

## Missions/Sister Churches



**Mission of the Month**

**CUDAS UNHOOKED**

### Sister Churches of the Month

Other churches in our presbytery, please lift up prayers.

10/3 Markham Woods, Lake Mary  
10/10 Graceway, Leesburg  
10/17 Lake Square, Leesburg  
10/24 Wekiva, Longwood  
10/31 First Presbyterian, Maitland

**Deacon of the month of October: Mary Martin**

#### Staff:

Rev. George T. Head - Pastor  
Rev. Bill Chegwin - Pastor Emeritus  
Rev. Bev Richardson - Parish Associate  
Gale Luttrell-Bowser - Office Manager  
Babs King - Choir Director  
Tim Murphy - Pianist  
Steve Looney - Sound Tech  
Bruce Wilson - Custodian  
Audrey Geer - Nursery Attendant  
Susan Stuckey - Librarian

## Elders/Deacons 2021

#### Elders 2021:

Bob Arfstrom  
Laurie Grizzard  
Peggy Imbert  
Marilyn Lindley  
Kim Long  
Roderick McPhail  
Rod Richardson  
Floris Rogers  
Buddy Stephens  
Barbara Stolz  
Bill Zei

#### Deacons 2021:

Sharon Bradshaw  
Leigh Chegwin  
Nancy Frame  
Pam Gravelding  
Laurie Lee  
Henrietta McPhail  
Mary Martin  
Jill Migliara  
Linda Stephens  
Susan Stuckey  
Becky Weddle

## Prayer Ministry

Elder Marilyn Lindley is asking for people to pray weekly for those in need of prayer. During this time of need from the COVID-19 virus we are urging those that need prayer for themselves or their loved ones to please contact Marilyn Lindley @ 386-427-3531.

If you would like a card sent to the person we are praying for, please email the full name, address & brief reason for prayer/praise to:  
[laurieblee@aol.com](mailto:laurieblee@aol.com)

## Birthdays/Anniversaries

#### BIRTHDAYS:

10/2 Tim Murphy  
10/10 George Reed  
10/11 Becky Bros  
10/18 Barbara King (Charlie's wife)  
10/20 Carolyn Ibbotson  
10/21 Beverly Neroni  
10/27 Rod Richardson

#### ANNIVERSARIES:

10/1 Jim & Shelli Harrison  
10/5 Al & Peggy Imbert Ron & Susan Stuckey  
10/8 Chuck & Martha Nighswonger  
10/13 Ken & Kathy Wengel  
10/21 Roderick & Henrietta McPhail

#### FLOWERS:

10/3 Avail.  
10/10 Flowers for Rev. George from the staff, Elders, Deacons, and congregation for "Pastor's Appreciation Sunday"  
10/17 Flowers by Charlie King for wife, Barbara's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday 10/18.  
10/24 Avail.  
10/31 Avail.

### OCTOBER



## In Our Prayers...for healing

#### Lift up in prayers:

Lea Codrington, Arlene Daley, Thelma Hansen, Hazel Henderly, Ellen Kimbell, Jane McConnell, Faye Rhodes, Bobbie Schomer, Rev. Fred West and the Celebrate Recovery Members.



Let us celebrate "Pastor Appreciation Day" to honor Reverend George T. Head on Sunday, October 10th. So glad we have you!

# GOOD NEWS



October 2021

New Smyrna Beach, FL - 386-428-2397

My dear friends,

True story: A few years ago a woman was standing on top of a fifty-four-story building in New York City, ready to jump to her death. The police sent someone to talk to her and get her to come down. Every attempt failed.

One of the officers called his pastor to come and pray for the woman. After appraising the situation he asked for permission to talk to her. The captain said, "Sure, what do we have to lose?"

The pastor started walking towards her, but she screamed as before, "Don't come any closer or I'll jump!" He took a step backward and called out to her, "I'm sorry that you believe no one loves you." This got her attention and also the attention of the police experts – it was such an unusual thing to say. "Your children and grandchildren must not love you. Apparently they never give you any attention," he continued.

With this she took a step toward the pastor and said, "My grandchildren do love me. My whole family does. My grandchildren are wonderful. I have eight grandchildren."

The pastor took a step towards her and said, "Well then, you must be very poor, or you

wouldn't want to take your own life."

The woman, who was a bit overweight, said, "Do I look like I go without meals? We live in a very nice apartment in Central Park. I'm not poor!"

The pastor took another step and was now only three feet from her. "Then why do you want to kill yourself? I don't understand."

The woman thought for a moment and said, "You know, I don't really remember."

She came off the ledge and showed the pastor pictures of her grandchildren. Eventually she became a volunteer for the local suicide hotline.

What happened here? The pastor got her to get her eyes off herself and onto the many ways God had blessed her. She learned that thankful people are happy people. It's just that simple. Over the following weeks we will visit this theme as we remember our call to be stewards of our time, talent and treasure.

I look forward to that with you. God bless you.

