

The Beacon  
January 2019

# STIRRINGS

*Awaken Your Soul*

# TO GOD



# 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. 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.





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

## THE WEEK OF SUNDAY, JAN 13TH

- **New Classes Starting** - The New Year is a great time to jump into a new small group or existing classes. Many of our existing classes are launching new studies. We also have brand new classes beginning including a Disciple 1 study. Bill and Linda McBroom will be launching the brand new Disciple 1 study on Wednesday Nights at from 6-7:30pm. Disciple 1 is great way to learn about the Bible and how to live as a disciple as it is informational and transformational. Please check out our Online Beacon for all classes and small groups, and the new opportunities for 2019. If you are interested in joining a class or group see the sign-up table in the back of the FLC, visit [sumc.io/adultgroups](http://sumc.io/adultgroups), or call Pastor Faith at 651-0721.
- **Stirrings - 21 Days of worship, prayer, and fasting**  
**MAKE 2019 YOUR BEST YEAR YET!** Instead of resolutions in 2019, make SPACE FOR GOD to STIR your inner being. Get ready for what God is going to do in and through you. Be filled with God's fullness and deepen your love for Christ. When you put God first, everything else comes into perspective: your time, your finances, your relationships, all your goals. Instead of resolutions, spend 21 days focused on God and the New Year will be a great year. Beginning **Jan 7th** at 6am in the Sanctuary.
- **Discover Shalimar** - Our next Discover Shalimar is **Jan 13th** at 9:30am in room 211 and **Jan 20th** at 12:30pm in room 106. Come learn how to make Shalimar UMC your church home. Find a group, a place to serve, and learn the church's mission in the community. Text **DISCOVER** to 850-204-4545 for more information. [sumc.io/discover](http://sumc.io/discover)
- **Support Groups** - If you need or know someone who needs additional support, please look at these following support groups.
  - **GriefShare** - A thirteen week support group to help people deal with the loss of a loved one. Beginning **Sun, Jan 13th** at 3pm at the #10 2nd Street House. Call the church office for reservations 651-0721, visit [griefshare.org](http://griefshare.org) or visit [sumc.io/Griefshare](http://sumc.io/Griefshare).
  - **REBOOT** - REBOOT's faith-based combat trauma healing course is designed to address the spiritual wounds of war. Call Deb Hutto at 850-240-2564 for more info or visit [sumc.io/reboot](http://sumc.io/reboot).
- **Youth Open House** - Wanting to know more about our youth and youth choir programs? We are having a Youth Open House to discuss information on our Fusion Youth Ministry and our Youth Choir on **Sun, Jan 13th** from 6-8pm.

# Traditions Worship Service

## Sunday, Jan. 13, 2019

<b>Prelude</b>		Mary Jo Horner & Joel Lane
	<i>Majesty</i>	
<b>Church Life and Celebrations</b>		Rev. Brian Dale
<b>Hymn of Praise</b>	<i>Holy, Holy Holy!</i>	Hymn No. 64
<b>Affirmation of Faith</b>		Hymn No. 881
<b>Gloria Patri</b>		Hymn No. 70
<b>Morning Prayer</b>		Rev. Brian Dale
<b>Testimony</b>		Katie Schenck
<b>Offertory Hymn</b>	<i>Love Divine, All Loves Excelling</i>	Hymn No. 384
<b>**Music Message</b>	<i>Jesus Saves</i>	Chancel Choir
<b>Offertory Prayer</b>		Dr. Brad Bradford
<b>Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings</b>		Joel Lane
	<i>I Sing Praises</i>	
	<i>Wonderful</i>	
<b>Doxology</b>		Hymn No. 95
<b>Scripture Presentation</b>	<i>1 Samuel 3:1-10</i>	
<b>Sermon</b>		Dr. Philip McVay
<b>Hymn of Response</b>	<i>Trust and Obey</i>	Hymn No. 467
<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
		*8:00 Service, **11:00 Service
No Children's Church on Communion Sunday		

Epiphany of the Lord  
Parament color - White





# Altar Flowers



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

*In memory of our beloved son, David Porter  
~Ann Porter*

*With abundant joy and deep gratitude for this church and community, today's flowers are offered to the glory of God in celebration of the wedding of Hunter Bethea and Haley Smith on January 12th*

