



Blues Brothers Tribute

Sunday, October 13th, 4pm Riverside Presbyterian Church will host Jake and Elwood Blues Tribute concert featuring Derek & The Slammers & The Slammer Horn section! Proceeds will go to benefit the charity organization, "I Am a Freedom Fighter".

Tickets are now available online at www.riversidepresbyterianchurch.org

NOW SHOWING

Derek and the Slammers



Worship with Us!

 IN-PERSON AND "LIVE" BROADCAST
SUNDAY WORSHIP @ 10:00am

www.riversidepresbyterianchurch.org

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First Tuesday Dinner

Join us for our next First Tuesday Dinner and program on Tuesday, September 3, 2024. We will meet in Fellowship Hall at 6:00 pm. Our dinner, catered by Brano's Italian Grill, will be Chicken Marsala, Penna pasta, garden salad, veggies, bread and dessert. Cost is \$12 per person.

Following dinner our speaker will be Brandy Crisafulli, President of Life Recapture, a group that works to rescue persons who are trapped in human trafficking. Sex trafficking is a multi-billion dollar industry, with the average age of trafficked victims being 12-15 years of age. Learn what is being done to end human trafficking here in Brevard County. Invite your family, friends and neighbors.

Sign up in Fellowship Hall or call church office
by Sunday, September 1st, at noon.



THE CHILDREN'S HUNGER PROJECT & CAPE VIEW ELEMENTARY



The Riverside Family has given to our community thorough donating gift cards to Cape View Elementary and donating food items and monetarily to The Children's Hunger Project!

Riverside collected over \$1,000 in gift cards to help students at Cape View Elementary start their 2024/2025 school year. We will be, once again, collecting \$10 gift cards in November and December to help support children and their families during the Christmas break.

The Deacons would like to thank Riverside for your amazing generosity!

The month of July and August we collected food items for The Children's Hunger Project.

Riverside packed a total of 96 boxes! Thank you to all who donated food items, helped pack lunches and who transferred the donated items from the Sanctuary to the Fellowship Hall. Your generosity will help feed Brevard County school children so they can have access to healthy meals when not in school.

Lastly, donations made in memory of Chris Carson to The Children's Hunger Project totaled over \$2,400, which equals approximately 500 food packages, feeding 12 children for the **entire** school year! This ministry meant so much to Chris and your amazing generosity allows his memory to continue.

Thank You for Your Generosity!



**Fusion Youth starts back September 1st!
(Labor Day Weekend)**

Youth **2020-2024** Reunion

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

If you have EVER attended Fusion Youth in the past 4 years (2020 or later), join us for this ONE day to remember, celebrate life, receive a gift and enjoy breakfast foods – just hang out – before church.

Meet in the Fusion Youth Room at 9:15 am.

Let Anda know –any questions: call/text Anda (423) 413-2896 or email: AndaRay77@gmail.com




September

David McCrery	9/1
Nancy Ragland	9/3
Marilyn Cromer	9/7
Marjorie Anderson	9/8
Rebecca Burns	9/22
Karen Ward	9/24
Cleigh Carson	9/28
Jen Fanning	9/29
Stephen Hoagland	9/29

Happy Birthday!

PRAYER Circle

We come together each Wednesday morning at 10am to pray for the needs of our church family and friends. There are blue cards in the pews that you can fill out, or you can email me at biddle310@gmail.com

Jane Lovett

Pray with Us For...

- Loved ones
- Those who have illness or loss
- Our military personnel
- Our missionaries
- Our nation
- Our church



Next year's Presbyterian Women study book is entitled "Let Justice Roll Down," where we will explore God's call to care for our neighbors and for creation. If you are interested in joining one of the circles, please contact Gail Marshall, Betty Peterson or Paula Yost.

Both circles will resume meeting in September.

Hannah/Ruth/Rebecca meets the 3rd Tuesday at 1pm.

Deborah meets the 3rd Wednesday at 7pm.



Men's Bible Study meets Wednesday's at 8:30am in-person in Knox Parlor and via Zoom.

If you prefer to join us via Zoom please contact Tom White at 614-849-8741 or via email at didymus623@gmail.com for a Zoom meeting invitation.

Gentlemen, if you are not already a participant, we invite you to join us.



The Wednesday night Ladies' Bible Study will be starting volume 2 of "Parables from the Back Side" by J. Ellsworth Kalas this month. It's been interesting to look at things from a different perspective and we look forward to digging into some more of Jesus' parables.

