

Citizenship: Some Cautions For Christian Living
Joshua 4:1-7, Philippians 3:12-21

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Mission Statement-Make disciples
of Jesus Christ, Who Worship
passionately, Love extravagantly,
and Witness boldly.

Church Staff

- Ministers at Large: Congregation
- Pastor: John G. Fisher
- Finance Secretary: Debbie Roberts
- Children's Director: Kelly Baloun
- Tiny Tots Director: Diedra Harris
- Nursery: Viola Khan
- Music Director: Mark Looney
- Organist: Joan Forbes
- Event set up/breakdown: Eric Baloun

The Global Methodist Church’s mission is “to make disciples of Jesus Christ who worship passionately, love extravagantly, and witness boldly,”

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July 5, 2026
Worship Services 8:30, 9:30, and 11:00 am

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Prelude: Joan Forbes, Organ

Lord Jesus, I fix my eyes on You now. Be the central focus of my worship, the singular object of my heart’s affection. As I worship, remind me of the joy that empowered Your sacrifice, and let that same joy fill me as I fix my gaze upon my risen and ascended King. Amen.

Pastor: The Lord be with you!
People: And also with you!

Words of Welcome
Call to Worship
Leader: The Lord has brought us through the deep waters and made a way where there was no way.
People: We have seen His miracles, and we stand upon the promises of God.
Leader: Come, let us raise our stones of remembrance and tell of His wondrous deeds.
People: We declare His power so that all the earth may know and fear the Lord our God.
Leader: Let us worship the Almighty, who goes before us and is with us always.
People: Let us worship the Lord our God!

Opening Hymn	Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah	No. 47
Affirmation	A Statement of faith of the Korean Methodist Church	
Response:	“Glory Be to The Father”	No. 33
Special Music	“The Star-Spangled Banner”	Desha Phipps
Children’s Moment		Kelly Baloun
Congregational Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer		Rev. Dr. Jerald Smith

Offering		
Doxology:	“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”	No. 682
Hymn:	Happy the Home When God is There	No.466
Scripture Lesson:	Joshua 4:1-7, Philippians 3:12-21	

Sermon	Citizenship: Some Cautions For Christian	Rev. Dr. Jerald Smith
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Closing Hymn	My Hope is Built on Nothing Less	No. 102
Benediction		Rev. Dr. Jerald Smith

Pray for our youth that they know Christ.

Stay and Pray for our Church, children, youth and those who are ill, each Sunday after the 8:30 and 11:00 services, bring your concerns and lets pray about them. Meet you in front of the altar.

Prayer Concerns may be placed on the back of the Registration Cards. There is the Prayer List for the Prayer Group, For Pastor Only and For Bulletin Prayer List.

Prayer Concerns will also be given to the Prayer Ministry Team which meets each Thursday morning in the Chapel at 10:00 a.m. to pray. The Thursday Morning Prayer group is open to anyone who would like to come for prayer time.

Bulletin Prayer Requests:

Jeni Adair, Marisa Alnakib, Gaby Alonso, Rishi Bhasin, Ben Bishop, Pam Bragg, Sharon Brill, Dru Brown, Ruth Clasen, Yvonne Coleman, Sonny Colvin, Mary Cox, Bryan Curtis, Shaquille Dexter, Nathan Douglas, Tom Duffy, Denise Ferelli, Tyrone Flowers, Phyllis Folk, Judy Foreman, Jean Gibson, Gudrun Fortner, Amy Frazier, Cecil Frett, Patty Griffin, Eleanor Grobaski, Anna Henry and Ryan Henry, Jonathan Hoots, Wayne Hoover, Maria Hose, Bill Howard, Alan Hussain, Justin Idle, Judy Kaufman, Barbara Kay, Elizabeth Knowles, Terry Kresge, Patricia Letcher, Cheryl Looney, Mason Majerus, Melody Massano, Judy Mears, Dolores McCall, James Morse, Seldon Neri, Robert Odom, Justyn Persaud, Bonnie Pope, Dick Potter, Roxanne Powers, Edith Prewitt, Pat Raub, Joan Rice, Florence Richer, Roberta Rose, Ajari Saint Cyr, Bob & Michelle Sapone, Jen Saulf, Caroline Smith, Melanie Smith, Rebecca Smith, Ed Taubensee, Allison Thomas, Betty Wagner, Doug Wahl, Hal Walker, Mike West, Brenda Williams, Kenlyn Williams, Brently Woods

Please contact the church office if a name needs to be added or removed from the Bulletin Prayer List. Thank-You!