Flower bouquet and rose reservation book located in Narthex or contact the church office at 651-0721.  
Bouquets \$40 each / Roses \$4 each

Dates available for flowers:  
Jan. 20, 27 & Feb. 3

## Grief Support Group

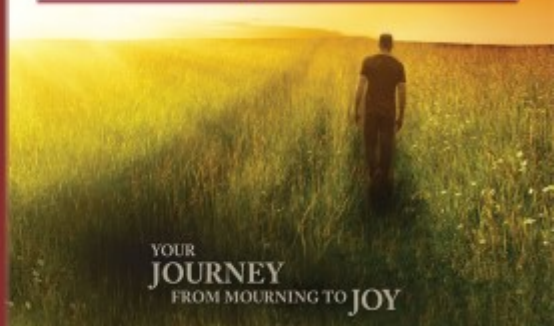
Help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend.

Sundays @ 3:00 pm  
Begins Jan 13th  
#10 2nd Street House

[sumc.io/Griefshare](http://sumc.io/Griefshare)

Please call the church office for reservations 651-0721 or visit [griefshare.org](http://griefshare.org)

# GRIEF SHARE<sup>®</sup>



Check us out on Facebook @ SUMC Kidz Ministry  
We post updates, photos, and news to this page regularly for all events happening in Children's ministry.  
Email: [children@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:children@shalimar-umc.org)

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(850) 651-0721 | [shalimar-umc.org](http://shalimar-umc.org) | [office@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:office@shalimar-umc.org)  
Office Hours: Monday - Thursday | 8am-4pm • Friday 8am-Noon

# Serving Sunday, Jan 13, 2019

<b>Altar Care</b> .....	Pat Brantley
<b>Communion Servers</b> .....	9:30 Casey Brennan, Rhonda Bradford ..... Tod Jacks, Barbara Zipfel
<b>Flower Delivery</b> .....	Debra Stone
<b>Greeters</b> .....	8:00 Marlene Genzler, Linda Gail Martin ..... 11:00 Jonathan James. Joyce Loughrige
<b>Pew Care</b> .....	Pat Brantley
<b>Prayer Room</b> .....	8:00 Nancy Johnson ..... 9:30 Rhonda Keller 11:00 Amanda Harris
<b>Sorters</b> .....	8:00 Jon Sheperd, Dick Cannon ..... 9:30 Mike McMain, 11:00 Gavin Tovrea, Annette Klabuhn ..... 11:07 Hal Crowson, Larry Wood
<b>Ushers</b> .....	8:00 Frank Brooks, Keith Latinate, Shevewan Cooper, John Patterson ..... 9:30 Bob Hollinhead, Peggy Hollinhead ..... 11:00 Lenton Hill, Michael Qualls, Bruce Smith, Tom West
<b>Welcome Center</b> .....	9:00 Beth Russell, Sandy Kocanowski ..... 10:30 Lynne Stefanik, Becky Carter

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Shalimar UMC



Visit us online:  
[shalimar-umc.org](http://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

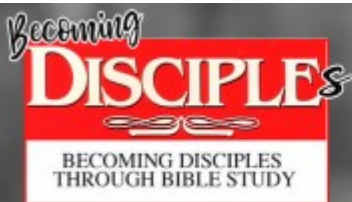
Text to Give  
850-203-3057

## Ministerial Staff

Dr. Philip McVay - Lead Pastor

Rev. Brian Dale.....	Executive Pastor
Rev. Faith Parry .....	Connection 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





Wednesdays starting Jan 9  
Led by Bill & Linda McBroom  
FLC room 208 | 6pm  
More info call 651-2080



THE GOD WHO  
**CREATES**



*Military Family Group*

- Sundays starting Jan 13th | 6-7pm
- 7-Week Study

• Explore what happened "In the beginning" as God laid the foundation of the earth and then established a path for the redemption of His people through His covenant with Abraham

