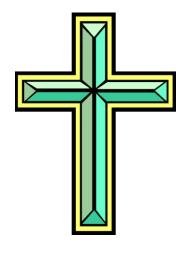


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The Remedy for the Church's Post-COVID Malaise

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I saw a pastor refer recently to the challenge of "COVID malaise" in the church today. Our spiritual muscles have atrophied. Drawn away from once-weekly (and often more-than-once-a-week) gatherings, we've grown accustomed to sporadic church attendance. Many believers who used to serve in various church and community programs have disengaged, reducing the volunteer force. Restaurants and businesses have "Now Hiring" signs in their windows; many churches would like to put up signs of their own, "We need volunteers. Help wanted."

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It's been almost two years since COVID altered our lives. I hear pastors and church leaders talk about surviving the pandemic spiritually and emotionally, and then enduring the fallout in their congregations. Many harbor grave concerns about ministry right now and about the long-term sustainability of those who have been tasked with leading the church.

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My students at Wheaton last fall, many of whom pastor large churches, expressed a sense of disappointment and disillusionment. "The chaos of the last two years burned away all the chaff of our programs, vision statements, and attendance numbers, and we were left staring face-to-face with the core essence of the discipleship we'd been doing . . . and it wasn't pretty," one said. Another lamented: "I thought the resurrection would've made more of a difference than it did."

Add to this stressful stew the ingredients of politicization, debates over health measures, the reality of racial injustice, and a dash of social media slander, and it's no wonder so many pastors feel they're barely hanging on. In response, many congregations are focused these days on sustainability, hoping just to hold on to what they have, concerned about the church's slow and steady decline, and wondering when we'll officially be on the "other side" of this crisis in order to rebuild for the future.

In response to cultural and spiritual malaise, two dangers present themselves.

Maintenance over Mission

The first is that the church would begin to prioritize maintenance over the mission. We develop into a "holy huddle" where our focus is on the barracks and no longer on the battlefield. We picture ourselves as soldiers having survived a heavy bombardment and the goal has become, *Don't lose any more ground*. Launching a new initiative or moving forward—those elements of the mission don't occupy our minds.

The danger here, of course, is this: when maintenance replaces mission, the church moves backward. We turn inward. It's like surviving an illness and then defining "success" as recovering enough to make it back to what we were like before we were sick, but without a greater vision of what we might do with restored health.

Weary pastors worry that their church members have lost sight of the mission. And more than a few church leaders worry they too may be slipping into maintenance mode. I'm too tired to focus on the mission, I just don't want to lose any more people.

To the weary pastor who reads these words and feels the burden: be encouraged. The game is not lost. The battle is not over. You're still here. You're still walking with Jesus. God's call remains. The mission will move forward, and you and your church will be a part of God's work.

But beware of the second danger, which is even more subtle than the first.

Mission over Our Maker

If the first danger is that we prioritize maintenance over the mission, the second is that we prioritize mission over our Maker. Mark Galli diagnosed this ailment a few years ago when he warned of a pervasive problem among evangelicals—becoming so busy in efforts aimed at doing good in the world that *we forget God*.

In a series of blog posts I engaged in <u>extensive interaction with Galli</u> about the strengths and weaknesses of his diagnosis, and I took issue with his criticism of a "missional" understanding of the church. But despite my disagreement with Mark over the missional movement, I echo his primary concern: the work of ministry can supplant our pursuit of God himself. Our service can get in the way of our relationship.

When we prioritize the mission of the church over learning to love and adore our Maker, we engage in more and more efforts at growing the congregation, serving the community, and "furthering the kingdom," while running the risk of making God a means to some other end.

"God wants worshipers before workers," wrote A. W. Tozer. "Indeed the only acceptable workers are those who have learned the lost art of worship."

