

The Beacon September 29, 2019





# 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.



# The Week of Sunday, Sep 29th

- Save the Date On Oct 6th, we will join Christians around the world to celebrate World Communion Sunday and to celebrate our unity through Jesus Christ. A new sermon series called "Pleasing God, Loving People" a series from the Book of Galatians will begin Oct 6th. Week one will focus on the theme "preaching the gospel of Jesus."
- Feeding Lynn Haven Chef Heyward is looking for 10 volunteers to help feed Lynn Haven Church on Oct 6th. If you are interested in helping, please call 850-428-3060. If you would like to donate towards the expense of the meal, you can make a donation by designating Lynn Haven in the memo of your check.
- Gloryland has been blessing us with worship songs for 25 years, sung in the a cappella barbershop style. Come celebrate their 25th Anniversary with their favorite songs in the sanctuary on Oct 11th at 6:30 pm.
- **Discover Shalimar** Our next Discover Shalimar is **Oct 13th** at 9:30 am in room 211 and **Oct 20th** at 12:30 pm 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.
- Holly Fair On Oct 19th from 8:30 am to 3 pm the 23rd annual Shalimar UMC Holly Fair which features homemade quality arts and crafts. All proceeds support church projects and local outreach programs. To learn more visit sumc.io/hollyfair. Hope to see you there!



# Traditions Worship Service Sunday, September 29, 2019

**Prelude** Orchestra

Praise to the Lord Almighty

**Church Life and Celebrations** \*Rev. Faith Parry

\*\*Rev. Brian Dale

Call to WorshipAll Praise RisingChancel Choir

Soloist, Dr. Brad Bradford

**Hymn of Praise** Maker, in Whom We Live Hymn No. 88

**Affirmation of Faith** Hymn No. 881

Gloria Patri Hymn No. 70

Morning Prayer Rev. Brian Dale

Offertory Hymn At Calvary

Offertory Prayer Dr. Brad Bradford

Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Forever He Is Glorified

The Connect Worship Team and Orchestra

**Doxology** Hymn No. 95

**Scripture Presentation** Matthew 16:24-26

Luke 10: 25-37

**Sermon** Elephants, Strongholds, and Jesus Dr. Philip McVay

**Hymn of Response** Lift High the Cross Hymn No. 159

Closing Prayer Dr. Philip McVay

Closing Song God Bless America

**Postlude** Mary Jo Horner and Joel Lane

\*8:00 Service, \*\*11:00 Service

Children's Church for the 11:00 and 11:07 am services meet in the upstairs FLC Rooms

16th Sunday After Pentecost Green Paraments



# Altar Flowers

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 October 13 & 27

# **Sympathies**



Emily Lacy September 12th, 2019

Mother of Cindy Judy Grandmother of Lisa Sullivan & Laura Judy





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# 31 Day Prayer For Our Pastors Challenge

October is Pastor Appreciation month, and It is my hope that you already pray for SUMC and our Pastors on a regular basis. On behalf of the Tuesday Night Prayer Group and the Prayer Ministry Team, I would like to invite each of you to join us in a commitment to pray for our Pastors (Pastors Philip, Brian, Faith, Brad, and David) each day during the month of October.

We hope that we can count on your support to pray for our Pastors and SUMC for each of the 31 days in October. We are not asking for a time, only a daily commitment to prayer. You will be provided with a "31 day Pray for Your Pastors Challenge" to aid you in praying daily. I know some of you are already praying, and I thank you for doing so.

With all that is happening in this world right now, prayer is more important than ever. What better way to help do our part in changing the world than to start right here at SUMC. It is my belief that prayer does make a difference, so please join us in praying for our pastors each day during the month of October and hopefully continue each day of the year. This could very well be the best gift you could ever give to our pastors for such a time as this.

"God begins answering when the Prayer is made. Prayer triggers the actions in Heaven" (Max Lucado, *Before Amen*).

Thank you in advance for your support.

# Sumc.io/pastorprayer19

Jim Brantley SUMC Prayer Ministry Team Coordinator



# **Scrapbooking**

Friday, October 25 noon to midnight

Saturday, October 26 7am to 4pm

Bring non-perishable food items for Aharing & Caring and a snack to share.