Contact Jeanne Racquier for more info at 850-362-7271

Wednesdays • 5-6:15 PM

Wed. Jan. 16th

Adults 7.00

Kids (3-10) \$3.00

Max \$25 Per Household

## FELLOWSHIP DINNER

**ENTREE:** *Houston Style Ham*

**SALAD OPTION:** *Chef*

**KID OPTION:** *Corn Dogs*

RSVP ON COMMUNICATION CARD, CALL 651-0721, OR TEXT DINNER TO 850-204-4545 BY NOON ON WEDNESDAYS

# Philip's Focus

## 12x12 Orientation Sessions This Week

I had no idea what to expect two years ago when 12x12 began. Since then, we've had twelve people meet over thirty times and grow in our discipleship and leadership. Meeting together, this team exceeded my expectations! Last year expectations were exceeded and in February, we will begin our third year of 12x12 with another team!

What is 12x12? It is a program designed to recapture our Biblical and historical roots. Jesus began with twelve disciples that formed the church and changed the world. John Wesley organized class meetings (small groups) that laid the foundation for the birth of Methodism. Today, there are still a great many possibilities when a small team grows in discipleship and leadership together.

The general expectation is to meet for twelve months once a week for two hours with holiday and other breaks scheduled throughout the year. 12x12 is a high commitment and attendance is expected unless prevented.

During each session we will seek to learn and grow in our discipleship together. We will also grow in leadership and in identifying and using our gifts for God. We will encourage each other, dream together, and hold each other accountable with love. 12x12 seeks to be exponential and invites participants to form their own teams, renew existing teams or chase God sized dreams.

If you want to know more about 12x12 there are two orientations this week. The first will be on Monday, January 14, at 5pm in the chapel. The second will be on Wednesday, January 16, at 7pm in Room 106. Come check it out and see if 12x12 is something for you this New Year! The plans are to launch our new 12x12 team in February!

Shalom,  
Philip

Dr. Philip McVay, Lead Pastor  
[philip@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:philip@shalimar-umc.org)







2019-2020

Registration is open Jan 14th

SEE KAREN-PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR | IN THE PRESCHOOL OFFICE | 651-0721

VPK REGISTRATIONS MUST HAVE VPK CERTIFICATE

FOUND AT [HTTPS://FAMILYSERVICES.FLORIDAEARLYLEARNING.COM/](https://familyservices.floridaearlylearning.com/)



## Next Steps



[sumc.io/discover](http://sumc.io/discover)

Our next Discover Shalimar will be **Jan 13** at 9:30 in room 211 and **Jan 20** at 12:30 in room 106.

Come learn how to make Shalimar UMC your church home. Find a group, a place to serve, and learn the church's mission in the community. Text **DISCOVER** to 850-204-4545.

## United Methodist Men's Breakfast

Speaker needed for the next UMM breakfast, January 20, 2019. Join us in room 106 of the Family Life Center. All are welcome.



Also in need of a cook, contact me at [keith\\_e\\_l@yahoo.com](mailto:keith_e_l@yahoo.com) or mobile 850-218-2366.



# 2019 New Classes & Studies

For additional information and child care details, visit [Shalimar-umc.org/groups](http://Shalimar-umc.org/groups). You'll also find a full group listing. Most classes have child care available upon request. Questions, contact Pastor Faith 850-420-9888.

***A Matter of Balance Class*** This free class is for anyone concerned about balance or falling. The group will begin 8 weeks of book and practical work on Monday, January 14 from 9-11am and class is limited to 12.

***Monday Evening Bible Study*** This group will gather again January 14 to work through the New Testament book 2 Timothy through ***Entrusted*** by Beth Moore. Ralph Johnson will lead this 6-week study from 6-8pm.

***Tuesday Evening Men's Study*** The Journeymen guys will gather again on January 8. This regular group meets at 6pm and is always open to new members.

***Wednesday Morning Women's Studies*** Splash of Joy #1 resumes January 9 with ***God of Creation*** by Jen Wilkin focusing on the beginning of the Bible in Genesis 1-11. All women are welcome for this 10-week study from 9:30-11:30am led by Sara Michaelson. Splash of Joy #2 resumes January 9 with the study ***Job: A Story of Unlikely Joy*** by Lisa Harper from 9:30-11:30 am. Everyone is welcome for this 7-week study led by Cathie Buckman.

