



**June 8, 2025**

9:30 am Worship • Sanctuary & Online

**WORSHIP GUIDE**

# WELCOME

Welcome to Clearview United Methodist Church. Each and every week we look forward to this time to gather as a community. We are glad YOU are here today with us!

You can use this worship guide to help lead through worship and throughout the week. We truly hope you enjoy your time here this morning and hope you return soon.

## **Some logistics you may find helpful:**

- Worship runs about an hour and fifteen minutes, sometimes a bit shorter & sometimes a bit longer.
- Grab a nametag from the table in the East Wing. If you are a guest, our Hospitality Team will happily make one for you.
- Childcare is available for non-school-aged children (infants through 4 years) in Room #10. Children in Grades K through 5 are invited to worship until after the Children's Moment and then can go to Sunday School in Room #11.
  - Help us create the best learning environment we can by leaving toys at home. Snacks for younger children are ok, but should not be brought for elementary aged children.
  - Please encourage your child(ren) to use the restroom before church starts.
- Busy bags are available for children (or adults) who would like to keep their hands busy during the worship service.
- A restroom is in the Care & Share Room to the right of the front of the Sanctuary. Additional restrooms are outside in the courtyard.
- Prayer Cards are available in the pew before you and at all entrances. Please place your prayer card in the offering plate or a prayer box. It is our joy and privilege to be praying with and for you.
- We have several ways you can give financially to support the mission of Clearview.
  1. Place cash/check in the offering plate/boxes or mail to the church.
  2. Text any amount to (727) 513-5557.
  3. Visit [clearviewumc.org/give](http://clearviewumc.org/give).
  4. Use your bank's bill payer system.
- For more information, visit our website ([clearviewumc.org](http://clearviewumc.org)).

## **OUR MISSION**

*This is the reason we exist as a church:*

**Living an embodied faith, sharing God's love for all.**

## **OUR VALUES**

*These concepts define who we are, what we are committed to, and how we participate in community together: We are...*

**Caring and Compassionate**

**Serving-focused**

**Community-focused**

**Kingdom-minded**

**Open-minded**

**Team-based**

**Innovative**

## **OUR RHYTHM OF LIFE & TRANSFORMATION**

*This rhythm moves us toward individual and communal transformation:*

**Look Up** to God • **Look In** to Ourselves • **Look Out** to our community

## **OUR VISION**

*How we see God's preferred future lived out:*

**God's love reaches Saint Petersburg and beyond.**

## **HOW IT ALL WORKS TOGETHER**

As we are ***living an embodied faith, sharing God's love for all***,  
being guided by our ***values***,  
and becoming people who ***Look Up, Look In and Look Out***,  
the Holy Spirit will fulfill the vision where,  
***God's love reaches Saint Petersburg and beyond.***

# **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

*UMH: The United Methodist Hymnal • TFWS: The Faith We Sing • \*please stand as you are able*

## **WE GATHER** **WELCOME**

### **\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

### **\*WORSHIP MUSIC** *Rest On Us*

## **WE PROCLAIM**

### **\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles' Creed – UMH #881*

### **\*GLORIA PATRI** *Glory Be to the Father – UMH #71*

### **PRAYER** *The Lord's Prayer – UMH #895*

### **\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

### **\*WORSHIP MUSIC** *Spirit Of The Living God – UMH #393*

## **CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

### **\*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION** **SCRIPTURE READING** *Acts 2:1-4, Galatians 4:1-7 and 5:16-26 CEB*

### **MESSAGE** *The Church Lives By The Spirit*

## **WE RESPOND**

### **\*PRESENTATION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS** *Holy Spirit Rain Down*

### **\*DOXOLOGY** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow – UMH #95*

## **WE GO OUT**

### **\*BENEDICTION**

# THIS WEEK'S PRAYER GUIDE

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| Sunday • June 8     | Humanitarian Crises: Middle East, Haiti & Africa               |
| Monday • June 9     | Victims of the War in Ukraine                                  |
| Tuesday • June 10   | Victims of Intensified Attacks on Gaza - <b>50,000+</b> Deaths |
| Wednesday • June 11 | Victims of Gang Violence Sinaloa Province, Mexico              |
| Thursday • June 12  | Victims of Extreme Famine in Gaza                              |
| Friday • June 13    | Victims of Flooding in Nigeria                                 |
| Saturday • June 14  | Victims of TORNADOS, Wildfires & Flooding-USA & Canada         |