Desperate for Jesus

Yes, it's important to rediscover the mission of the church and devote ourselves to evangelism and missions. Surely this is a vital step in countering the post-COVID malaise that shrinks our vision to mere maintenance of what we have. But the mission isn't the ultimate answer. The solution to the "maintenance over mission" problem is the pursuit of our Maker—of coming to know him, love him, adore him, worship him, revere him more. It's to find in him the strength we need in a time of weariness, to recapture a vision of his heart for us as his children, to follow him as our Shepherd and trust his good intentions.

And what better place to rediscover the unfailing, unflagging strength of the Lord than in the valleys of suffering? What better time to experience Jesus as our all in all than in a season when we feel we have nothing left to give? Chuck Swindoll once said, "The scary thing about ministry is that you can learn to do it."

Perhaps it's here, when we've come to the end of ourselves, when all the old measures for monitoring "how we're doing"—those Bs of <u>bodies</u>, <u>buildings</u>, <u>budgets</u>, <u>and baptisms</u>—have been altered by the pandemic, that we're most ready to hear afresh the gospel and to taste again the goodness of the One who called us into his service.

The answer to a church focused merely on maintenance is not ultimately a reminder of the Great Commission but an encounter with the Great Commissioner.

Elder's Corner

by Ruth Stiehl

I have been blessed by many things in my life (my father's blood pressure notwithstanding). One of the many is a granddaughter and daughter-in-law who write the most wonderful thank you notes. I know I will receive one of those thank you notes every time we give one of them a gift--no matter how small. And, I look forward to reading them because they always include the reason they enjoyed the gift and close with a "Love you lots".

For this Elder's Corner, I would like to write a "thank you note' to First Christian Church of the Beaches. So here goes.

Dear First Christian Church of the Beaches,

I thank you for being what a true Christian church should be--a body of Christians who meet together to proclaim the gospel through worship and teaching and display God's love through support, prayer and love. Instead of being all about the pastors (although we have had and have some really God-centered ones), it is and always has been about the people who are FCCB. People who pull together in the worst of times and share joy in the best of times. And we have had and continue to have both.

It is very telling that we don't always agree on everything but, even in our disagreements, we allow each other to express our thoughts and opinions and remain courteous and generous with those with whom we disagree.

The main thing on which we do agree is that Jesus in Lord and we are blessed by the Best. We come together each Sunday to His table to celebrate His death and resurrection and invite all fellow believers to join in this blessing.

In the first chapter of the epistle of James he says he will show his faith through works. It is not enough to just say we have faith, but that we must demonstrate what we believe through how we live. I believe that you, FCCB, do so in many ways. One important way is that ten percent of all funds collected go to reach out into the community to help those less fortunate. And, throughout the year, additional offerings are given to support ways to show God's love to the world.

But to bring it down to a more personal level are all the "small" acts of support, kindness, generosity, and sharing, that individuals within our FCCB family exhibit every day. These are too many to enumerate but I will mention some of them and hope you have been blessed by them as I have.

The person who shows up at your door with a basket of fruit when you are sick and unable to get to the store. The person who takes you to the doctor or grocery or hospital because you can't do it for yourself. The person who calls and asks how you are doing because he/she has not seen or heard from you in a while. The person who sends a card, note or email when you are sick or have lost a loved one. The people who organize the receptions after a funeral or for a birthday. The members of the choir and the praise band who sing for the glory of God each Sunday. The people who prepare Wednesday night dinners that enhance the enjoyment of eating together. The people who teach Sunday School and Bible classes that help us learn more about God and the way in which He would like us to live. The people who help with cold night shelters for the homeless. The people who staff the nursery and work with the children to show the little ones God's love. The people who volunteer to work with older children and teens to make sure they have opportunities to participate in positive experiences with other kids. And I could go on and on...

But, perhaps, the most important thing for which I say thanks is that FCCB shows God's presence through prayer. The monthly prayer list, available to all next to the Sunday morning bulletins, is long because there are so many needs, not only in our church, but in the community, nation, and world. If one of us has a need, we can ask for prayer and it is done! Prayer is an integral part of FCCB. The prayer warriors are such an important part of what FCCB is charged to be by God. They follow the prayer from Ephesians 3:14-19.

