

# MARCH 2018

## SUNDAYS AT PRUMC

**9:00 a.m.**, Children's Sunday School, Cup of conversation, *Agape Center*  
Adult Sunday School, *Grace Center*  
Open Prayer Time, *Prayer Room*

**10:00 a.m.** Worship, *Sanctuary*  
*Children's Church, during the sermon*  
*Nursery available in the Agape Center*

### Birthdays

- 03/01 Sommer Crawford
- 03/05 Adalynn Crawford
- 03/06 Kay Saraceno
- 03/11 Rodney Crawford
- 03/13 Amelia Fulks
- 03/14 Brooke Colon, Susie Thomas
- 03/15 Christina Fischer
- 03/16 Jane Culotta
- 03/17 Willa Murray
- 03/20 Sheila Mayfield
- 03/23 Megan Fulks-Hill
- 03/24 Jeri Barron
- 03/25 Cruz Carrasco
- 03/26 Joyce Branaman, Joe Colon, Pam Wrenn
- 03/27 Floris Johnson
- 03/28 JoAnn Rucker
- 03/29 Ben Talton

### Anniversaries

- 03/20 Jane & Travis Culotta
- 03/23 Leslie & Kirby Craddock

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				<b>1</b> 6pm, Children's Ministry Team Meeting, Grace Center 7pm—Men's Covenant Group,	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> 8am, Rummage Sale, Agape Center  9am, Food Ministry, Precious Pearls Parking Lot
<b>4</b> Nursery: Susan Griffith & Charlotte Calandro 3yr-Kind: Christina Bordelon 1st-3rd Grade: Lori Wallace  Girl Scout Cookies for Sale	<b>5</b> 6pm, Care & Share, Gathering Room  6pm, Disciple Fast Track—Bible Study	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 930am, POP, (Power of Prayer), Sanctuary 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures", Bible Study, Grace Center 11:30am—Prime Timer's, Agape Center, bring \$5.00 530pm, Club 456, Agape Center 6pm, Praise Band Practice, Sanctuary	<b>8</b>  11am—Prayer Shawl, Grace Center	<b>9</b>  Church Campout at Fontainebleau State Park	<b>10</b>  12-noon, Potluck Lunch with campers
<b>11</b> Nursery: Kathy Maillet & Catherine Marino 3yr-Kind: Peggy Colon 1st-3rd Grade: Stephanie Sherlock <b>Peanut Butter Sunday</b>	<b>12</b> 6pm, Disciple Fast Track—Bible Study	<b>13</b> 6pm, Finance Meeting, Grace Center 7pm—Church Council, Agape Center	<b>14</b> 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), Sanctuary 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, Grace Center 6:00pm—Praise Band Practice, Sanctuary	<b>15</b> 6:30pm—Ladies Ministry Team, Grace Center 7pm—Men's Covenant Group, Gathering Room	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 10am-2pm, Men's BBQ Chicken Dinner
<b>18</b> Nursery: DeeDee Mullins & Joyce Branaman 3yr-Kind: Becky Pecot 1st-3rd Grade: Kandy Ward  Sweets for Seniors 9am, Blood Drive	<b>19</b> 6pm, Disciple Fast Track—Bible Study	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), Sanctuary 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, Grace Center 530pm, Club 456, Agape Center 6:00pm—Praise Band Practice, Sanctuary	<b>22</b>  11am—Prayer Shawl, Grace Center	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 8am-12(noon), Spring Clean-up
<b>25</b> Nursery: Donna Chartier & Charlotte Calandro 3yr-Kind: Carol Fife 1st-3rd Grade: Irene Wenner	<b>26</b> 6pm, Disciple Fast Track—Bible Study	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), Sanctuary 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, Grace Center 6:00pm—Praise Band Practice, Sanctuary	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>

## Holy Week & Easter Worship Opportunities

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**Palm Sunday • March 25th**  
Children and Families are invited to lead the Palm Processional during our 10am worship service.

### Maundy Thursday March 29th at 6pm

We join a solemn journey that has changed the world and our own lives. Followers of Jesus have been taking this journey since his first followers took it, long ago. This is the night of love. Join us as we recount the Passover feast in which Jesus broke bread and shared wine with his followers for the last time, and invited them to remember him. We will share scripture readings, prayers, hand washing and Holy Communion

### Good Friday

#### March 30th at 6pm

Journey with Christ to Calvary  
**Easter Sunrise Service  
Sunday, April 1st at 6:30am**  
Sunrise Breakfast together in the Agape Center immediately following the Sunrise Worship service.

### Resurrection Sunday Service Sunday, April 1st at 10:00am

Resurrection Celebration  
Join us in the main sanctuary for an uplifting Easter morning worship

There will be an Egg Easter Hunt immediately following worship for all the children.



