

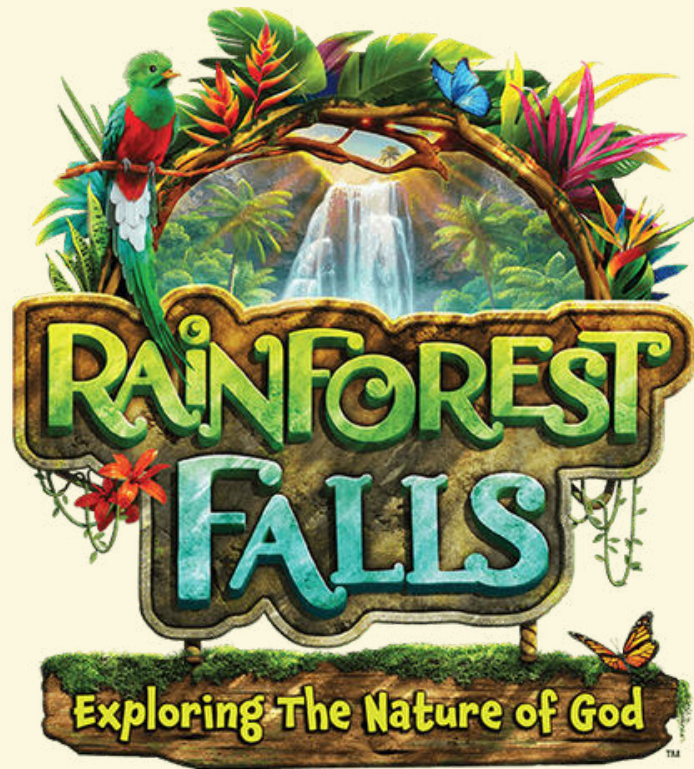
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# Fellowship Presbyterian Church

## Happy Easter Jesus is on the Loose!!!



# VBS is coming!!! July 20-24



Step through the mist into Rainforest Falls, overflowing with wild waterfalls, towering trees, and colorful creatures. Beneath a canopy of chattering birds and howling monkeys, kids plunge into a lifelong adventure of discovering the nature of God. They'll explore what it means to be rooted in relationship with God, their creator, a safe place in life's storms.

We need many volunteers to make this week happen, so please consider what area you can share your time and talents. Registration is now open. Please click the link to register as a volunteer or register a child to participate.

<https://vbspro.events/p/fellowship>

We have another planned workshop to make decorations at Killlearn Methodist Church on Monday, May 4<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:00pm. Your help is very much appreciated! Please message Heather Kidd at (850)510-6281 with any questions or interest in volunteering.

# Capital Area Justice Ministry

This year our community has a unique opportunity, three of the five city commission seats will be on the ballot. Currently, there are 13 candidates running for 3 seats. Right now I know next to nothing about any of the candidates. And I know even less about their views on the issues that are important to the Justice Ministry.

For the Nehemiah Action this year we will hold a candidate forum where we will focus on our issues, we are calling it the Nehemiah InterAction.

All city commission candidates have been invited to participate. Our people need to know how these new voices will address the concerns that keep our community up at night. This is an opportunity to use our people power to ensure our city comes up with plan for affordable housing; that they actually implement a gun violence INTERRUPTION plan; that we protect our most vulnerable who are hungry; those who need help for mental health issues; and we support our immigrant neighbors serving our community.

We hope you will join us for the Pep Rally on March 24 to find out more. Begin inviting your friends and neighbors today to the Nehemiah InterAction to hear from the candidates.

**Nehemiah Interaction April 21 @ 6pm  
2344 Lake Bradford Rd. 32310**

Register by clicking here: <https://www.capitalareajustice.org/event/2026-nehemiah-action/#rsvp-now>

# Dogwood Acres Summer Camp

Dogwood's staff gently encourages children and youth to explore their beliefs and relationship with God, as they're ready, and to continue building their sense of accomplishment, appreciation of others' abilities, and a new perspective on what they're capable of achieving. It is our goal to provide an environment in which individuals and groups can grow in Christian faith as they experience fellowship and recreation in an outdoor ministry setting. Find more information at <https://www.dogwoodacres.org/summer/>.

## Dates

Week 1: June 21-26 HS Youth  
Week 2: July 5-10 2-8<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Week 3: July 12-17 2-8<sup>th</sup> Grade

## Programs

Intro: entering 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade (3 nights)  
Discovery: entering 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Adventure: entering 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Interested? Let the office know! The youth will not be going on a mission trip this summer. If your child or youth wants to attend we would like to help send them to camp and grow in their faith.

## YOUTH DINNER VOLUNTEERS

There are only a few Youth Group meetings left.

Volunteer to provide dinner by following the link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CA8A82EABFF2-58617002-fellowship#/>

## SENIOR FRIENDS

Senior Friends meets Tuesday April 14th at noon. Join us for our first annual Spring Spread. It's a covered dish lunch. Either bring a dish or \$7.00 for a feast! It's a wonderful time to socialize and catch up with what's happening with your friends. We promise a great time. RSVP: call or text Carolyn Hoe by April 9th at (941) 402-4522. If you have any questions call or text Jan Bell at (352) 464-3880.

