



Pass-A-Grille Beach Community Church, UCC

ANNOUNCEMENTS

"This is Who We Are" Volunteer Ministry Fair • TODAY 9:30 am - 10 am and 11 am - noon in Fellowship Hall

Come learn how YOU can become involved in the church. Discover opportunities. Put your passion into action.

Make a difference. Represented ministries will include: technology, youth, music, worship life, thrift shop, adult mission trip, outreach, social justice, men's group, women's group and more.

Search for Business Manager and Stewardship/Endowment Chairperson

Would you like to be an integral part of the growth and future of our church? We are currently searching for both a Business Manager and a Stewardship/Endowment Chairperson to serve on Church Council. If you would like to learn more about either of these roles, please contact Nominating Chair, Tom Pusateri, at t.pusateri@hotmail.com or 813-817-6978.

Church Potluck Dinner Sponsored by Men's Ministry • Thursday, October 23 at 6 pm in Fellowship Hall

All are invited. Sign up on Sunday or contact the office at admin@pagchurch.org or 727-360-5508.

If possible, bring a ready-to-eat dish to share (crockpot/casserole, salad or dessert).

Note, our church kitchen is not fully functional for meal prep or clean up. To make this event as eco-friendly as possible, please pack picnic-style—bring dinnerware, silverware and necessary utensils for eating and serving.

Remember to bring a bowl(s) for chili and soup. Men's Ministry will provide beverages and has a supply of extra paper plates, silverware and napkins to be used as needed.

For more information, please reach out to Ed Kuznick at 610-247-2602 or ekuznick@msn.com.

The Many Faces of ADHD • Sunday, October 26 at 11:15 am in Fellowship Hall

Join us for an all-ages group discussion about ADHD. Facilitated by Barbara Moore, who joined our church earlier this year. Barbara was diagnosed with ADHD in her early 50's after several mis-diagnoses and a lifelong journey to understand why she, as a gifted student and successful professional, struggled with many seemingly simple things.

It turns out, just because something is simple, doesn't mean it is easy for everyone.

You can read more about this important presentation in our weekly e-blast.

Book Club • Tuesday, November 4 at 12:30 pm in the youth room

All are welcome to join us as we discuss "A Calamity of Souls" by David Baldacci.

For more information, please contact the church office.

Soup Supper & Guest Author Book Signing • Thursday, November 6th at 6:45 pm in Fellowship Hall

Sponsored by Social Justice Ministry

Join us for this soup supper followed by a discussion and presentation by author Malcolm Himschoot.

His book is entitled, *Reading Secrets: A Queer Inheritance of Life & Scripture*. Sign up at the welcome desk or church office.

A pastor and educator, Rev. Himschoot lives in Maine and was ordained in the United Church of Christ.

This is his first book. Copies are available at the welcome desk or church office for \$20.

Faith and queerness don't often coexist harmoniously. Yet when we strip away the layers, love and acceptance lie at the heart of faith. In *Reading Secrets: A Queer Inheritance of Life & Scripture*, Malcolm Himschoot explores the complexities of faith, queerness, gender, and identity while navigating the painful relationship with his father, a man whose own repression of his queerness led to harm. Through his exploration of family, faith and self, Himschoot challenges societal norms and allows his faith to embrace and celebrate human differences.

You're Invited to our Annual Pumpkin Carving Party!
Sunday, October 19 after 10:00 church on the Labyrinth



Everything for carving will be provided — just bring your creativity
 and any add ons you might want. Reserve your pumpkins by
 Friday, October 17 with Signe Webb at signewebb@yahoo.com or 813.728.2176.

MONDAY
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TUESDAY
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WEDNESDAY
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FRIDAY
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SATURDAY
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SUNDAY
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8 am Men's Prayer
Breakfast

9 am Labyrinth
Prayer Group

9:30 am WOFJ

8:30 am worship
service

9 am Piecemakers
quilting group

5:30 pm Handbells
rehearsal

10 am worship
service

1 pm Grief Group

7 pm Choir
rehearsal

11 am Pumpkin
Carving

6 pm Youth Groups

REGULARLY MEETING MINISTRIES

Piecemakers Quilting Group

This group meets Tuesdays from 9 am until noon to make quilts of all sizes for the church and All Children's Hospital. Beginning and experienced quilters are welcome. For more information, please contact admin@pagchurch.org.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Our men's group meets Tuesdays at 8 am in Fellowship Hall.
For more info, please contact Ed Kuznick at ekuznick@msn.com

Women on a Faith Journey

Our women's group meets Thursdays at 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall.
For more info, please contact Cindy Petersen at danep3@verizon.net.

Labyrinth Prayer Group

Join us for our Labyrinth Prayer Group every other Wednesday at 9am, co-hosted by Pastor Angla and Cora Herb.

Upcoming dates: October 15 and 29, November 12 and 26, and December 10

This is a chance for us to pray, reflect, and experience God's presence through walking our beautiful labyrinth.

All are welcome. For those who are mobility-impaired, we have a modified way to experience the labyrinth.
Please contact Pastor Angela (seniorpastor@pagchurch.org) or Cora (coracita@aol.com) if you have any questions.

Uke Kooks

A group for anyone who wants to get together and play their ukulele and sing fun songs.

Meetings will be on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month at 1pm in Fellowship Hall.

For more info, please contact Jo Small at josmall22319@gmail.com.

Thrift Shop

As they prepare to reopen in the near future, the Thrift Shop is once again accepting donations.
Items can be brought to the church office or left in the alcove by the front door of the store.



Help Needed:

- Church functions need **volunteers to lend a hand or donate food**. When a need occurs (memorial reception, special event, etc.), Francie Nelson sends an email to everyone on her list of volunteers asking for specific help. The list is long so people do not feel pressure to help every time. If you are interested in being added to her list, please email maryfrancesnelson@gmail.com or text 607-425-2787.
- The AV Team (Ed Kuznick and John Nelson) needs **help with audio and streaming on Sundays**. They will train you before you join a rotating team to service this vital ministry. For more information, reach out to ekuznick@msn.com or johnwalternelson@gmail.com. Your patience and understanding are appreciated while we adjust to a new method of streaming and work with new tech helpers.
- Pastor Angela invites interested volunteers to **serve as lay leaders on Sunday mornings** at the 8:30 and 10 am services. Join her in the worship service by leading the call to worship, reading the scripture, and giving the invitation to the offering. Contact Vivian Fueyo at v.fueyo@me.com if you're interested.

Donations Needed:*

- **Shoetober** is an annual Clothes to Kids shoe drive that helps provide a basic but essential need for kids. All sizes are wanted (sneakers, please!), but the greatest demand is for children's shoes in sizes 12-5.
* *Donation barrels in Fellowship Hall.*

PRAYER LIST

J.D. Burns, Tom Chism, Bob Frye, Floss and Kay Marino-Munion,
Barb and Frank Martinelli, Henry and Judy Rutledge and our servicemen and women

Does your ministry have something to announce? Please email to admin@pagchurch.org at least two weeks prior to wanting to see it in print.

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