# Serving Sunday, September 29, 2019

Altar Care	Jill Dickey
	9:30 Dewey Hale, Barbara Zipfel
	Barbara Zipfel, Denice Bowen
Flower Delivery	Martha Gorecki
	8:00 Larry & Judy Lewellen
	11:00 Betty Goodwin, Laura Sims
Pew Care	Nancy Johnson
Prayer Room	8:00 Jim Brantley
	9:30 Jim Brantley
	11:00 Jordan Hodges
	8:00 Patricia Payne, Jerry Porter
	9:30 Howard Goodpaster, Dawn Bazzell
	11:00 Gavin Tovrea, Charley Dyess
	11:07 Debbie Epstein, Ron Garriga
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	9:30 Linda Evanchyk, Katie Pascoe
11:00 A	Al & Cathy Ondic, Dave Perez, Luke Carter
Welcome Center	9:30, 10:30 Free To Serve Team

Stay Connected! Facebook: 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	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



# Philip's Focus

Thank You for all Who Have Helped on Saturday Night!

As you likely know by now, we have a change to our worship schedule coming in October. The Break Free Saturday Night Service will conclude this week which means Saturday, September 28, will be our last service. When we begin worship in October, our weekly services will include only our four Sunday service times of 8am, 9:30am, 11:00am and 11:07am.

Let us pause to celebrate how the Break Free Service has touched lives for Jesus and brought inspiration to faithful attenders for over three years. We want to say thank you to God for all who have walked through our worship doors on Saturday Night. We pray those of you who preferred Saturday will find a home in one of our other four services as you continue to worship God through Shalimar UMC.

On behalf of the church, let me also offer thanks to the leadership team, volunteers, and all who have served so faithfully these last several years. Let us give thanks to our Break Free praise team members. We cannot express enough our appreciation for your dedication over the years. The volunteers behind the scenes worship, sound, media, and livestream have also been so faithful and loyal. We are grateful to everyone who has served! Thank you!

Our worship ministries associate, Ben Savage, needs our thanks and appreciation as well. Ben has been one of our most consistent leaders and built a team that has genuinely enjoyed being together. They often lead worship then spend time with each other at Saturday night meals. The closeness among this team has been one of the highlights of the Saturday Service.

Thank you, Brian Dale, for being one of the faithful primary preachers for this service. You have brought many inspiring messages and we are grateful. Thank you Faith Parry and Ron Morse for the many times you have also preached this service. On a personal note, the opportunity to preach on Saturday Night has always been a great way to start the weekend of worship and I will miss the simplicity of this experience.

In closing, thank you, thank you, thank you to all who have contributed prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness on Saturday night. Thanks be to God! Along the way people have come to know Christ and follow as a disciple through this service and it has brought many new members into the church. As we place the service on pause, may we also pause and give thanks to God for this season in the life of Shalimar United Methodist Church!

Shalom,

Philip

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







# Men's Barn Meeting

Thur, Oct 10th | 7-9pm
All Men Welcome
Free Steak Dinner
No Reservations Needed
Meet at Church by 4:30pm

More Info Call John @ 850-737-1007



Chef Heyward
is looking for
10 VOLUNTEERS
to go help feed
Lynn Haven
October 6th. If
interested, please
call 850-428-3060.

Wednesdays. 5-6 P

October 2, 2019

Adults 7.00 Kids (3-10) \$3.00 Max \$25 Per Household

# FELLOWSHIP DINNER

**ENTREE:** Chicken Stew in a Bread Bowl

SALAD OPTION: Ch. Caesar

KID OPTION: Pizza

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

# Join Ust. Friendship Club



(A ministry for all adults)

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

Tuesday, 8 October - 11:30. Join us for our monthly meeting as we welcome Okaloosa County Supervisor of Elections, Paul Lux. Mr. Lux will tell us about his office and provide information for the upcoming local, state, and national elections. Lunch will be provided by Chef Heyward, cost \$7.