Rev. George T. Head

## SESSION NEWS

#### ATTENDANCE FOR AUGUST

2021: 487 (5 Sundays)  
2020: 270 (5 Sundays)

#### PER CAPITA FOR AUGUST

2021: \$00.00/\$1,974.39 Yearly  
2020: \$00.00/\$1,679.25 Yearly

#### TREASURER'S REPORT JULY YEAR-TO-DATE

##### 1/01/2021-8/31/2021 (8 months)

Income	\$ 20,266.97	214,487.04
Expenses	<u>19,875.19</u>	<u>191,585.83</u>
Difference	\$ + 391.78	+ 22,901.21

##### 1/01/2020-8/31/2020 (8 months)

Income	\$ 22,876.98	212,942.42
Expenses	<u>24,799.82</u>	<u>192,220.45</u>
Difference	\$ - 1,922.84	+20,721.97

# BOBBIE'S HOBBIES

## CRAFT SALE!

**BOBBIE RIECK**

is having a sale of her crafts

**Saturday November 6<sup>th</sup>**

**9:30-4:30**

At her home

**615 Yupon Ave., New Smyrna Beach** (beachside)

Among the reasonably priced items

will be more than

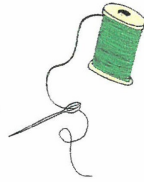
**1,000 handmade** note cards

To choose from

Tell your friends and neighbors!!

Come and enjoy

the fun!!



## Thank you from Chisholm Elementary



To: The Members of the First Presbyterian Church of New Smyrna Beach

On behalf of the Chisholm Elementary Wildcat Family, I would like to express our appreciation for your thoughtfulness and generosity. Your kindness touched many hearts and lives and helped alleviate the financial strain of going back to school. Thank you for your generous donation of school supplies and a bicycle. We appreciate your continued support!

Kindest regards,  
Marla DeLoach Griffin/School Counselor

Above picture:  
Elly Osterhaus and Laurie Grizzard from our Fellowship/Missions Team that raised the supplies needed and delivered supplies to the school. Thank you to our wonderful church family for your generous donations.



Above picture right:  
Ashley Demilio receives a bicycle from our Bike Ministry at FPC!



Picture left:  
Chuck Nighswonger/Bike Ministry Chairman. Along with his team they restore bikes to give to those who need one. Thank you team!



# Puzzle!

Complete this Bible passage by adding the missing vowels.



F\_r by gr\_c\_ y\_ \_ h\_v\_  
 b\_ \_n s\_v\_d thr\_ \_gh  
 f\_ \_th, \_nd th\_s \_s n\_t  
 y\_ \_r \_wn d\_ \_ng; \_t \_s  
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 n\_ \_n\_ m\_y b\_ \_st.  
 \_ph\_s\_ \_ns 2:8-9, NRSV



Answer: For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God — not the result of works, so that no one may boast. Ephesians 2:8-9, NRSV

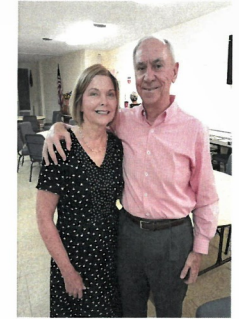
AUGUST NEW MEMBERS!



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Welcome New Members!



# October



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					<b>1</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg  <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>2</b> 8:30 am - AA Mtg
<b>3 Communion Sunday</b> <b>10:00 am - WORSHIP CELEBRATION IN THE SANCTUARY</b>  <i>Gifts of Love Sunday</i>	<b>4</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 10:30 am - AI-Anon 6:00 pm - AA Mtg	<b>5</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - 11:30am - PB&J 7:30 pm - Narcotics Anon	<b>6</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - Sewing Group 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm - Newman's Building Open for Personal Projects & Bike Repair	<b>7</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 8:00 am - Newman's Crewmen 9:00 am - 11:30 am - PB&J 7:00 pm - Celebrate Recovery	<b>8</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg   <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>9</b> 8:30 am - AA Mtg
<b>10</b> <b>10:00 am - WORSHIP CELEBRATION IN THE SANCTUARY</b> <b>Pastor Appreciation Day!</b> Missions Sunday Presentation - "Operation Christmas Child"	<b>11</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 10:30 am - AI-Anon 6:00 pm - AA Mtg	<b>12</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - 11:30am - PB&J 7:30 pm - Narcotics Anon	<b>13</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - Sewing Group 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm - Newman's Building Open for Personal Projects & Bike Repair	<b>14</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 8:00 am - Newman's Crewmen 9:00 am - 11:30 am - PB&J 7:00 pm - Celebrate Recovery	<b>15</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg   <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>16</b> 8:30 am - AA Mtg
<b>17</b> <b>10:00 am - WORSHIP CELEBRATION IN THE SANCTUARY</b>	<b>18</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 10:30 am - AI-Anon 6:00 pm - AA Mtg	<b>19</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - 11:30am - PB&J 7:30 pm - Narcotics Anon	<b>20</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - Sewing Group 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm - Newman's Building Open for Personal Projects & Bike Repair	<b>21</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 8:00 am - Newman's Crewmen 9:00 am - 11:30 am - PB&J 7:00 pm - Celebrate Recovery	<b>22</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg   <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>23</b> 8:30 am - AA Mtg
<b>24</b> <b>10:00 am - WORSHIP CELEBRATION IN THE SANCTUARY</b>	<b>25</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 10:30 am - AI-Anon 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm - Colors of Hunger 6:00 pm - AA Mtg	<b>26</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - 11:30am - PB&J 7:30 pm - Narcotics Anon	<b>27</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 9:00 am - Sewing Group 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm - Newman's Building Open for Personal Projects & Bike Repair	<b>28</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg 8:00 am - Newman's Crewmen 9:00 am - 11:30 am - PB&J <b>4:30 pm - Session Meeting</b> 7:00 pm - Celebrate Recovery	<b>29</b> 7:30 am - AA Mtg   <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>30</b> 8:30 am - AA Mtg
<b>31</b> <b>10:00 am - WORSHIP CELEBRATION IN THE SANCTUARY</b>						