"I kneel before the Father, from whom his whole family in heaven and earth derives its name. I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established by love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge--that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God."

In closing this thank you note, I express my sincere appreciation to FCCB for the wonderful opportunities I have had to witness what a church should be for God--for the people who have enriched my life and the lives of my family. It is hard to explain how much my life has been blessed by being a part of this church. So, thank you. And...Love you Lots!! Ruth

FCCB Meeting Summary – Body of Trustees

There was no meeting in February.

Stewardship

By Bill Gowen

The Scope of Stewardship

When the topic of stewardship comes up, most people think of only one area: money. But from a biblical point of view, stewardship is all-inclusive. It touches every area of life, including our time and talent as well as our treasure. Stewardship is faithfully using whatever God gives us (opportunities, interests, skills, employment, family, talents, spiritual gifts, land, money, etc.) for His glory. The theme of stewardship ranges from Genesis 1-2 when God made the man and woman stewards of this planet, to Revelation 21-22 when God will make His children stewards of the new creation.

Youth House Steering Committee

Committee Report by Rita Vernon Youth House Steering Committee Chair

If you go by "the Beach Barn", you will see that the driveway and sidewalk have been poured. We are nearing completion, but there is still work to be done. A small group has volunteered to do a walk through to develop a 'punch list' for the contractor as soon as the company indicates it is ready. Please continue with your prayers for this project as they are much appreciated. Also, we are still taking donations in the hopes that we can pay off the loan sooner than anticipated.

Prayer Ministry

by Rita Vernon Prayer Ministry Team Chair

Coming up is the Easter Prayer Vigil, Friday, April 15th from 5:00pm to 5:00pm on Saturday, April 16th. You will be praying from home, so no need to travel. Be sure to check out the March and April Tidal wave for a prayer list that you can use as part of your prayer time. If you need a prayer list, please contact the office or any member of the Prayer Ministry and we will see that you get one. Prayer Ministry members are Murray Trotta, Betty Mills, Debbie Claytor, Gary Grider, John Campbell, and Rita Vernon.

If you would like to join the Prayer Ministry or just come see what we do, please join us for our next meeting on Friday, March 11th at 8:30 PM in the Church Library.

Mission Moment

Barbara Lynn, Mission Team Leader

Where is FCCB'\$ Trea\$ure?

Jesus admonished His disciples not to store up treasures here on earth, but to stockpile treasure in heaven. He went on to explain that where our treasure is our heart will be also. (Matthew 6:19-21)

Do you know that as a church we are committed to sharing 10% of each month's undesignated tithes and offerings? The monies are given in Christ's name to meet local, national, and international ministry needs. Input from members, church leadership, and the direction of the Holy Spirit guide the decisions to disburse funds made by the Missions Team. We give to some ministries regularly. Others are special offerings. Individual needs are also met with your Missions money. Below is a summary of FCCB's 2021 Missions giving of over \$57,000.

Monthly Gifts

Anchor Academy Pantry
ARC of the St. Johns
Beaches Community Kitchen
Beaches Emergency Assistance Ministry (B.E.A.M.)
Child Fund International
Dial-A-Ride
Fellowship of Christian Athletes
Florida Christian Center
Mission House
Seniors on a Mission
Sulzbacher Clinic-Beaches

Special Gifts

B.E.A.M.
First Coast Women's Services
Individual Needs
International Fountain of Hope
Love Packages
Mission House
Neptune Beach Police Empty Stocking Fund
Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes
Rock Solid Bible Camp
Week Of Compassion-Mayfield, KY, Tornado Relief

It is the desire of your Mission Team to be faithful in spending our church tithe according to Christ's teaching, for the glory of God alone. We are open to your suggestions. Please share them with us!

Campus Activities

FCCB Students, grades 6-12, will continue to meet on Sunday nights, 5:30-7:00pm (dinner provided). Please note the new times.

Stretching and Toning Class Tuesdays at 9am.

Bring your mat or use one of the church's chairs. Men and Women welcome.