***Pastor's Class on Wednesday Nights*** Pastors Phillip and Brian will continue to lead on Wednesday nights starting back on Jan. 9 from 6-7pm in the Family Life Center after Fellowship dinner. They will start with the book ***Awakening*** following on the Sermon series ***Stirrings: Awaken Your Soul to God***.

***Becoming Disciples*** will be a new class led by Bill and Linda McBroom on Wednesdays beginning Jan. 9. They will use the study book ***DISCIPLE 1*** and meet from 6-7pm.

***Working Women 4 Christ*** small group moves to Wednesday nights in 2019. Mary Alice Turner leads as they wrap-up a study of Daniel. Anyone is invited to jump-in at any time as they gather from 6:30-8pm.

***MERGE Young Adults Thursday Evening Group*** This group is made up of single young adults 18-30's who are seeking God's guidance in life. They meet 6:30-8:30 pm at the #10 2nd Street house with Michelle Carmical as facilitator.

***Sunday GriefShare*** The Support Group will begin a new session of GriefShare January 13 with Nancy Kahrs leading. They will meet from 3-4:30pm for 13 weeks and all are welcome. Please let us know you are coming.

***Military Family Group*** All who are connected to someone in the military are welcome to join this small group which will begin meeting again on Sunday, January 13 with a 7-week study ***The God Who Creates***. Jeanne Racquier & Deb Hutto will lead the discussion starting at 6pm.



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serves



As the new year begins and we consider where to serve the Lord, consider joining in one of the monthly Mission Team meetings to learn of opportunities at the church campus, in our community or beyond to offer your talents and time. The Team meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays at 6pm in our Chapel or contact Team Leader Pete Peters at [fpeters1@cox.net](mailto:fpeters1@cox.net).

## Employment Opportunity

Shalimar United Methodist Church (SUMC), Shalimar, FL is seeking a church organist. This position supports the two Traditions Services (8:00 am and 11:00 am) each Sunday. Duties would include:

- Prelude
- Occasional offertory
- Strong support of congregational singing
- Collaboration with the church pianist

The position is paid on a per session basis. The average number of sessions each week for the church organist is 2-3. This would equal an average annual compensation of \$6,500-\$8,000.

SUMC is a dynamic church with a strong and active music ministry that supports the church's worship ministry. The church organist is a vital part of these ministries especially the Traditions music ministry. SUMC is looking for a talented organist with above average skills willing to support and work with these vibrant ministries. Good accompaniment skills are an additional plus.

The position is currently open. All interested candidates should forward a resume to Rev. Dr. Brad Bradford, Worship Pastor, at [Brad@Shalimar-umc.org](mailto:Brad@Shalimar-umc.org).



### CHECK IT OUT !!!

Knowing you're up to your eyebrows checking off your many CHRISTmas lists, this won't take long....this is a simple invitation to reflect and relax, (even if just for a short time) in our library. To help a bit with that "relax and reflect" things, several small books are gathered together

in a small basket on the library table, a simple offering of thought-filled books specially written for the CHRISTmas season that just might keep the true CHRISTmas spirit alive in your hearts! Just sit down for a few minutes and allow books to fill you up during this busy time. MERRY CHRISTmas from our books to your hearts and minds!



## Mexico Mission Team Visits the Orphanage... Again

“I love you, Miss Connie,” Raul said as he was heading back to the boy’s dorm.

“I love you” is something I say to my adult children whenever we talk on the phone. Sometimes it’s said so routinely that the phrase loses its power. But this time, it brought tears to Connie’s eyes because of the story behind it.

When the Mission team made its annual trip to Casa Hogar Elim Orphanage in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, it was Mark and Connie Wilson’s ninth trip.

This year, five members of Shalimar UMC joined the multi-church mission team: Mark, Connie and their son Kyle along with Kyra and Aspen Lenox. It was a seven day trip to bring love and hope to the 95 children who call Casa Hogar home.

