



Faith Harbor
A beacon of hope, anchored in Christ, sharing God's love through joyful service.

WikiWorship

John 18.38: "Pilate asked him, 'What is truth?'"

This last Sunday we started gathering questions from the congregation in preparation for WikiWorship. WikiWorship is based on a question that goes like this: "Is the church answering questions that no one is asking?" So, we are in the process of gathering questions, and we are learning that many people have questions. You can even see that Pilate asks Jesus a question, right before pronouncing Jesus' death, it is a riveting question:

"What is truth?" We are gathering questions by going door-to-door in a neighborhood, we are gathering them through social media, we are gathering them on Sunday mornings, and we are gathering them from friends, family, co-workers, classmates, and neighbors.

The team that is putting this together is John Fuerst, Danielle Fulgenzi, Jeremy Sander, Madison Grey, Hunt Tayloe, Ivey Brooks, Brittany Audet, and Nathan Chryst. Please pray for this group as they gather questions, analyze questions, and implement this outreach worship service. This coming Tuesday there will be an article written about WikiWorship in the Jacksonville Daily News.

Our very first WikiWorship service will be on Sunday, February 22nd at 11am. Feel free to invite friends, family, neighbors, co-workers, and classmates. We will be engaging in difficult questions about life, relationships, religion, politics, philosophy, and morality. This will be a safe place to engage in difficult topics in an environment where folks will have an opportunity to share. There will be childcare provided and lunch afterwards. This will run for the six Sundays of Lent.

"Is the church answering questions that no one is asking?"

We at Faith Harbor want to hear from you. We are calling this WikiWorship. It is based on the famed Wikipedia, where a person can edit the content of this online encyclopedia. At WikiWorship you can edit the content of a worship service that will be based on your questions. We will attempt to answer your questions during the worship service. This is intentionally done so that real world questions can be discussed in a real world situation. Please send any question that you have had for God or about life. You can send this to an email at philipchryst@gmail.com or visit our website:

faithharbortopsail.org/wikiworship

Please help to make this WikiWorship experience successful by attending at 11am on February 22; March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. We will have lunch afterwards each Sunday. Childcare provided.
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What's Happening

Scripture:

02/15/26	Galatians 6.1-18
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Greeters:

February 15th: Youth

February 22nd: Bonnie Hunter & Sherry Mewborn



Please join us this Sunday, as we welcome our newest members:

Mike & Chelsea Kabakaba, Kevin & Marina Jarvie, Don Poole, Pete & Dorothy Parnian, Jeremy Sander, and Colin & Danielle Fulgenzi

FROM THE FINANCE TEAM: *By the Numbers - A summary of weekly revenues*

Weekly Revenues for Period Ending February 7, 2026				
Tithes - General Budget	Oth Spec	Oth Revenues	Pre-School	Total Revenue
\$2,592.50	\$0.00	\$350.00	\$3,525.00	\$6,467.50

Faith Harbor Finance Committee Approved Meeting Dates for 2026

The Finance Committee agreed to meet every other month, beginning in March 2026. The meetings will be held on the third Tuesday @ 6:30pm in Room 6. The meeting dates are as follows:

March 17, 2026; May 19, 2026; July 21, 2026; September 15, 2026; November 17, 2026

Faith Harbor Pilots

A ministry for men, by men, for the good of all.

The Faith Harbor United Methodist Men invite all men to be a part of something special. The men of the Church are being called to serve as **“A beacon of hope, anchored in Christ, sharing God’s love through joyful service.”** Please join us as we begin and look forward to having another great year of service. This is an open invitation to all men who desire to become disciples of Christ.

Faith Harbor Pilots Schedule of Upcoming Events

1. **Sunday February 15, 2026, 1pm-6pm Share the Table Meal**
1. **Sunday March 1 through 22, 2026, 3rd Annual College Food Raiser**

On the third Sunday Sean and Kourtney Dalnodar will head up a team to prepare and serve a meal at Share-the-Table. This is an opportunity for all Pilots to serve the community in a special way. If you have any questions, please contact Sean Dalnodar or Dave Davila

The third annual College Bowl Food Raiser begins on Sunday March 1, 2026, and runs through March 22, 2026. Support your favorite college team by filling your team basket each week with food items to be donated to Share the Table. Last year’s competition raised 1,692 food items. Stay tuned for further developments.