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# NEWS TO KNOW

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### April & May Schedule

**Apr 12 - New Member Sunday**

**Apr 19 - Thriving Congregations Worship Service**

**Apr 26 - Confirmation Sunday**

**May 5 - May Day Celebration**

**May 10 - Mother's Day**

**May 17 - A.J.'s Last Sunday before Sabbatical**

 **JOIN [ZOOM](#) MEETINGS** 

### ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) offering serves individuals and communities in need. This work provides people with safety, sustenance, and hope. Each gift helps to improve the lives of people in these challenging situations. The Offering provides us a way to share God's love with our neighbors in need. In fact, OGHS is the single, largest way Presbyterians come together every year to work for a better world. Bring your fishes or remaining offering **THIS SUNDAY!!!**

**BUNCO  
MONDAYS**  
2:30PM ZOOM

## NEWS TO KNOW

**Sunday, April 12:**

NEW MEMBER SUNDAY

9:30AM Sunday School

10:30AM Worship

11:30AM Fellowship Hour

**Monday, April 13:**

2:30PM Bunco (Zoom)

**Tuesday, April 14:**

10:0PM Joy Circle

12:00PM Senior Friends

**Wednesday, April 15:**

6:30PM Choir

**Sunday, April 19:**

CENTSABILITY SUNDAY

9:30AM Sunday School

10:30AM Worship

11:30AM Fellowship Hour

11:45AM Session

Livestream is available on [YouTube](#).

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### Church Family

Dick Buys

Fisher, Audree, & Josh Yaney

Cecelia Novak

Duane Woods

Larry Everett

Wanda Alford

Tom Shields

### Friends of Family

Kim McDaniel

and Rosey Jones (friend)

(Jan Bell)

Dan & Joanne Bohl, Ashley Moore

(Alice & Chuck Saunders)

Ruth Jamieson (Rita Schumm)

Heather Bailey Ray, Lisa &

Mrs. Kristine Joubert

(Lisa and Lacy Bigham)

Tim and Aunt Liz Williford,

Chris Beers (neighbor)

(Cochran & Beth Keating)

Nikita Mac

(Jamie Seidman McDonnell)

Dan Mercer

(Beth & John Mercer)

Charlie Sinclair

(Jane Fletcher)

Carolyn Parsons

(Michele & David Reed)

Shelia (niece)

(Louise Sadler)

Minne Lee Vann (mother)

(Gerome Brown)

Gloria Byard

(Joyce Blocker)

Freightlin Cox, Kevin Sattler

(Elaine Wilbur)

Jill Dooley & Family,

Tammy, Nureatha, Kim,

Cathy, Gregory, Nancy

(Laura Harrison)

MaryAnn King (mother),

Patrice High-Pinder,

Thomas High

(Diane Bodenhamer)

Karen & Joe Rodesta (cousins)

(Rita Sockman)

Carol (sister)

(Elaine Hebenthal)

Phil Ashley (father), Sarah White

(Phillip Ashley)

Bob Roller

(Duane & Shannon Woods)

Daniel Godwin (David's brother)

(The Godwins)

All Military & Families,  
Robert Gamble & This Child Here

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Phillip Ashley

Karey Fowler

Kim Bergstresser

Gerome Brown

Pastor

Music Director

Organist

Office and Finance Manager

Sexton

If you have a prayer concern or celebration, or are interested in becoming a part of this rewarding ministry, please call the office at (850) 893-0617 or send an email to [fellowshipprayer24@gmail.com](mailto:fellowshipprayer24@gmail.com).

### The Session

Jan Bell, Cliff Jordan,

Melissa Wyllie Beth Keating,

Mike Novak, Joyce Blocker,

Shannon Woods, Heather Kidd,

Jamie Seidman McDonnell

CLERK: Beth Keating

### The Diaconate

Louise Sadler, Laura Hall,

Rita Schumm, Cathy Sheridan,

JoAnn Schlorholtz,

Melanie Jordan

TREASURER: Hillman Brannon



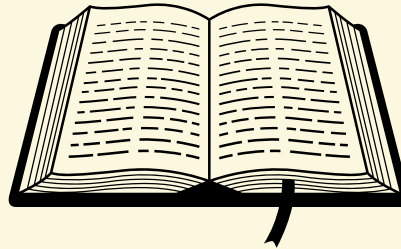
# April



## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### APRIL 12

Exodus 15:1-11  
Psalm 111  
1 Peter 1:3-9  
John 20:19-31



### APRIL 19

Isaiah 51:1-6  
Psalm 34:1-10  
1 Peter 1:17-23  
Luke 24:13-35

#### Ushers:

Apr 12 - Adelaide/Louise S  
Apr 19 - Jessica & Abbey Novak  
Apr 26 - Cliff Jordan/Joyce  
May 3 - Arlene/Linda Davis

#### Counters:

Apr 12 - David R/??????  
Apr 19 - Tara B/Carolyn Hoe  
Apr 26 - Laura H/Gail Hill  
May 3 - Sarah Benson/Jan

#### Greeters:

Apr 12 - Caroline Hall  
Apr 19 - Louise Sadler  
Apr 26 - Laura Harrison  
May 3 - Joyce Blocker

#### Fellowship Hour

Apr 12 - New Member Sunday  
Apr 19 - Kathy Bailey  
& The Sheridans  
Apr 26 - Confirmation Sunday

Please sign-up in the  
Fellowship Hall to host  
Fellowship Hour.