Mark and Connie met Raul nine years ago on their very first visit. At the time, he was eight years old and full of misdirected energy acting out so much so, that he became a real distraction for the other children. The particular circumstances of Raul’s life are not the subject here, but the children of Nuevo Laredo are often given up by parents out of desperation or find refuge there from the violence of the local drug cartel. Raul’s anger issues were understandable under the circumstances. The Wilsons, however, along with other members of the team showed unconditional love to Raul while the rest of the world showed cold indifference.

Now nine years later, Raul is a confident and loving seventeen year old young man ready to face the world with the strength of God’s love. Last year, he even traveled with the mission team to Puerto Vallarta and learned what it was like to serve instead of being served. It was not the attention they gave him that first year, or any particular year, but the ongoing, long-term love they showed each time they visited. Raul came to understand that he would see them again each year, and that he could count on them. It is in these long-term relationships that we are able to make a real difference in the lives of other people.



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We can be so proud that our Mexico mission team is transforming the lives of these children, one person at a time. We can also be proud that this is made possible through the efforts and generosity of our church family. If you would like to be a part of this wonderful ministry, contact Mark or Connie Wilson. There's room on the bus for you! If you are unable to go to Mexico with them, just know that you are still part of the team in any way you support them. Thanks to our church family for making this possible.

See you at Shalimar,  
Pastor Brian

**Brian Dale, Executive Pastor**  
brian@shalimar-umc.org



Pete Peter [fpeters1@cox.net](mailto:fpeters1@cox.net)



## **GOLD NIGHT SHELTER**



**Volunteers Needed**

**\* Saturday Nights**

**\* Temps Below 40°**

More Info Contact Bill Robinson 850-585-5472



## **Pastor's Class**

Join us in FLC Room 106 each  
Wednesday at 6:00 pm



# REBOOT

## COMBAT RECOVERY

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REBOOT is a **free course** – not a support group –  
providing **practical help** for service members and families  
dealing with the after effects of combat.

You won't find shortcuts or easy answers,  
but instead **you'll find solutions that last.**

## STARTING JANUARY 23

## REGISTER NOW AT [REBOOTRECOVERY.COM](http://REBOOTRECOVERY.COM)

MEETING DAY/TIME:

**WEDNESDAYS**  
5:00–7:00 PM

MEETING LOCATION:

**10 2nd St**  
(Behind Shallimar UMC)  
Shallimar, FL 32579

CONTACT FOR INFO:

**Deb Hutto**  
AVECLite@gmail.com  
(850) 240-2564

★ DINNER & CHILDCARE PROVIDED ★

## 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 Welcome Center. 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.






## Prayer Room

The Prayer Room is always available for your use. **The code to enter is 1423.** 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 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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## Prayer Chain

To add someone to the prayer chain or share an answered prayer, please email [prayer@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:prayer@shalimar-umc.org) or contact the SUMC church office at 651-0721. If you would like to receive the prayer requests and praises through email, please call the church office, 651-0721 or email [prayer@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:prayer@shalimar-umc.org). 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 email [prayer@shalimar-umc.org](mailto:prayer@shalimar-umc.org).

NEW

entrusted

A Study of 2 Timothy by BETH MOORE!

Monday Night Bible Study

6-7 pm

led by Ralph Johnson

This study will guide each of us to learn to guard what God has entrusted to us. Invite your spouse, family member, or friend to do the study with you. Reply, text Ralph at 621-2391, or sign up in the FLC after Christmas so that books can be ordered. Class begins Jan 14th.

PURCHASE TICKETS IN THE FLC

Women's Brunch & Workshop

Topic  
**dare to dream**  
DISCOVER GOD'S UNIQUE  
PLANS & PURPOSES  
FOR YOUR LIFE

Sat, Feb 23, 2019  
9am - 1pm  
FLC

Speaker  
Whitney Meade  
-CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S EVENT SPEAKER  
-COO, MEAGLE PRODUCTION AGENCY  
-YOUTUBE CREATOR



DO YOU HAVE CONCERNS  
ABOUT FALLING?

Join in a new presentation *A Matter of Balance, Managing Concerns About Falls*, sponsored through West Florida AHEC. This 8-week class will meet Monday mornings from 9:00-11:00 am, beginning Jan. 14. A study guide is used along with exercise movements to reduce falls and increase strength and balance. There is no charge, but class size is limited to the first 12 to make a commitment. Contact Program Director, Kim Margold for more information or to sign up.