Join us Wednesday nights at 7pm in Knox Parlor (also available via Zoom).

2024 Sanctuary Flowers

If you would like to provide flowers for the Sanctuary, the sign up sheet is in the Narthex.

After the flowers are enjoyed on Sunday morning, you have the option taking them home or the Deacons can deliver them to those who can no longer join us on Sundays. The cost remains \$35.00.



Sunday School 9am

K-5th grade

Kick Off Sept 1st!

Fusion Youth

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Adults

Lord's Prayer
Knox Parlor

The Shema
(Ladies class)
Knox Galilee

**Learn More About
the God We Serve**

³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and the God of all consolation, ⁴who consoles us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to console those who are in any affliction with the consolation with which we ourselves are consoled by God.

2 Corinthians 1:3-4



2024 Financial (as of July 31st)

Income	\$206,158
Operating Expenses	\$220,038
Net Income	\$(13,910)

Faithful Stewardship

Thank you for your continued financial support!

God's work never stops...and therefore, neither does ours, blessings!

Douglas Kasimier, Treasurer, (dkasimier@aol.com)

SESSION UPDATE

The Session met on August 20th at 7pm.

Sandy Lacey from Rockledge Presbyterian moderated.

Next meeting will be September 17th at 7pm.

DEACON UPDATE

The Deacons met on August 13th at 7pm.

Marianne Pluchino opened meeting with devotions.

Caring person for September will be Janice Eastes.

Cape View gift cards collection totaled \$1050! Many thanks to all who gave. Christmas Poinsettia's will be ordered in October.

Next meeting will be September 11th at 7pm.

CHURCH STAFF

Betsie Germann
Administrative Assistant

Diana Amtower
Traditional Music Leader

Keaton Belliveau
Psalm 66 Praise Band Leader

Doug Kasimier
Treasurer

Chuck Torgler
Custodian

Karen Ward
Web/IT/AV

CHURCH OFFICERS

SESSION

Sally Friend '24

Mark Gordon '26

Tom White '24

Teri Beeler '26

Carl Plaughner '24

Ann Stone '26

Jenny Lyons '24

Meghan Johnson '26

Anda Ray '26

DEACONS

Wauneta Lehman '24

Susan White '25

Mary Mullin '24

Fern Wolle '25

Marianne Pluchino '24

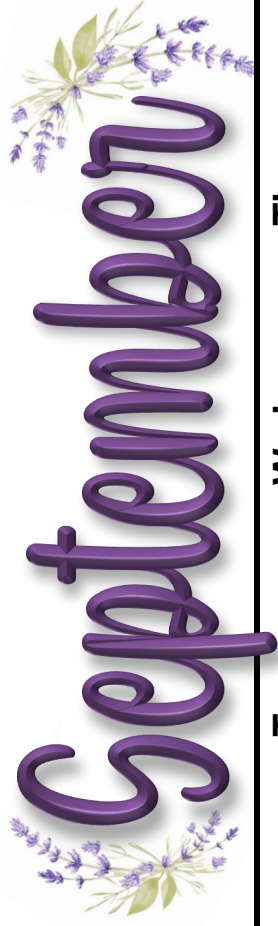
Carolyn Hattaway '26

Walter Scott '24

Janice Eastes '26

Lindalee Torgler '25

Tammy Ivan '26



2024

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	9am Youth & Adult SS 10am Worship 11am Fellowship Time 11am Communications	2 7pm NA Meeting	3 6pm First Tuesday Dinner	4 8:30am Men's Study 9:30am Stitchin' Sisters 10am Prayer Circle 10am Care & Support 7pm Women's Study	5 7pm Choir Rehearsal	6	7
8	9am Youth & Adult SS 10am Worship 11am Fellowship Time 11am Worship & Sacrament	9 7pm NA Meeting	10 7pm Deacons Meeting	11 8:30am Men's Study 10am Prayer Circle 7pm Women's Study	12 7pm Choir Rehearsal 7pm Christian Education	13	14
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22	9am Youth & Adult SS 10am Worship 11am Fellowship Time	23 6:30pm Community Engagement 7pm NA Meeting	24 7pm Mission Meeting	25 8:30am Men's Study 10am Prayer Circle 7pm Women's Study	26 7pm Choir Rehearsal	27	28
28	9am Youth & Adult SS 10am Worship 11am Fellowship Time	29 7pm NA Meeting	30				