Joy #1 & #2	9:30 am
Faith Backpack	.3:00 pm
Hope for the Holidays	4:30 pm
Fellowship Dinner	.5:00 pm
Disciple 4	.6:00 pm
Gloryland Ensemble	.6:00 pm
Kidz JAM, PB&J, & BLT	
Orchestra Rehearsal	.6:00 pm
Pastor's Class	.6:00 pm
Rejoice	.6:00 pm
Youth Leaders Meeting	.6:00 pm
Depression Support Group	6:30 pm
PULSE-Youth	6:30 pm
Alanon	.7:00 pm
Chancel Choir Rehearsal	.7:00 pm
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Thursday, Nov. 16th	
12 X 12 Meeting	2.00 am
Women's Retreat Planning	
Girl ScoutsAlzheimer Support Group	
Drama Rehearsal	
Freedom/Bk Free Worship	
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Merge Young Adults Emerald Coast Barbershop	
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Friday, Nov. 17th	
Drama Theater	.7:00 pm
Saturday, Nov. 18th	Ì
Worship Time	
Break Free Service	.6:00 pm
AV/Tech Train'g	12:00 pm
Break Free Band Rehearsal	
Drama Theater	
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