#### Deacon:

Rita Schumm

#### AV:

Apr 12 - Nathan/Susan/Jim  
Apr 19 - Nathan/Donna/Melissa  
Apr 26 - Nathan/Cochran/John

#### Lay Leader:

Apr 12 - Elizabeth McGinniss  
Apr 19 - Thriving  
Congregations Committee  
Apr 26 - Katherine Mealor  
May 3 - Dottie Lee

## APRIL BIRTHDAYS

1: Angelyn Bagwell  
3: Pam Bodin  
6: Mary Bowers  
7: Mary Wheeler  
7: Matti Seidman  
7: Melissa Wyllie

10: Bill Bell  
15: Cathy Sheridan  
15: Shannon Woods  
17: Jan Everett  
17: Jane Fletcher

22: Ann Burris  
22: Nancy Herndon  
22: Marie Currier  
25: Lou Jerrett  
26: Becca Bertoch  
29: Macyn Melgaard  
29: David Reed



# April

**JESUS**  
HAS RISEN

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
<b>29</b> <b>PALM SUNDAY</b> 9:30 AM Sunday School Confirmation Unity Circle 10:30 AM Worship 11:30 AM Fellowship Hour 5:30PM Youth Group	<b>30</b> Yoga 9:00AM  Bridge 12:15 PM  Bunco 2:30PM  Worship Cmte 7PM Scouts 7PM	<b>31</b>  Yoga 10AM	<b>1</b>  Yoga 9:00 AM  Bridge 12:15 PM	<b>2</b>  Yoga 10:00 AM  <b>MAUNDY THURSDAY 6PM</b>	<b>3</b>  Bridge 12:15 PM  <b>GOOD FRIDAY 6PM</b>	<b>4</b>  Tai Chi 5:00 PM
<b>5</b> <b>EASTER SUNDAY</b> 7:00 Sunrise Service 9:30AM Sunday School 10:30AM Worship 11:30AM Fellowship Hour	<b>6</b> Yoga 9:00 AM Bridge 12:15 PM Bunco 2:30 PM  CE Meeting Zoom 7PM  Scouts 7:00 PM	<b>7</b>  Yoga 10AM	<b>8</b> Yoga 9:00 AM  Newcomers Lunch 10AM-1PM  Bridge 2PM  Choir 6:30PM	<b>9</b>  Yoga 10AM  Cub Scouts 6:30 PM	<b>10</b>  Bridge 12:15 PM	<b>11</b>  Harmony Circle 10AM  Capital City Prep Prom ALL DAY
<b>12</b> 9:30AM Sunday School 10:30AM Worship 11:30AM Fellowship Hall  5:30 Youth Group	<b>13</b> Yoga 9:00 AM Bridge 12:15 PM  Music Makers 2:00  Bunco 2:30 PM  Scouts 7PM	<b>14</b> Yoga 10AM  Joy Circle 10:00 AM  Senior Friends 12PM	<b>15</b>  Bridge 12:15PM  Choir 6:30 PM	<b>16</b>  Yoga 10AM  Cub Scouts 6:30 PM	<b>17</b>  Bridge 12:15 PM	<b>18</b>  Tai Chi 5PM
<b>19</b> <b>CENTSABILITY SUNDAY</b> 9:30AM Sunday School 10:30AM Worship 11:30AM Fellowship Hour 12:00PM Session  5:00 Synago Square 5:30PM Youth Group	<b>20</b> Yoga 9:00 AM Bridge 12:15 PM  Music Makers 2:00  Bunco 2:30 PM  Scouts 7PM	<b>21</b>  Yoga 10AM	<b>22</b> Yoga 9:00 AM Bridge 12:15 PM  Choir 6:30PM	<b>23</b>  Yoga 10:00 AM	<b>24</b>  Bridge 12:15 PM	<b>25</b>  Car Wash & Bake Sale 9-11am  Cub Scouts AOL Crossover 4-7pm
<b>26</b> <b>CONFIRMATION SUNDAY</b> 9:30AM Sunday School Unity Circle 10:30AM Worship 11:30AM Fellowship Hour	<b>27</b> Yoga 9:00 AM Bridge 12:15 PM  Music Makers 2:00  Bunco 2:30 PM  Scouts 7:00PM	<b>28</b>  Yoga 10AM  PWCT 4:30 PM	<b>29</b> Yoga 9:00 AM Bridge 12:15 PM  Choir 6:30PM	<b>30</b> Yoga 10:00 AM  Cub Scouts 6:30 PM	<b>1</b>  Bridge 12:15 PM	<b>2</b>