Bible Study with Don Lynn, Tuesday nights, 6:30-7:30pm

Wednesday Nights: Dinner, Bible Study, Kids, and Choir

Anyone interested in volunteering in the kitchen, please call Ruth Stiehl at 904-994-5215.

Dinner, 5:30-6:30pm \$5 Adults / \$3 Kids & Students Bible Study with Don Peters for Adults, 6:30pm Kids K-5, 6:30pm Choir, 6:30pm Nursery open, 6:15pm

March Dinner Menu

2nd - Robert St. John Pot Roast, Roasted Vegetable Medley, Bread, Salad, Fresh Apple Cake w/ Caramel Frosting

9th - Turkey Lasagna Florentine, Honey Glazed Carrots, Broccoli, Bread, Salad, Pineapple Upside Down Cake

16th - Off for Spring Break

23rd - Hawaiian Pineapple Pork Chops, Zucchini Casserole, Lauries Baked Cream Corn, Bread, Salad, Lemon Surprise Dessert

30th "- Simple Supper" (last Wednesday each month, simple but still as good!)

Beer Cheese Soup, Vegetable Soup, Cornbread, Salad, Ice Cream with Sprinkles

Peanut Butter & Jelly Crustables with chips (for the kids)

Notes from Nancy

by Nancy Barrett

Choir is looking forward to singing Gospel music this month to go with our Sunday morning 9am worship messages. Pastor Nathan will bring us Gospel scripture messages all month:

Gospel In My Heart (Matt.19:16-30)

Gospel in My Mind (Eph. 6:10-18)

Gospel Around Table (Eph. 6:26-30)

Gospel With Us (Acts 2:42-47)

Gospel in Actions (1 Peter 1:9-12)

We have had several choir members out with Covid. We ask for prayers, for them and all the people in our church who are not well. Most are having mild symptoms and we are thankful for that.

We are starting to prepare Easter music. Our Easter cantata will be the Sunday after Easter, April 24. We welcome you to rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 6:30, if you would like to join us. If you have ever sung the Hallelujah Chorus you will be welcomed to join the choir that Sunday as we end our cantata.

Christian Women's Fellowship

Attention all Ladies!!

Christian Women's Fellowship (CWF) would like you to join us at our monthly meetings held at the church. We meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 10:00 AM. We enjoy a morning of fellowship which includes a devotion, a lesson/study, followed by a short business meeting.

We financially support First Coast Women's Services, Florida Christian Center and Salvation Army, along with other local charities as our funds allow. We also support our summer youth camps and provide birthday parties at three local senior housings.

It's a wonderful way to get to know each other better! Mark your calendars now – our next CWF meetings are March 22nd and April 26th. We hope to see you then!

Scout News

by Barre Barrett

Pack 40 Cub Scouts

Meet on Tuesday nights in the Fellowship Hall from 6pm-7pm

Troop 40 BSA Scouts

Meet on Tuesday nights in the Fellowship Hall from 7pm-8:30pm

Upcoming Events – Troop 40 Boy Scouts of America

May 13-15 Suwannee River State Park Campout

Jun 26-Jul 2 Summer Camp / BSA Camp La No Che in Central Florida Council

Greetings Scouters,

- If you are going to summer camp, I need to know as soon as possible. You will need to make a \$50 deposit with Paul and get on the list. Class registration begins March 1st. I will need to know your Merit Badge preferences before then. A separate note about the class opportunities will go out this weekend.
- Please see me or Mr. Grimes regarding obtaining Camp Cards to sell. \$5 per car and of that \$1.25 will go into your Scout account to make camping trips cheaper for you.
- There is a Trail to Eagle presentation on March 30th from 7:00 8:30PM at Village Church (4229 Pacetti Rd. St. Augustine) for those who would be interested. This course is designed for Star and Life Scouts and their parents and anyone else interested in helping Scouts achieve the Eagle rank. There is no cost and reservations to attend must be made in advance to basyedad@gmail.com before March 20 with Scout Name, Troop Number, email, and if 1 or 2 parents are attending.
- If anyone is interested with Scout Night at the Sharks (Apr 30), or Jumbo Shrimp (May 21), let me know and I will be happy to fill you in on the information.