Join Us!

# Friendship Club



## FRIENDSHIP CLUB NEWS

(A ministry for all adults in the church)

**Tuesday February 12** - 11:30 am luncheon/meeting in the Family Life Center (FLC). Come enjoy a fun Valentine and Friendship Club birthday celebration honoring all those with a birthday, any month! Bring a signed birthday card (humorous/belated) and a “white elephant” gag gift wrapped in newspaper, brown bag, or tissue. Come even if you don’t have one of these (one will be provided)! Lunch by Chef Heyward, cost is \$7.00. Call the church office, 651-0721 by noon **Feb 11** for lunch reservation or just to attend.

**Saturday February 16<sup>th</sup> Trip** - Cold Creek BBQ (Niceville) early dinner and a visit to the Panhandle Opry in Mossy Head for good time country music-Details coming.

**12 March Program** - Brief Meeting, followed by Lenten Lunch in the FLC. Cost \$7.00

**24 March Trip** - “Mama Mia” a Stagecrafters’s musical matinee play (details coming).

**9 April Program** - Brief Meeting, followed by Lenten Lunch in the FLC. Cost \$7.00

**April Trip** (exact date TBD) - Mobile, AL Exploreum to see the Genghis Khan exhibit (& optional IMAX film). Further details coming.  
Check out their website: <http://www.exploreum.com/exhibits/genghiskhan/>

**For additional information**

**Ollie Fay Flint: 651-2360**

**Jon & Kathie Sheperd: 651-8008**

**Betty Stewart: 243-5551**



**Blessings for Children**, a new outreach Missions ministry of Shalimar UMC, whose mission is to meet the needs of children in our community while encouraging and developing Christ-centered and church-involved relationships with their families, will open its doors on Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> and we wanted to thank our church family for joining with us to make that happen!

In our outreach to the community, we will be serving families in need who have children ages infant through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. We will serve out of the #10 house on 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, right behind our church, and our volunteers will seek to share God's love and serve His children in need by providing **clothing, personal care items** and **school supplies** to families who visit our ministry, as well as offer Christ-centered materials and church event invitations.

You can help to keep this ministry viable by offering your prayers, providing needed items or financial support, or volunteering to serve. We will need volunteers on any of the days we are open; the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month from 11:30 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. or the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of the month from 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

The following items will be collected the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month in the narthex of the sanctuary and in the FLC lobby. These items will be distributed to those we serve through Blessings for Children and will be an ongoing need. You may also choose to make a financial donation to this ministry and know it will be used in the purchase of needed items.

**CLOTHING (sizes for infants through 5th grades)- socks, underwear, onesies, and t-shirts**

**PERSONAL CARE ITEMS - diapers, wipes, Lice Treatment kit, toilet paper, toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, and shampoo**

**SCHOOL SUPPLIES - washable markers, colored pencils, glue sticks, three-prong folders, scissors, erasers (pencil cap or flat), highlighters, and pencils (regular & fat).**

If you have any questions about this new ministry, or if you would like to join us by praying, donating, or volunteering, please contact Mary Jane Robertson, [mjr53@cox.net](mailto:mjr53@cox.net) or text or call (850) 499-6173.



Shalimar UMC

After School Camp  
& Summer Camp

**Dawn Rozofsky**

**Camp Director**

**850-294-2384**

**Church 651-0721**

**asc@shalimar-umc.org**

## After School Camp

Registration Open!

M-F 2:00-5:30 pm

**Cost:** One Time Registration per year- \$40  
(\$30 for Summer Camp 2018 attendees)

**Weekly rates:** 4/5 Days \$55 per week, 3 Days and  
under \$35 per week .

We learn about God in our daily devotions, serve a healthy snack, homework time, crafts and play.

Our mission is to offer a safe, Christian, loving, environment for children after school.

### WE NEED:

**Volunteers:** Reading buddies and homework helpers from 3:15-4:00 pm, see Camp Director for Volunteer forms.

**Scholarship monies/adopt a child's tuition:** Seeking scholarship funds to help those that need assistance with their tuition to better help us reach those that need a safe, Christian atmosphere.