Announcements:

We are excited to announce that we will be taking in new members on Sunday, July 12th at all three services. If you are interested, please email Pastor John at pastor@fmcapopka.com, or by phone at (407) 886-3421.

This fall, we are planning to introduce a new prayer ministry for our community. While this may seem a little intimidating at first, I foresee it as being a transforming time for any and all who choose to participate. If you are interested in assisting in this new prayer ministry, please contact Pastor John.

I need some help. If you are fluent in Spanish, and are interested in helping to launch a new ministry, please contact Pastor John

Immediate help is needed running sound and/or media for 8:30 and 11am services.

No experience is necessary. Please contact:

Len Sapone- 407-222-8625 | Alan Wyland - 321-229-003

Rita Wyland- 407-473-7711 | Allen Thompson- 321-440-0627

Attention all Subsplash Givers

As of July 1, the fees on all credit card donations made to the church through Subsplash will be increasing significantly, thereby reducing the funds we actually receive. With this in mind, we highly encourage you to arrange through your bank to contribute to the church through ACH. This allows us to receive the full amount of your contribution with no additional cost to you.

Thoughts -

Taste your words BEFORE, you spit them out!

Week of July 5 - July 11 Activities

Sunday 7/5:

- 8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
- 9:15 a.m. Open Door & Asbury Sunday School, Room 118
- 9:30 a.m. Exchange Service, Fellowship Hall
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

Monday 7/6:

- 8:00 a.m. Cake Baking
- 9:30 a.m. Bazaar Workshop
- 7:00 p.m. AA Meeting, Room 115
- 7:00 p.m. Cub Scout Meeting

Tuesday 7/7:

- 8:00 a.m. Cake Baking
- 10:00 a.m. AWC Committee Meeting
- 5:30 p.m. Feed My Sheep Service, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday 7/8:

- 8:00 a.m. Cake Baking
- 5:30 p.m. Feed My Sheep Service, Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 p.m. Beth Moore Women’s Bible Study

Thursday 7/9:

- 8:00 a.m. Cake Baking
- 12:00 p.m. Rotary Meeting/Lunch
- 6:30 p.m. Wekiva Park Townhomes HOA

Friday 7/10:

- 8:00 a.m. Cake Baking
- 8:00 p.m. AA Meeting. Room 115

Saturday 7/11:

- 11:00 a.m. Seventh Day Adventist Service, Room 118

Welcome

We are so GLAD that you are here today.

Helpful information for guests

- Please complete the registration card and place it in the offering plate.
- Sound system enhancement aids are available near the entrance of the Sanctuary. Ask one of the ushers for assistance.
- A nursery for children ages 4 and younger is provided during the worship services and during Sunday School.
- Please pick up a guest welcome information packet in the Lobby/Narthex area.



7/7 - Terry Eagle
7/7 - Teresa Knox

7/11 - Becky Fisher



7/10 - Paul and Elizabeth Silva
7/17 - Phil and Lori Wimer

Flowers in Honor or Memory of a Loved One

We have openings in the coming months for flowers on the altar in honor or memory of a loved one. This is a great way to recognize birthdays, or anniversaries as well. For just \$50.00, you can brighten your loved one's day. Please take the opportunity to look over the Registry Book in the Narthex and sign up for a Sunday.



*In Memory of
Maxine Cochran*

Mission of the Month:

Thanks to everyone who turned in their God Wink boxes! To date, we have collected \$350.00 which will be used for local missions throughout our community.

Continuing Mission:

Needs for the Dream Lake Dragon's Den:

The Dragon's Den will be focusing on hygiene this summer and the following items are needed: Toothpaste and toothbrush, Deodorant, Bar Soap, Dish Detergent

Other items like laundry detergent, body wash, and shampoo are always appreciated! There is a Dragon's Den bin in the narthex for these items!

We continue to need 300, large piece, puzzles for the rehab centers in our area! Puzzles can be new or slightly used with ALL the pieces!



Youth Group Meet-Up

Who: Middle & High School Students

When: **TAKING A BREAK FOR THE SUMMER**



Join Us for PICKLEBALL

Date: **TAKING A BREAK FOR THE SUMMER**