Tuesday Morning Men’s Group

Come as you can, if you can – unless otherwise stated, the men’s breakfast group meets at Sear’s Landing every Tuesday at 8:00am. Roger Morton, our devotional leader and biblical scholar, provides an inspirational devotion each week. Please join us anytime if you wish to start your day in an uplifting and inspirational way. For more information, contact Roger: rramorton@gmail.com.

Save the Date for the next Family Night Supper! Please join us...

February 17: Pancake Supper - Hosted by Faith Harbor Youth Group

March 4: Hosted by the Quilting Mission

May 6: Hosted by United Women in Faith



Faith Harbor Chair Yoga



Come join us on Wednesdays at 11:30 beginning on Wednesday, Feb. 25. We will do a 30-minute class that will include seated yoga poses, stretching, and some work with light weights!!! All ages and levels are welcome! Bring a set of light hand weights!! Any questions, see Peg Strohecker, Bill Widholm, or Sandy Wise! Hope to see you there!!



If you enjoy reading and great discussion, we invite you to our reading circle. We meet on the first Thursday each month at 10:00, Rm 6. We'd love you to join us! Here is the next book...

March: The Book of Hope: A Survival Guide for Trying Times by Jane Goodall and Douglas Abrams



Do you have a heart for worship? We would love you to join us for a Contemporary Worship Service on the 2nd Saturday of each month. Service begins at 5:00pm. Bring your friends, all are welcome!!

Attention All Musicians out there! Faith Harbor Praise Band is looking for musicians for our Saturday night Contemporary Worship Service! We would be interested in most any instrument or vocalist, but we have real need for guitar (both rhythm and lead) and bass players, keyboard.

Contact: Ron Voli-(804) 334-1113 or Brittany Audet-(910) 465-2412

The Nursing Home Ministry of Faith Harbor join members of the Gathering Church on the 2nd Sunday each month in the Memory Care Unit at Woodbury Wellness Center- 2778 Country Club Dr, Hampstead. You are welcome to join us at 11:00a.m. for worship and visit with the residents.

Contact: Bescye P Burnett (678) 882-6721 or bescyep@gmail.com

Our Children's Ministry



Jr BASIC! Will be held on the first and third Sunday of the month. It is a time when elementary-aged children can stay after church for fellowship, lunch, and a lesson/craft. It is a great time for the kids of Faith Harbor to get to know each other better, and for the parents to grab a quick lunch date!!!

We can't do this without your help! Please consider volunteering for just one or two weeks. Use the link below to sign up. Any questions, please reach out to Peg (717) 802-6716 or stroheckerpeg@gmail.com Thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084FA8AC2FA6FCCE9-58062320-jrbasic#/>



Youth Groups for Grades 6-12

Wayfinders is our middle school group, grades 6-8.

Navigators is our high school group, grades 9-12.

Wayfinders: 5:00 – 6:00p in the Reef

Youth Supper: 6:00- 6:30p (optional) in the Narthex

Navigators: 6:30 – 8:00p in the Reef

Feb 13-15: Girls' Chrysalis Flight

Mar 6-8: Confirmation/Spring Retreat at Camp Don Lee (all youth)

*Confirmation classes will be led by Pastor Philip and Kim McCluskey through Feb and March.

Deborah Lanham - Youth Minister

910.388.6862

Office Hours (flexible): Tues & Wed 9:30 - 3:30 or by appointment

FAITH HARBOR PRESCHOOL NEWSLETTER



JANUARY 2026



What We Are Learning

THEME: HEALTHY HEARTS AND SMILES AND OLYMPICS!

"We love because he first loved us." 1 John 4:19

This month at Faith Harbor Preschool, we're focusing on Healthy Hearts, Happy Smiles, and the Olympics! Children will explore ways to keep their bodies healthy, practice kindness and positive friendships, and learn about teamwork and perseverance through fun Olympic-style games and activities. Our Bible story this month is The Good Samaritan, where we'll talk about showing love, compassion, and helping others—just like Jesus taught us. We're excited for a month full of movement, learning, and caring hearts!

We encourage families to continue these conversations at home by talking about ways to show kindness and love each day—at home, at school, and in the community. Ask your child how they can be a "good neighbor" and pray together for hearts that love like Jesus.



What's New

Soccer Shots-Still time to sign up!
Topsail Dance Arts -Sign up at anytime!