**Supper Club Table Volunteers:** Sit at the table and monitor table manners and interact with the children.

**Prayers** are always needed!

**SUPPER CLUB:** Has started and is growing on Wednesdays! ASC kids have a great time joining our Children's Ministry for Choir and Kids Club. Sign your child up weekly for Supper Club by Tuesday 5:30 pm, \$3.00 for a child dinner plate. This program is open to all who need it, not just ASC kids!!! Call or email me.

## Merge Young Adults

Michelle Carmical - Lead Facilitator | 850-217-0391



Shalimar UMC Merge

### Merge:

Single Young  
Adults  
(18-30-ish)



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

Merge is for young adults 18-30's who want to grow in their faith together. This group is made up of single young adults who are seeking God's guidance in life. They meet in the #10 house on 2nd Street.

### Rooted:

Colossians 2: 6-9  
Young Adult Couples  
(before children)



Sundays | 10:00 am | #10 2nd Street

Calling all couples, before children, in your 18-30's. Come grow in your faith in a relaxed group environment on Sunday mornings at the #10 house on 2nd Street directly behind the church. You will have opportunities for fellowship and spiritual growth through a wide variety of studies.



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



FusionSUMC



## FUSION

Sunday Night 6:30-8:00 pm in the FLC

## SMALL GROUPS

Wednesday 6:00–8:00 pm in the FLC GYM

## YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday Morning 9:30–10:30 am in Youth Rooms

## GET INFORMED

Text “@FusionSUMC” to #81010 for weekly updates

## Attendance, January 5th & 6th, 2019

Saturday night	28	11:07 am service	186
8:00 am service	139	Children’s Church	0
9:30 am service	121	Live Stream	164
11:00 am service	196		
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>834</b>	

### 21 Days of Worship

	Live Streaming	Special Worship	Total
Mon. 1-7-19	63	118	181
Tues. 1-8-19	60	102	162
Wed. 1-9-19	37	84	121
Thurs. 1-10-19	38	95	133



## Threads of Love

Love to Knit or Crochet?

Our “Threads of Love” group is in need of some additional hands to keep up with creating the Prayer Shawls and Baby Blankets that are our ministry. The group meets on the first and third Mondays of the month at the #10 2<sup>nd</sup> Street house behind the church from 2:00-3:30 pm. But if you would like to work from your home, the details of the designs and yarn are available. For more information please contact Marilyn Canon at 501-658-4352.





**Nursery News:** 8:00 am-12:00 pm - Our Ministry team will welcome your little ones (6 wks-3yrs old) and offer the first look at Jesus and His life for us. Nursery is now open for additional days; Wed. Mornings for our Splash Groups and Thursday Mornings for our MOPS Group.

**Sunday School News:** 9:30 am - Sign in at the FLC kiosk. We bring Bible stories to life each week with our Year's Theme: *The Hero's Among Us*. Each week new people will bring the stories from the Bible to life. This will prove to be an exciting year for Sunday School.

**Looking for Storytime readers, contact me.**

**Children's Church News:** 11/11:07 am - Sign in at the FLC kiosk - bring your children directly to their FLC upstairs classrooms. They will experience their own service with time to worship and praise in a fun and exciting way. Everything we teach in Children's Church is based on one of the three basic, but powerful, truths modeled by Jesus in Luke 2:52.

- ❖ I need to make the wise choice.
- ❖ I can trust God no matter what.
- ❖ I should treat others the way I want to be treated.

Children's Church is designed to provoke discovery and invite kids into a new understanding of how to grow in relationship with Jesus. It focuses on 150 Bible stories, 4 faith skills, and 30 life applications.

**Looking for a new season of servers**

January is fast approaching.

For Children's Ministry this means that we start a new season of serving.

I run four seasons of serving to eliminate overserving.

**For Wed. Nights:**

It runs from Jan 9- March 13<sup>th</sup>.

I am looking for people willing to serve on Wed. Nights from 6:15-8:00pm .

The job description is to be responsible for co-leading a small group.

