



First Baptist Church of Marion
SUNDAY UPDATE
 MARCH 22, 2026



HOLY WEEK
Sunday, March 29
 Palm Sunday & Easter Egg Hunt
Thursday, April 2

Maundy Thursday Service and Communion
 at 6 p.m. (Livestream available)

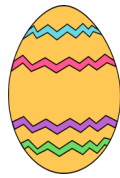
Friday, April 3
 Community Good Friday Service
 12 noon at St. John's Episcopal

Saturday, April 4
 Community Stations of the Cross
 11 a.m. ending at First Presbyterian Church

Sunday, April 5
 Easter Worship: please bring flowers for cross

**Lent in the Wilderness
 Bible Study**
 led by Rev. Jennifer Jennings
*Thursdays, 10 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
 in the Youth Room*
*Reading plans and sign-up sheet
 are in the hall outside the chapel.*

Children's Ministry: The annual
 Easter Egg Hunt will be Sunday,
 March 29 at 12 p.m. in
 the Lower Room. All
 eggs from the egg library
 are checked out. Please
 return your filled eggs
 by Sunday, March 22.



**Dr. Smith's
 Homework Corner**

David Smith's
 March 29 sermon is
Save Us. It's based
 on Mark 11:1-11.
 Read up!

Realm training sessions available soon

We will soon have opportunities (including Sunday School sessions) where the church can gather and learn about our new software, Realm, and how you can engage with the church online. If you would like individualized help on a device (or multiple devices) at home, you can make an appointment with Rev. Jennifer Jennings on Sundays, Mondays, or Thursdays. Email her at jennifer@fbcmarion.org or call her cell phone at 864-554-7586 to schedule your in-home visit.

**Printed
 Newsletter
 mailing list
 to be
 updated**

We will be updating our bi-weekly printed Newsletter mailing list to ensure we're sending mail only to those who want it. We ask everyone on the existing mailing list to confirm your subscription by **Tuesday, June 30** if you would like to continue receiving a printed bi-monthly newsletter in the mail. You can email marjo@fbcmarion.org or call the office at 828-652-6030, ext. 221. If we don't hear from you, we'll remove your name from our mailing list to help reduce waste and postage costs. You can always rejoin at any time. **Note, this does not affect your email subscription, which you will still receive each week.**

MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS

A gift has been given in memory of **Elaine Laney** by Helen Shimp.
 A gift has been given in memory of **Kathy Flowers** by Brenda Hartis.
 A gift has been given in memory of **Estalene Hollifield** by Brenda Hartis.
 A gift has been given to the Wheelchair Ramp Fund in honor of **Joey Sigmon** by William Sigmon.

THIS WEEK'S JOYS AND CONCERNS

- Pastor Search Committee
- Marilyn Adams – Sister of Alice Gibbs
- Jerry Arnold – Rose Hill Retirement Community
- Chad Bailey
- Pat Barnes – Nikki Gant's mother
- Carol Brooks – Aleene Davis' niece
- Janice Buchanan – Wanda Cerninaro's sister-in-law
- Jim Burgin – Surgery 3/26
- Bryan Carpenter – Brother of Susan Jones
- Lexie Corbett – Rose Hill
- Darlene Covington
- Yolie Cowo – Friend in Belize
- Neleka Dennis – Daughter-in-law of Laurie Buchanan
- James & Lisa Edwards
- Jacob Ferguson
- Brenda Finley
- Dorothy Frazier – Susan Webber's aunt
- Bob Frisbee
- John & Pat Glenn
- Thomas Goble
- Jim & Gerry Gorst
- Larry & Brenda Greene
- Angela Greer
- Erica Hall
- Brenda Hartis
- Jerry Hicks
- Becky & Jason Higgins
- Gayle Holman
- Tommy Johnson
- Graysen Jornigan – Surgery 4/7
- Al Kearson
- Family & Friends of Elaine Laney – Died 3/1
- Kirstyn Loftis
- Raymond Luck – Brother of Aleene Davis
- Debra Mace
- Wanda Martin – Aunt of Ricky Thomas
- Jenny McCall
- Jake McKinney
- Thomas Mikell
- Andrew Miller
- Buddy & Cindy Mills
- Rayvn Moore
- Bill Morgan – Rose Hill
- Dean Ollis
- Susie Painter
- Lenore Parker
- Ava Pearson
- Terry Ramsey
- David Ricketts
- Judy Robbins
- Ann Robinson
- Carolyn Rogers
- Rhonda Silver
- Joanne Smathers – Rose Hill
- Roy Stepp – Rose Hill
- Jaime Stone
- Brenda Strickland
- Betty Ward
- Bill Warren
- Margaret Watkins
- Trent Williams – Nephew of Ricky Thomas
- Harold Wilson
- Jessica Wright
- Helene Recovery Efforts
- CBF Field Personnel:
- * Gennady & Mina Podgaisky
- * Rick & Lita Sample

Saints Alive News

The next luncheon will be April 14 at 12 p.m., with Easter ham and fixings.

The **Saints Alive Beach Retreat** will be May 4-8 at SeaWatch Resort in North Myrtle Beach, S.C. Price for a single room is \$679; a double room is \$392 per person. A \$100 deposit was due March 8, and the final payment is due March 29. The price includes breakfast each day and a ticket to a matinee performance of the *Elvis Tribute Show*.