**New June 8th:** No requests received.

**New June 1st:** Dalton Beam, currently ill-prayers for quick recovery (grandson: H. Caro); Doug Dobas, passed away 5/19 (brain cancer)-condolences and prayers for family and friends (husband's schoolmate: L. Simkanich); Betty Metcalf, passed away 5/18, had been waiting for a heart-prayers and condolences for friends and family (classmate: L. Simkanich); John Mullins-prayers for current issues; Nancy, bad heart-prayers for improvement in health (wife: P. Wheeler); Estrella Navaro, flu-prayers for speedy recovery (daughter: H. Caro); Lynda Waite, health issues-prayers for healing, comfort and peace.

**Ongoing:** Sue & Virginia Atkins, Tyler Battaglini, Eileen Bennett, Chris Benware, Michael Benware, Dawn Birch, Ryn Bradford, John Brengle, Pat Butler, Jean Daddis, Harry Davis, Stephen Davis, Tim Deacon, Genevieve DeHoog, Robert Eldred, Phyllis Greenwood, Eric Hinkle, Ruth Hockersmith, Rycky Hollimon, Matt Kupka, Mamaw (Pierce), Carolyn McGovern, Doris Monk, Sandy Morneault, Rosemary Norton, Kirsten Owens, Paula, James Persinger, Nancy Plato, Tammi Radcliff, Lynne Rogers, George Roth, Sr., Jon Rowe, Nelson & Lynn S., Shanece, Katie Singleton, Christiana Sphddark, Kimberly Torre, All School Teachers, Staff and Students, Pastor Erick Ashley & Family, Clearview UMC & Leadership, our country and leaders.

**Military:** Seth Crist & Family, Casey Linde-Powers, and All American Military In Harm's Way.

**Our Mission Partners:** Our sister church in Cuba: Iglesia Metodista de Guareiras – Matanzas Cuba District; Florida Dream Center; Residing Hope, Zoe Empowers Abishyizehamwe "Togetherness" Group in Rwanda.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CLEARVIEW?

## Swing For The Dream Fundraiser

Join us Sunday, June 29, 4–7 PM at TopGolf St. Pete for *Swing for the Dream*—an exciting evening of food, fun, and fellowship benefitting the Florida Dream Center's work with vulnerable neighbors in our community.

□ Tickets: \$85 for golfers | \$65 for non-golfers

👉 Want to join Pastor Erick's groups? Only 4 spots remain! Contact him to sign up.

Every swing supports food relief, job training, outreach, and more. Let's dream big together! [Get your tickets here](#)

## Help Fill the Free Little Pantries!

Our Free Little Pantries are running low! Let's share the hope of the Resurrection by helping our neighbors facing food insecurity. Please bring non-perishable food, canned goods, or hygiene items - collection baskets are in the East Wing. You can also give financially by marking your gift "pantries." Let's share Christ's love in a tangible way!

## June Birthday & Anniversary Celebration

Join us after worship on Sunday, June 8, in the Care & Share Room and East Wing as we celebrate our June birthdays and anniversaries! Enjoy light refreshments and fellowship as we honor those marking special milestones this month. If we've missed your birthday or anniversary, please let us know so we can update our records.

Birthdays: Christina Barber (6/2), Jim Goude (6/6), Doris Linton (6/16), Helen Hershman (6/21), Debbie Deacon (6/23), KJ Henisa (6/24).

Anniversaries: David & Ann Bennett (6/5–25 years), Scott & Ericka Pierce (6/21 –12 years)

## Meet Rev. Tracie Ashley, Co-Pastor of the South Pinellas Connection

She is a United Methodist pastor shaped by a deep commitment to preaching, pastoral care, justice, and inclusion. With a heart for grace-filled communities, she brings creativity, compassion, and a collaborative spirit to her ministry.