Best Regards, Ben Brase

Library News

by Jerri Derlikowski

Quote: "Books give a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and life to everything." Plato

A sample of the most recent church library additions:

- The Screwtape Letters, C.S. Lewis
- The Bible Jesus Read, Philip Yancey
- 90 Minutes in Heaven, Don Piper
- Bible Dictionary, George Knight and Rayburn Ray
- Spiritual Disciplines for the Christian Life, Donald Whitney
 C.S. Lewis is a powerful writer for reaching the unchurched. This essay by Pavel Hosek describes why Lewis' works are so successful at reaching the unbelieving populace in his country, the Czech Republic.

https://www.bethinking.org/apologetics/c-s-lewis-and-the-language-of-apologetics

To read more about Lewis, see <u>Surprised by Joy</u> found in our church library.

Pastor Nathan recommended this book in response to my interest about unity in today's church: <u>A House United: How the Church Can Save the World</u> by Allen Hilton. Hilton considers how the prayer of Jesus in John 17 for unity, "that all of them may be one," hasn't yet but still might be achieved.

Other News

❖ Coming soon!!! Save the Date!! Easter 24-hour Prayer Vigil. Starts at 5:00pm on Friday, April 15 and ends on Saturday, April 16 at 5:00pm. Look for the signup sheet in Fellowship Hall.

CALLING FCCB ARTISTS

- 1. We're going to get art up on the Art Wall again in March (in small fellowship hall, where the serving line is located on Wednesday dinners).
- 2. Bring a painting, drawing, mixed media, or fabric art (not huge size) to church by Wednesday, March 2nd.
 - I'll be there on Sunday and Wednesday evenings. If we have too many things, we'll make a schedule for more than one exhibit.
- 3. If you're a ceramic or sculptural artist, call me at 904-566-4210 or talk to me on Wednesdays at our dinners or Sundays at church. We can figure out how to accommodate your art too!
- 4. Before Covid, we had a group that met and painted together once a week. If you are interested in doing that again, please let me know.

Blessings, Barre Barrett

We are looking for greeters for the 11:00 Worship Service for March and May.
Please sign up on the sheet on the Sacristy door or call Richard Blackwell, 904-226-9641.

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March Birthdays

- 03 Jack Garnett Scott Kelly
- 05 Kelliana Featheringill
- 06 Lanai Cooksey
- 08 Jim Claytor
- 11 Bess Turk
 John Merritt (Sr.)
- 12 Brandy Hibbard
- 17 Pat Mills
- 20 Carla Tracy
- 22 Jim Bledsoe
- 23 Nancy Barrett Allen Wankat
- 24 Rev. John Paul Thompson
- 25 Scott Carpenter
- 27 Helen Rose Mele
- 29 Michelle Mendez
- **30 Mary Margaret Meess**

March Anniversaries

- 01 Jim and Martha Nuckles
- 22 Sandy and Debra Sanders
- 26 Chuck and Kelly Duran
- 27 Mike and Diana Witherspoon
- 28 Allen and Marilyn Wankat



OUR MEMBERS

March Prayers

Н Al-Banna Family Bailey, Mary Н Bassett, Wes Bennett, Bud & Barbara Н Н Brown, Don Casino, Jov Н Choate, Maurine Н Claytor, Jim Н Gonzales, Corliss Н Grader, Madeline Η Green, Wally & Shirley Н Hall, Dan Н Harman Family Н Jackson, Polly Н Jones, Laurie H, J Lain, Diana Н Lim, Dolly Η Madison Family G Meess, Mary Margaret Н Peau, Jim Pike, Diane Н Pinner, Alice Η Ranier, Vicki Robbins, Paul Н Schoonover, Carol Η Setters, Paola Н Speevack, Peachie Н Stevenson, Barry Н Н Stiehl, Paul