Tuesday, 15 October - 9:15. A favorite in the past, we will travel to the Emerald Coast Zoo in Crestview. The big bus will leave the church at 9:15 (load at 9 am) in order to arrive when the zoo opens. The zoo is under new management, so many improvements have been made and new animals added. Following the zoo, we will enjoy lunch at a Uncle Bill's Restaurant in Crestview where they have a great buffet for \$7.95. Since we only have one bus, seating will be limited to the first 33 people that sign up. More can come but will have to drive. Contact the church office by noon on October 14th if interested in this outing.



Please call the Church office (651-0721) by the Monday prior to make a reservation.

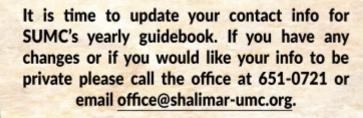
For additional information

Ollie Fay Flint: 651-2360

Jon & Kathie Sheperd: 651-8008

Betty Stewart: 243-5551







# Shalimar United Methodist Church's 23rd Annual Holly Fair

Saturday, October 19, 2019 8:30 am to 3:00 pm SUMC, I Old Ferry Road, Shalimar

THIS FREE EVENT WILL HAVE OVER 70 VENDORS AND ARTISTS SHOWCASING THEIR HANDMADE ARTS AND CRAFTS... COME AND ENJOY THE HOLLY BERRY BAKERY AND GALLERIA OF CRAFTS...MAKE SURE TO STOP BY THE HOLLY BERRY CAFÉ FOR BREAKFAST AND LUNCH OPTIONS!

> All proceeds Support Church Projects and Local Outreach Programs. sumc.io/hollyfair

SHARING HIS LOVE AND SUPPORTING COMMUNITY NEEDS THROUGH ARTS AND CRAFTS





# one + ONE Singles

Please come join us every Monday night at 6:00 pm in the #10 2nd Street for a lot of good fun, fellowship, and different activities. If you are 50+, single, and looking for a Christian environment, please come and join our group and bring a friend. All are welcome from SUMC and the community.

# Threads of Love Love to Knit or Crochet?

Our "Threads of Love" group is in need of some additional hands to help create Prayer Shawls and Baby Blankets. We meet on the first and third Mondays of each month at #10 2nd Street behind the church from 2:00 - 3:30 pm. If you would like to work from home, design details and yarn are available. For more information, please contact Marilyn Canon at 501-658-4352.





Dawn Rozofsky Camp Director Cell: 850-294-2384 Church: 850-651-0721 asc@shalimar-umc.org

# After School Camp

#### Our Mission:

Offer a safe, loving and Christian environment for children after school.

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

# Registration Is Open! M-F 2:00-5:30 pm

\$40 - Annual one time registration \$30 Registration fee for Summer Camp attendees Weekly rates: \$55 weekly - 4/5 days

\$35 weekly 3 days or less

# Ways You Can Help!

**Volunteers:** We need Reading Buddies and Homework Helpers from 3:15 - 4:00pm. See Camp Director for Volunteer forms!

**Scholarship Money/Adopt a Child's Tuition:** We are seeking scholarship funds for tuition assistance so a safe, Christian atmosphere can be provided for those who need it most.

Prayers: We are always grateful for prayers!

Wednesday Night Supper Club: ASC kids enjoy joining our Children's Ministry for Choir and Kids Club. Sign up weekly for Supper Club by Tuesday 5:30pm. Only \$3.00 for a children's dinner plate! This program isn't just for ASC kids; it's for anyone who needs it!!! Call or email Dawn for details.





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



# **FusionSUMC**



# **FUSION**

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

# STUDENT 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

# Merge Young Adults

David James - Facilitator (850) 217-9632



Shalimar UMC Merge

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



Merge is for young adults 18-28 who want to grow in their faith together. This group is made up of young adults who are seeking God's guidance in life. They meet in the house at #10 2nd Street.