## Men's Covenant Group Thursday, March 1st

Come join Rudi Polderman and the men of PRUMC on **Thursday evening at 7:00pm**, for a brief devotional and fellowship. They talk about life in general and anything weighing on their hearts and minds. Men of all ages are welcome.

## Children's Ministry Meeting Tuesday, March 1st

Join us in the Grace Center on **March 1st at 6pm** as we discuss the opportunities for our children in learning about our savior. we will be finalizing our Lenten program for both Rotation Sunday School, Children's Church, Club 456 and Vacation Bible School. Come help us make our plans for the children. If you would like to more about any of our Children's Ministry programs, please feel free to talk with Susan Kolb and Valerie Little. All are welcome!



## Pearl River Food Ministry Distribution Saturday, March 3rd

Our church helps distribute food boxes provided by Community Christian Concern (CCC) once a month. If you would like to help with this mission, show up at the parking lot of the former Precious Pearls on Hwy. 41 at **8:30am on March 3rd** to help unload the food boxes. It's a blessing to serve our community.

## Rummage Sale \* March 3rd

Have you been meaning to clean out those old, gently-used items that you no longer use or wear? We are having our annual Rummage Sale March 3rd from 8am-12pm. **Items can be dropped off during the following times: Wednesday, February 28th, Thursday, March 1st and Friday, March 2nd, from 9am-12pm and 3pm-6pm in the Agape Center. Please price all your items for sale.** There will be hamburgers and hot dogs for sale as well as baked goods. There is a sign-up board in the Gathering Room for you to add your name to volunteer to help. If you are able to bake cookies or brownies, please contact Leslie Craddock at 985-290-0449 or Kirby Craddock at 985-290-1083. Thank you for all your support!



## Care & Share Support Group

Join Rev. Cindy Kaupp, JB and Becky Brown on **March 5th at 6pm**, for a time of sharing, listening, and prayer. If you have something weighing on your heart that you feel you need to talk about and get some loving support, join Rev. Cindy, Becky and JB for this monthly gathering. All discussions kept confidential.

## Prime Timer's Luncheon · March 7th

**Wednesday, March 7th** immediately following the "Sunday Scriptures" Bible Study, everyone is invited to lunch in the Agape Center. Please bring \$5.00. There will be games and fellowship.



## Spring Campout March 8th—11th Fontainebleau State Park

Come join us for the Spring Camp Out? Do you have your space reserved? Call Cleveland Crawford ([985-863-5565](tel:985-863-5565)) to see if spots are available. **Church wide potluck on Saturday, March 10th at 12:00 (noon)**. Bring your favorite dish or dessert to share, your lawn chairs and your walking shoes. Come join the fun and fellowship. Hope to see you there. .



## Peanut Butter Sunday March 11th

Club 456 is sponsoring a Peanut Butter Sunday, As a new youth team here at PRUMC they have chosen to start their first mission project by helping out the CCC (Community Christian Concerns). CCC has been running short on Peanut Butter to put in their food boxes. **On March 11th we are going to be collecting jars of Peanut Butter**, You can bring the creamy or the nutty kind, whichever you would like. There will be boxes on the table in the Gathering Room to put your jars of Peanut Butter in. Club 456 meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 5:30pm to 7:00pm. Come join us. Thank you in advance for all your help.



## Church Council Meeting Tuesday, March 13th @ 7pm

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to join us at the Church Council Meeting as we discuss the ministries and missions of our congregation and community. **Hope to see you all there.**

## Ladies Ministry Meeting Thursday, March 15th

Come join the ladies of our congregation for their **March 15th meeting at 6:30 pm in the Agape Center**. They will have a light meal, a brief devotional and discuss the ministries they have planned for the spring. Bring your ideas and suggestions. Women of all ages are welcome!!



## BBQ Chicken Dinners March 17th



The Men's Covenant Group and the Vacation Bible School leaders and helpers are cooking up some delicious BBQ Chicken Dinners with all the trimmings on **Saturday, March 17th from 10:00am-2:00pm**. Dinners are \$10.00 a plate. All proceeds will go to Vacation Bible School. Watch your bulletins for more info.

## Blood Mobile · March 18th



PRUMC is hosting a Blood Drive on Sunday, March 18th before and after worship. Consider donating your blood or plasma so we can reach our goal of 25 donations.. Please eat a healthy meal and drink lots of water before and after your contribution. Don't forget to bring your photo ID. Don't forget, donating blood is a gift of life for someone. If you have any questions, please give the church a call at 985-863-7452.

## Spring Campus Clean-up

Join JB Brown on **Saturday March 24th** at 8:00am as we do some spring cleaning. Bring your cleaning buckets, mops, towels, paint brushes, rags and anything you think you might need. Join the fun as we spruce up our campus and get ready for Easter.



## SAVE THE DATES

March 4th	Daisy Scout Cookie Orders
March 4th	UMCOR Sunday
March 29th	Maundy Thursday
March 30th	Good Friday
April 1st	Easter Sunday