RELATIVES OF MEMBERS

Taylor, Jessie

Terrell Family

Thompson, John Paul

Walker, Chuck & Phyllis

VanDusen, Gloria

Washburn, Wirt

Womack, Sherry

Williams. Beth

RELATIVES OF WIEWIBERS	
Astaire	Н
(Carla Tracy's daughter) Arbaugh, Noland (Jim & Val Peau's grandson)	Н
Beal, Amanda (Paul & Ruth Stiehl's	Н
granddaughter) Bush, Jennie	Н
(Brenda Brown's sister-in-law) Chiocca, McKenzi	R
(Joseph Chiocca's daughter)	•
Clark, Marilyn (Devin Clark's wife)	Н
Connor, Jimmy (Betty Mills great nephew)	Н
Daisy (Joy Casino)	Η
Dufrene, Justin & Armand (Carla Tracy's grandsons)	U
Green, Scott (Shirlee & Wally Green)	Н
Griffin, Eddie (Judy Griffin Fryrear's brother)	Н
Hibbard, Lisa (Brandy's sister-in-law)	Н
Jim Peau's Sister, Memi	Н
(Jim Peau) Jones, Rick	Н
(Rita Vernon's cousin) Kalahear, Cathy	Н
(Charlie Setters aunt)	

Kirkley, Jay & Lila	Н
(Marge Medina's grandchildren	1)
Kirkley, Laura	Η
(Marge Medina's daughter)	
Long, Jeanne	Н
(Paul Stiehl's sister)	
Mangine, Steven	Н
(Bill Mangine's brother)	
Meess, Ronald "Rocky"	Н
(Mary Margaret Meess' father)	• • •
Melcolm, Reed	Н
(Peachie Speevack)	
Moon, Teari	Н
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(Charlie Setters' aunt)	
Morgan, Buddy	Ή
(Jim & Rita Vernon's son-in-lav	
Mullins, Tasha	Н
(Pam Mangine's niece)	
Rasco, Suzanne	Η
(Ruth Stiehl's sister-in-law)	
Shellenberger, Margaret & Bob	Η
(John Campbell)	
Swindell, Halee	Η
(Betty Smith's great	
granddaughter)	
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(Jerry Terrell)	_
Walker, Judy	Н
(Andy Walker)	• •
Wallman, Jill	Н
(Sue Wallman's daughter)	
(Sue vvaiiman's daugmer)	

FRIENDS OF MEMBERS

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Adkinson, Adam (Mel Perdue)	U
Amato, Paul & Family	Н
(Mel Perdue) Anderson, Alli Lake	Н
(Scott Kelly) Anderson, Desire	Н
(Mel Perdue) Branson, Rosemary	Н
(John Campbell) Caleb, Melissa & Tommy	U
(Sherry Boatman-Burris) Christy & Scott	Н
(Sherry Boatman-Burris) Clark, Tommy	U
(Mel Perdue) Cobb, Mike & Phyllis	Н
(Don & Barbara Lynn) Crawford, Karen	U
(Sherry Bevis) Davis, Daniel & Angela	H, R
(Francesca Davis) Donahue, Linda	, H
(Rita Vernon) Elliott, Robert	н
(John Campbell) Feather, Hal	н
(Don Brown)	
Joe S. (Paul Robbins)	Н
Johnston, Jessie (Betty Smith)	Н
Judge, Jimmy (The Stevensons)	Н
Julian (Cani Hahn)	U
Joyce & Amy (Jan Wheeler)	Н
Kimbrough, Karen (Mel Perdue)	U
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Krieger, Bill	Н
(Chuck & Phyllis Walker) Lani & Family	U
<i>(Cani Hahn)</i> Lexi	U
(Billy Howell)	н
Family of Ann Mackee (Paul & Ruth Stiehl)	П
Mary Ellen	Н
(Billy Howell)	
Mathis, Charlie	Н
(Choate, Dick)	U
Meriyah & Children (Cani Hahn)	U
McCoy, Cameron	U
(Sherry Bevis)	
McKay, Eileen	Н
(John Campbell)	
McSorley, Carol (Mel Perdue)	U
Nay, David	Н
(Don Peters)	
Nelson, Lisa	U
(Billy Howell)	
O'Brien, Sherry	U
(Marti Miller)	
Oglesbee, Diane (Marti Miller)	U
Pritchard, Thurman	Н
(Mary Margaret Meess)	
Schultz, Logan	Н
(Barbara Lynn)	
Skipper, Steve	J
(Sally Washburn) Steinmeyer Family	G
(Barbara Lynn)	Ü
Treadwell, Theresa	Н
(Tracy Antzaklis)	
Underwood, Wallace	Н
(Mary Lou Geary)	
Wald, Robert	Н
(Mary Margaret Meess) Wilson, Harold & Beverly	н

