

THE WEEK AHEAD

ONE SERVICE TODAY		
SUN Apr 12	9:30 am 2:30 pm	Traditional Worship Iglesias Lienzos De Amor
MON Apr 13	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	
TUE Apr 14	9:00 am 7:00 pm	Hope Seeds—FH Iglesias Lienzos De Amor
WED Apr 15		
THU Apr 16	7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Iglesias Lienzos De Amor N/A Recovery Group
FRI Apr 17	7:00 pm	AA Recovery Group - FH
SAT Apr 18	8:00—1pm	DCF Teacher Testing—FH
SUN Apr 19	8:30 am 9:45 am 10:45 am 2:00 pm 2:30 pm	Traditional Worship Bible Study Contemporary Worship Golf Outing Iglesias Lienzos De Amor



Altar Flowers

FROM Alicia Schiauone in honor of grandparents on their wedding anniversary.

Blessings & Blooms for 2026

Our 2026 Flower Chart is now completely full—thank you all for your wonderful support! If you have sponsored an arrangement, please remember to take it home with you following the 10:45 service. If that’s not possible, feel free to call the office at (941-755-3256) to arrange a pickup on Tuesday.

Dear Church Family,
Thank you all so much for your time, effort, and generosity in helping make our Easter breakfast such a wonderful success. From preparing food to setting up, serving, and cleaning up, your willingness to serve truly made a difference. We couldn't have done it without you!!
 Because of you, we were able to share a meaningful time of fellowship and celebration together of our Lord's resurrection. We are so grateful for each of you and your servant hearts.
 With sincere appreciation,
Shelly James

Our Staff

Pastor: Rev. James M. Krach
Music Ministry: Dorothy J. Feldman
 Aaron Schiavone
Ministry Support: Alicia Schiavone
Office Admin: Cindy Stewart

Words of hope

April 12th, 2026

**Making Disciples
 by Sharing God's
 Compassionate Love**



Christ's resurrection
 gives us the
promise of eternal life,
 not because of
 anything we have done,
 but because of what
He has already done
 for us.

Heavenly Father, thank You for the gift of eternal life through your one and only son, Jesus Christ.
 I know, my salvation is secure in Your hands. Lord Jesus, You are the resurrection and the life.
 Because You live, I will live also. Holy Spirit, continue to strengthen my faith and guide my walk in Your truth each day.
 I trust You, I receive Your life with joy, and I fix my hope on eternity.
 In Jesus' name, Amen.



The Women's Book Club selection for the month of April is The Little Liar by Mitch Albom. We'll have supper and discuss the book on Tuesday, April 21, 2026 at 5:30 pm in the church office conference room. Bring a bite to eat and join us.

WiFi
 password: Hope4you



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WELCOME
 GUEST PASTOR



We are blessed to have Pastor Curt Adams with us this morning to lead us in song and worship. Meanwhile, Pastor Jim, along with more than 45 members of our fellowship, is traveling to Kentucky to visit the Ark Encounter and other nearby attractions. We pray for their safe travels and for a joyful, memorable experience together. Our regular worship schedule with bible study will resume next Sunday. SHALOM

ATTENDANCE April 5th 2026	
WORSHIP	242 / 90
EASTER BREAKFAST	92

Let's worship
Together

Faithful Stewards + God's Gifts

April 19 – Third Sunday of Easter

1 Peter 1:18-19 – “You were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.” Christ ransomed us and bought us back from the slavery into which we were born. We do not belong to ourselves, to the devil or to the world. We belong to Jesus. Therefore, we live our lives not in accordance with our own wisdom, but in line with God's Word.

Not, how much of my money will I give to God, but how much of God's money will I keep for myself.

— John Wesley

PRAYER LIST

HEALING/GENERAL:

Cherie	Wendi
Tricia Yuknick	Shelly Mohr
Felix Lindberg	Ellen Dugger
Finn Duffel (Infant)	Kim
Keith Miller	Trudy McDaniel
Rhoda Allison	Helen Coburn
Jim Bow	Bette & Bill Koch
Trudy McDaniel	
Barbara & Walter Mitchell	

CANCER:

Ray Carmona	Pam
Aimie	Luella Franke
Colleen Parker	Jessica Knoll
Barry Tager	Denise Schacht
John Gilchrist	Thaissa
Anna Condra	Nancy Hooker
Suzanne Spanoudakis	Sally Cario

MILITARY:

Sean Keene	Hannah Balsbaugh
Tyler Zielinski	Rusty Howe
Brandon Soto-Fernandez	

Please notify the church office with updates to this list.
(E-mail, phone call, or “Connect Card”)

PRAYER WORKS

Being a Servant of Christ

	9:30	10:45
GREETERS	Janet Weber Dennis Weber	N/A
READERS	Don Raymond	N/A
USHERS	Steve & Pat Boop Dennis Weber Collette Lewandowski	N/A
ELDERS	Wayne Tyrrell Doug Wilson	N/A

The greatest joy that I know in this life is
serving
the Lord.

An exciting fund matching opportunity - doubles your donation to Hope Seeds

April 15 - April 16, 2026 • Noon to Noon

<https://www.givingchallenge.org/organizations/hope-seeds-inc>

2026 Double your Gift Challenge
Visit the link on April 15—16th noon-noon. To be matched, gifts must be made online only, not directly to Hope Seeds.

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VBS SUMMER 2026



June 22-26th
9AM—Noon
Text 262-496-5537
or call the church office 941-755-3256 to learn more and how you can volunteer.

Dear LORD,
Thank You for fresh grace and a week full of promise. Lead me in Your ways and fill my heart with Your love and joy. Help me see others as You see them. Guide every decision, response, effort and conversation I have for Your glory.

Amen

ATTENTION GOLFERS - We're having another golf outing! April 19th 2:00 pm. Course yet to be determined. Come out and have fun no matter what skill level you are. It's a great time!

Sign-up sheet in the Narthex

Questions?? Speak with Dot Preisman or Pastor Jim