# Attendance, September 22, 2019

Saturday night1011:07 am service958:00 am service134Live Stream1419:30 am service11411:00 am service172Children's Church23

TOTAL 689



# Join in the Discipleship! Join in the Fun!

Sunday School 9:30-10:30am - Courtyard classrooms

Children's Church 11:00am-12:00pm - Upstairs FLC

Wed. Night Kidz Club:

Supper Club 4:45-5:30pm

Playground Time 5:30-6:00pm

Children's Choir 6:00-6:45pm - room 1,3 & Sanctuary

Kidz Club Large Group 6:45-7:25pm - FLC

Kidz Club Small Groups 7:30-8:00pm - FLC Rooms 103, 104 & 105

# **October Schedule**

Oct. 2 - Wed Night Kidz Club

X-Marks the Spot

Matthew 13:44-46 - Memory verse: Proverbs 24:3-4

Oct. 4 - 7:00 am FCA Meeting at Shalimar Elementary School

Oct. 5 - Canceled - Bridge Event (Jennifer out of town)

Oct. 9 - Wed Night Kidz Club

You Are the Treasure

Luke 15:8-10 - Memory verse: Ephesians 2:8

Oct. 16 - Wed Night Kidz Club

Mission Assignment

Acts 9:1-19 - Memory verse: Mark 10:27

Oct. 19 - 11:30 am - 2:00 pm Holly Fair - Bridge helps Service Day (wear t-shirts)

Oct. 23 - Wed Night Kidz Club

Incredible Skills

Acts 14:8-20 - Memory Verse: 2 Corinthians 5:17



# How We Are Hearing the "Cry of the Needy"

On communion Sundays, we say a Prayer of Confession and Pardon and ask God to forgive us for having "failed to be an obedient church" and include the painful line, "we have not heard the cry of the needy." Throughout the years, Shalimar UMC has carried out God's command to do His will and love their neighbors. There is scarcely a non-profit organization around that could operate without the volunteers that come from this church family. SUMC has an ongoing history of events, groups, and individuals that live out "in joyful obedience" service to others. Faith Backpacks, Bus Ministry, REBOOT, Grief Share, Prayer ministry, Stephen Ministry are only just a few.

Blessings for Children is an SUMC Missions ministry, and with your support is striving to hear "the cry of the needy" by serving children in need. Children ages newborn through 5th grade are served with clothing, personal care items, and school supplies. Each Wednesday from noon to 3:30 pm in the #10 2nd Street house behind the church, volunteers meet with these families and share God's love and hope. They talk with them, hear their prayer concerns, meet their practical needs, offer Christian materials and invite them to participate in our church's offerings. In short, we connect them with the love and hope of God.

We are able to do this because our church hears "the cry of the needy." Through this ministry, we have provided 160+ services to meet the needs of 90+ children (many repeat visitors) since we opened in January 2019.

Please join us in helping to continue this ministry in any of the following ways:

- Pray for this ministry and all who participate
- Volunteer once a month (no computers, just helping people!)
- 3rd Sunday of each month, donate any of the items we distribute. Diapers, wipes, socks, underwear, toothpaste, toilet paper are always needed and a complete list of items we distribute can be found on our webpage (below). Bins are located in the sanctuary narthex or the Family Life Center lobby. Donations can also be brought to the #10 2nd St. house on Wednesday afternoons between 11:30 3:30 pm
- Consider a financial contribution designated for Blessings for Children.

SUMC will continue to hear "the cry of the needy" and we thank you for allowing Blessings for Children to be a part of meeting those needs.

For additional information

Mary Jane Robertson

Email: mjr53@cox.net

Visit: sumc.io/blessings

Phone: (850) 499-6173



# 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.

# 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

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BF/F		5:30 pm	
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Journeymen ......6:00 pm

Prayer Group ......6:00 pm

BF/F Band ......6:30 pm

12x12......7:00 pm

BF/F Worship......7:30 pm

# Wednesday, October 2nd

9:30 am
11:30 am
5:00 pm
5:00 pm
5:30 pm
6:00 pm
7:00 pm
7:30 pm

## Thursday, October 3rd

MOPS Steering Meeting	9:30 am
Jim Ross Men's Group	12:00 pm
War Room Study	6:00 pm
Cub Scout Pack/Scout Hut.	6:30 pm
Merge	6:30 pm
Emerald Coast Barbershop.	7:00 pm

# Friday, October 4th No Activities

### Saturday, October 5th

Encourager's SS Party......4:00 pm

1 Old Ferry Road P.O. Box 795, Shalimar, FL 32579 (850) 651-0721 shalimar-umc.org office@shalimar-umc.org Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 8 am - 4 pm • Friday 8 am - Noon