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Loewen, Nathan & Family
Madison, John & Family
Fox, Luke & Family
Hopkins, Chris & Family
Smaga, Robin & Family
Collins, Susan & Family
Goehrig, Betsy & Family
Israel, Jeremy
(Bama Israel's son)
Martell, José & Elizabeth
(Cuba)
Phillips, Scott, Jennie & Family
(Indonesia)
Permenter, Ayla
(Brandy Hibbard's cousin)
Cooper, Michael & Family
Amos, Mike & Susan

OTHERS

- Medical staff & Medical support personnel
- Supply chain providers and all related workers
- Assisted living & Nursing home residents & staff
- First Coast Women's Services
- Educational System
- BEAM / Mission House
- Iglesia Evangelica Bethel
- Bethany Christian Church
- Police, First Responders and their families
- Youth & Gang Violence
- Military & their families
- Persecuted Christians
- Racial Reconciliation **Disaster Victims**
- Isolation of Individuals
- **End All Shootings** Youth Building

RELOCATED MEMBERS

(Don Lynn)

Donnell, Jean	Н
Frost, Sallie	Н
Ross, Jon	Н
Weber, Sherron	Н
Williams, Beverly	Н
Williams, LouAnn	Н

CHURCH FRIENDS

Aley, Mark
Brown, Billy
Browning, Donny
Brumbly, Don
Cain, Vivian
Coleman-Hayes, Candy
Crockett, Lyn & Helen
Davila, Arionna
Humphrey, Peggy & Family
Metts, Levi & Robert
Summerville, Sabastian
Sullivan, Micah & Luke
Stanford, Tom & son, David
Sumner, Robbie
Tromley, Linda
Viola, Helen
West, Laurie

Prayer Codes

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Member relationships are shown in parentheses

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS

5:30 PM YOUTH GROUP

Middle School & High School Students

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

6	8:00 AM	OUTDOOR WORSHIP (weather permitting)
		On the East Lawn - Bring your own chairs

9:00 AM WORSHIP - In the Sanctuary / Live Online

10:00 AM Bible Study Classes

11:00 AM WORSHIP – In the Sanctuary / Live Online

13 8:00 AM OUTDOOR WORSHIP (weather permitting)

On the East Lawn - Bring your own chairs

9:00 AM WORSHIP - In the Sanctuary / Live Online

10:00 AM Bible Study Classes

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20 8:00 AM OUTSIDE WORSHIP (weather permitting)
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9:00 AM WORSHIP - In the Sanctuary / Live Online

10:00 AM Bible Study Classes

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MONTH OF MARCH

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MARCH ELDERS & DEACONS

ELDERS

Barbara Lynn

Don Peters

Bill Gowen

Betty Chinnis

Diane Stevenson

DEACONS

Gary Grider Mark Lopiano

Aimee Lopiano

Norship Times

8:00 am

Outside – East Lawn (Weather permitting)

9:00 & 11:00 am

In the Sanctuary & Live online

Join us for Sunday worship no matter where you are

We're online every Sunday morning to Celebrate the Gospel, share God's word, take Communion and sing songs of praise and worship!

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