Our groups are

- ◆ K-1<sup>st</sup> grade
- ◆ 2-3<sup>rd</sup> grade
- ◆ 4-5<sup>th</sup> grade - bridge

This is a special bond and help for discipleship of our young people. You are provided with a lesson plan, craft and activities. We have had a wonderful time with our amazing children. The benefits are so many and the love of God's children is the only skill. I interview each applicant and train you to help you feel confident in the job. If you or someone in your small group has talent and the love of children please direct them my way.

I am hopeful this next season will be a wonderful new start to our New Year!

This might be the call you have been waiting for!

**Just So You Know...Gates on the church playground are open from 9:30 until 12:15 each Sunday.**

# Weekly Schedule

**Sunday, January 13th**

## Worship Times

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

Freedom Band Rehearsal ..... 8:00 am  
Discover Shalimar ..... 9:30 am  
Sunday School for all ages ..... 9:30 am  
Rooted Young Couples ..... 10:00 am  
Children's Church ..... 11:00 am  
Grief Share ..... 3:00 pm  
Youth Band Rehearsal ..... 4:30 pm  
Youth Choir ..... 5:00 pm  
Military Family Group ..... 6:00 pm  
Fusion ..... 6:00 pm  
Special Buddies ..... 6:30 pm

After School Camp  
M-F 2:00 - 5:30 pm

**Monday, January 14th**

**Stirrings Worship Service** ..... 6:00 am  
A Matter of Balance ..... 9:00 am  
GED ..... 9:00 am  
12X12 Orientation ..... 5:00 pm  
Connect Team Rehearsal ..... 5:30 pm  
Alanon II ..... 6:00 pm  
Blue Star Moms ..... 6:00 pm  
Lighthouse Ensemble R. .... 6:00 pm  
Monday Night Bible Study ..... 6:00 pm  
Security Ministry Team ..... 6:30 pm  
BSA Troop 529 Scout Hut ..... 7:00 pm  
Emerald Coast Pops ..... 7:15 pm

**Tuesday, January 15th**

**Stirrings Worship Service** ..... 6:00 am  
Tai Chi ..... 8:00 am  
Backpack Program ..... 2:00 pm  
Freedom Band Rehearsal ..... 5:30 pm  
Disciple 3 ..... 6:00 pm  
Journeymen Workshop ..... 6:00 pm  
Missions Meeting ..... 6:00 pm  
Prayer Group ..... 6:00 pm  
Security Training ..... 6:00 pm  
Break Free Band Practice ..... 7:00 pm  
Finance Committee ..... 7:00 pm  
Freedom Heart Training ..... 7:00 pm

**Wednesday, January 16th**

**Stirrings Worship Service** ..... 6:00 am  
GED ..... 9:00 am  
Splash ..... 9:30 am  
Blessings for Children ..... 11:30 am  
Fellowship Dinner ..... 5:00 pm  
SKC ..... 5:30 pm  
Becoming Disciples ..... 6:00 pm  
Children's Choir ..... 6:00 pm  
Fusion Youth ..... 6:00 pm  
Gloryland Rehearsal ..... 6:00 pm  
Orchestra Rehearsal ..... 6:00 pm  
Pastor's Class ..... 6:00 pm  
Rejoice Rehearsal ..... 6:00 pm  
Single Parent Support Group ..... 6:00 pm  
Working Women for Christ ..... 6:30 pm  
12X12 Orientation ..... 7:00 pm  
Chancel Choir Rehearsal ..... 7:00 pm

**Thursday, January 17th**

**Stirrings Worship Service** ..... 6:00 am  
12X12 ..... 10:00 am  
Alzheimer Support Group ..... 6:00 pm  
Hospitality ..... 6:00 pm  
Merge Young Adults ..... 6:30 pm  
Stephen Ministry Training ..... 6:30 pm  
Emerald Coast Barbershop ..... 7:00 pm

**Friday, January 18th**

**Stirrings Worship Service** ..... 6:00 am

**Saturday, January 19th**

## Worship Time

**Stirrings Worship Service** ..... 9:00 am  
**Break Free Service** ..... 6:00 pm

Blessings for Children ..... 8:30 am  
Break Free Band Rehearsal ..... 4:00 pm  
Break Free Heart Training ..... 7:00 pm