Over the years, she has faithfully served congregations with vision and care, helping people live out their faith in meaningful ways. She is especially passionate about creating welcoming spaces where individuals of all backgrounds and identities can encounter Christ's love and grow as disciples.

Her leadership reflects a strong call to justice and equity, grounded in the belief that the church is called to embody God's radical grace in the world. Pastor Tracie is grateful for the opportunity to continue walking alongside God's people in love and faith.

# THE WEEK AHEAD

**SUNDAY, JUNE 8** – *The Church Lives By The Spirit*

- **PENTECOST SUNDAY – WEAR RED!**

- **Worship**, 9:30 am – Sanctuary & Online
- **Nursery (Infants-PK4)**, 9:30 am – Room 10
- **Children's Sunday School (Grades K-5)**, 10 am – Room 11
- **June Birthday & Anniversary Celebration**, following worship – East Wing
- **Coffee & Conversation**, 10:45ish am – Care & Share Room

**MONDAY, JUNE 9**

- **Boy Scout Troop #334**, 6 pm – Scout House & Pavilion
- **Monday Night BS**, 6:45 pm – Care & Share Room
- **Alcoholics Anonymous (Gratitude)**, 8 pm – Fellowship Hall & Room 11

**TUESDAY, JUNE 10**

- **Alcoholics Anonymous (Fe y Esperanza)**, 8 pm – Module 31
- **Alcoholics Anonymous (Recovery Begins)**, 8 pm – Fellowship Hall

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11**

- **Wednesday Night Dinner**, 6 pm – Gulfport Fellowship Hall

**THURSDAY, JUNE 12**

- **Alcoholics Anonymous (Serenity, Back to the 40s)**, 11 am – Module 31
- **Alcoholics Anonymous (A Clear View to the Big Book)**, 7 pm – Module 32

**FRIDAY, JUNE 13**

- **Alcoholics Anonymous (Fe y Esperanza)**, 8 pm – Module 31

**SATURDAY, JUNE 14**

- **Adopt-A-Block Food Distribution**, 9 am – Pavilion & Field

**SUNDAY, JUNE 15** – *Why Worship Matters*

- **Happy Father's Day!**
- **Worship**, 9:30 am – Sanctuary & Online
- **Movie Day for Kids**, 9:30 am – Room 10 (all ages)
- **Coffee & Conversation**, 10:45ish am – Care & Share Room



# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

|        |  |               |
|--------|--|---------------|
| Jun 8  | Pentecost Sunday (wear something red!)           | 9:30 am       |
| Jun 8  | June Birthday Celebration                        | after worship |
| Jun 15 | Father's Day                                     | -             |
| Jun 18 | Women in Faith (Gulfport Fellowship Hall)        | noon          |
| Jun 22 | FREE Community Dinner                            | 5-6:30 pm     |
| Jun 28 | St. Pete Pride Parade                            | 2 pm          |
| Jun 29 | Florida Dream Center "Swing for the Dream Event" | 4-7 pm        |
| July 6 | First Sunday of the South Pinellas Connection    | -             |

## STEWARDSHIP OF PRESENCE & GIFTS

### Week of June 1, 2025

### 2025 Year-To-Date

|                           |                 |                      |                   |
|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Worship                   | 61              | Worship (avg weekly) | 63                |
| Online Worship            | 13              | Online (avg weekly)  | 19                |
| Giving Received This Week | \$2,686.51      | Giving Received YTD  | \$44,716.43       |
| Giving Needed Weekly      | \$1,789.00      | Giving Needed YTD    | \$37,156.00       |
| Surplus/Loss              | <b>\$897.51</b> | Surplus/Loss         | <b>\$7,560.43</b> |

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Bishop of the Florida Annual Conference – Rev. Tom Berlin  
Gulf Central District Superintendent – Rev. Emily Hotho