

# PARKWAY—

## THE NEWSLETTER

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### Shelby's Corner—Education and Mission Coordinator

We are having our annual Easter Family Celebration Saturday, April 19th from 10:00AM – NOON (roughly). In order to make this Easter Family Celebration one to remember, we are seeking donations of plastic eggs, candy, cascarones, and silly string!

The kids LOVE cascarones and silly string.... Something about getting messy is simply the best!

For more information on our Easter Family Celebration or if you just want to chat, please don't hesitate to reach out!



### Easter Food Basket

We are requesting donations to purchase \$60 HEB gift cards for 25 Purple Door (women's shelter) clients.

You can send a check to the church, write EASTER FOOD BASKET in the memo line, or you can give online by going to [www.parkwaypc.org](http://www.parkwaypc.org) click the GIVE tab, choose the FOOD BASKETS fund and enter your information.

<https://onrealm.org/parkwaypc/give/foodbaskets> or scan the QR code.



Thank you for participating in the program that helps those in need. Please contact Pat Clements with questions at (361)658-2174.

SAVE THE DATE

## LENTEN ACTIVITIES

April 13 11 AM

Palm Sunday Worship Service

April 17 6 PM

Maundy Thursday Service

April 19 10 AM—Noon

Churchwide Family Easter Celebration

April 20 11 AM

Easter Sunday Worship Service

## Fellowship Hall Flooring

We are so excited to announce that the Fellowship flooring project is complete! Swing by on Sunday to take a look! Shout out to the Properties Committee for all the hard work!



Each gift to One Great Hour of Sharing supports efforts to relieve hunger through the Presbyterian Hunger Program, promote development through the Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People, and assist in areas of disaster through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. All three programs work in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustenance, and hope. Please go to <https://onrealm.org/parkwaypc/give/OneGreatHour> to give. If donating by check, please write OGHS in memo line.

Free luncheon on April 30th to learn more about the mission of PCHAS. Although there is no cost to attend, we do ask for an RSVP and we'd like to note it is a fundraiser and we will be asking those attending to support the mission of PCHAS. We will share and celebrate the transformative work being done in the lives of children and families in the coastal bend.

This year's theme, "Waves of Change," reflects ripples of hope and possibility.

**Are you interested in the financial workings of Parkway?** If so, you may be interested in joining the finance committee! The committee serves to assist session regarding its fiscal responsibilities by ensuring Parkway's vision and values are reflected in the church operations. This includes budgeting, financial planning, revenue and expense monitoring and maintaining transparency with the congregation.

The committee meets on the third Monday of each month, with a summer break, at 6pm for about an hour. Please contact Michelle Ramirez at [michelle@trarch.com](mailto:michelle@trarch.com) or 361.850.0838 for further information.

## Calendar of Events

<b>April 1</b>	6:00	Education Committee Meeting
	6:00	Worship Committee Meeting
<b>April 3</b>	6:00	Mission Outreach Committee Meeting
<b>April 6</b>	11:00	Communion Sunday
<b>April 13</b>	11:00	Palm Sunday Worship Service
<b>April 14</b>	6:00	Properties Committee Meeting
		Finance Committee Meeting
<b>April 17</b>	6:00	Maundy Thursday Service
<b>April 19</b>	10:00	Churchwide Family Easter Celebration
<b>April 20</b>	11:00	Easter Sunday Worship Service
<b>April 21</b>	5:30	Ethel Poyner Evening Circle
<b>April 22</b>	6:00	Session Meeting
<b>April 28</b>	2:30	Events and Fellowship Committee Meeting

### Monthly Recurring Committee Meetings

Education (Windy Baker)

1st Tuesday at 6 PM

Events & Fellowship (Susan Johnson)

4th Monday at 2:30 PM

Finance (Michelle Ramirez)

3rd Monday at 6 PM

Member Care (Susan Johnson)

3rd Sunday at 12 PM

Mission Outreach (Pat Clements)

1st Thursday at 5:30 PM

Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC)

(Carol Scott & Rob Durham)

Mondays at 6:00 PM

Properties (Michael Skrobarczyk)

2nd Monday at 6 PM

Staff Oversight (Roberta Dohse)

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Stewardship (Pat Wolter)

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Technology (Rob Durham)

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Worship (Elaine Schroeder)

1st Tuesday at 6:00

### Weekly Recurring Meetings

Mondays 6:00 PM PNC

Tuesdays 11:30 AM WOW—Ladies Bible Study  
Zoom only — contact  
Joan Salazar with questions

7:00 PM Sweet Adelines/ Sparkling  
City Chorus

Wednesdays 9:30 AM Staff Meeting  
5:30 PM Book Discussion Group  
Conference Room  
Windy Baker

6:30 PM Handbells Rehearsal  
Sanctuary

7:15 PM Choir Rehearsal  
Choir Room

\*\* Please note times and dates of events /meetings are subject to change — please double-check with event leader to verify.

**Prayer Concerns** Please submit prayer concerns to Joan Salazar, (361)816-5010 or [joan.salazar@att.net](mailto:joan.salazar@att.net). Contact the church office if you would like to receive the prayer chain emails or if your email address needs to be updated.

Marge Prichard  
Judy Braselton  
Nadine Erikson  
Mary Jane Hamilton  
David Hattox  
Ron Musfeldt  
Jeana Lipstreu  
Geneva Adkins  
Carlene Schleider  
Marian Farmer



Ray Cross  
Molly Mauldin  
Bob Forbes  
Lawrence Young  
Monica—Esther  
Read's granddaughter  
Family of Paul Meyer  
Family of Mary Ruth Valerius  
Family of Jean Ware

## LOAVES & FISHES | Metro Ministries

Parkway has a volunteer helper scheduled every Friday, for the 5 PM to 6 PM dinner service, and yes, additional volunteers would be most welcome. A food handlers permit is required, but it can be done online.



Contact [Pat Clements](#) (361) 658-2174 to sign up or for more information.

## CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9AM - 1PM  
Email: [Parkway@parkwaypc.org](mailto:Parkway@parkwaypc.org)

### 2025 Flower Calendar

**Some available dates:** April 20, May 25, June 8, July 6, July 27

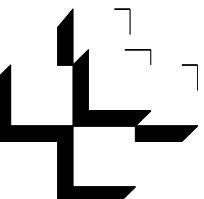
Thank you to all who have donated flowers for our Sunday morning services. To sign up for a date you can go through the [SignUp Genius](#) website or scan the QR code. We will include your flower dedication in the Sunday morning order of worship.



Flowers are \$40 payable to the church, please write FLOWERS in the memo line. Paying through [Realm](#), select FUND "other" then select "Flower Fund" as the Memo.

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