Transitional Kindergarten class is a possibility for next year. Spread the word!

Reminders

- Registration for next year is open and will be until we are full! If you plan to return fill out the registration form to secure your spot!
- 'Tis' the season for sickness! Please remember if your child is feeling sick keep them home. We want to eliminate the spreading of germs as much as possible.

Upcoming

- Dentist visit by Dr. Olmstead at Topsail Dental-Feb. 3rd.
- Valentine's Day Party-Feb. 12th
- Author Visit Feb. 26th





3rd: Olivia Barras
5th: Cary Mangus; Judy Miller
9th: Jim Graziano
10th: Sophie Albertson; Anita Phillips
13th: Kim Aikman; Jeff Strohecker
17th: Dawn Ellis; Laura Frazier; Mike Hopper
18th: Frank Divinie
19th: Parker Fox
20th: Grace Holmes
22nd: Tom Fisher
24th: Lisa Colman
26th: John Kennedy
27th: Avery Harrison



Scripture – Week of February 16th

Centering Prayer: "Happy are all who take refuge in him." Psalm 2.11

M Exodus 33.7-23, Acts 7.30-34

Tu I Kings 19.9-18, Romans 11.1-6

W Joel 2.1-17, II Corinthians 5.20-6.10, Matthew 6.1-21

Th Jonah 3.1-10, Romans 1.1-7

F Jonah 4.1-11, Romans 1.8-17

Sa Isaiah 58.1-12, Matthew 18.1-7

Su Genesis 2.15-3.7, Romans 5.12-19, Matthew 4.1-11

Key scripture Matthew 4.11: "Then the devil left him, and suddenly angels came and waited on him."



Members: Ray Blackburn; Charles Burnett; Connie & Frank Carroll; Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Patty Feige; Parker Fox; Janet Hughes; Manhollow Missionary Baptist Church; Cathy Medlin; Tony Merlino; Becki Modlin; Judy Pratt; Alan Sasser; David & Jill Strohpaull; Owen Williams

Military: Joe Fraley, Andy Harrison, Charles Hickey; Grace Holmes; Greg Holmes; Joey Horne; Abbie Kizer, John Modlin, Branden Mooney, Dryden Phelps; Tyler Ray, Gavin Robinson; Charlotte Taylor; Craig (family friend of Deanna Beard)

Family and Friends: Rosie Bland (George & Jill Bland); Rev. Curtis Campbell; Eileen Eifert (John Pratt's sister); David King and family; Sue Penny; *Lillian Piotter*; Anthony Powell (Bescye's Brother); Chris Widholm; Noel Widholm

And please pray for all unnamed persons needing God's peace, comfort, and guidance. Heavenly Father, surround us with your loving light. We pray for complete healing of our body, mind and spirit. Please take away our worries and bring guidance and strength to those in need. AMEN

HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT FAITH HARBOR UMC

Sunday, 2/15- Youth Sunday

8:00 Communion Service
9:30 Worship Service
10:45 Final New Member Class
10:45 JR Basic
10:45 Adult Sunday School
5:00p Wayfinders Group/Reef
6:00p Youth Fellowship Meal
6:30p Navigator's Group/Reef

Monday, 2/16

7:30 Open Prayer
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
6:30p Cub Scouts

Tuesday, 2/17

7:30 Open Prayer
8:00 Pilot's Group Breakfast
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
11:15 Women's Group
6:00p Praise Band Practice
6:00p Family Night Pancake Supper
7:00p Women's AA/Reef

Wednesday, 2/18

9:30 Communion
10:15 Staff Meeting, Rm. 6
7:00p Ash Wednesday Service
7:00p Boy Scouts/Reef

Thursday, 2/19

12:00 AA Group, Rm. 6
6:00p MDT/Love Thyself
6:00p Worship as Life class

Friday, 2/20

8:30 Women's Breakfast Group
5:00p Praise Band Practice
7:00p Cub Scouts/Pinewood Derby Set-up

Saturday, 2/21

9 – 2p Pinewood Derby

Sunday, 2/22

8:00 Communion Service
9:30 Worship Service
10:45 Adult Bible Study
11:00 WikiWorship
11:00 Jr Basic
5:00p Wayfinders Group/Reef
6:00p Youth Fellowship Meal
6:30p Navigators Group/Reef