



Ruskin Methodist Church
CELEBRATING 100 YEARS!
 105 4th Ave. NW, Ruskin, FL 33570 • 813-645-1241
Sunday Worship & Online Service10 AM
Wednesday evening Bible study.....beginning at 4:30
Salty Youth program Every Monday 6:30-8:00
 Pastor Tom Emigh-Associate Pastor Richard Hasley
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REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH - ELCA
 701 Valley Forge Blvd. • Sun City Center, FL 33573
Reverend David Allman, Pastor • 813-634-1292
 In Person & Online Worship Sunday at 10 a.m. www.redeemerlc.com
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SUN CITY CHRISTIAN CENTER
 Come Worship with Us
 Adult Sunday School 9:00 a.m. RICHARD CURTIS Pastor
 Sunday Worship..... 10:30 a.m. ARLEN BECK Assistant Pastor
 Sunday Children's Church... 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesday Service..... 6:00 p.m.
 17566 U.S. 301 South • (813) 633-1188 • www.suncitychristians.com

East Bay Church of Christ
 14902 U.S. 301 S., Wimauma, FL 33598
WELCOMES YOU!!
Sundays 9:30 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm Wally Brake, Preacher
Wednesdays 7:00 pm 813-244-2146

CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH
 11421 Big Bend Road, Riverview, Florida 33579
 813-677-1332 • www.CTKLCMS.org
 Rev. Kevin Yoakum, Pastor
 Join us on Sunday!
 Adult Bible Study - 9:00 a.m.
 Divine Service - 10:00 a.m.

New Thought/Religious Science Church
 Sunday Service: 11:00 A.M.
 Rev. Sue Meixner/Rev. Denise Madigan
 All Paths TO God
 Security Patrol Meeting Room/1225 N. Pebble Beach Blvd
 (813) 362-0806 | www.allpathstogod.org

FIRST Baptist CHURCH OF RUSKIN
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
 820 College Ave. W. Ruskin, FL 33570
 645-6439
 K-2 through 12th Grade
 Dr. Barry Rumsey
 www.fbcruskin.org • A Resource for Families
 Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

Faith Lutheran Church LCMS
 Come Worship with Us
 9608 US 301 N., Parrish, FL 34219
 941-776-1395
 www.faithlutheranfl.com
Sunday Divine Services 8:00 & 10:30am
Sunday School & Adult Bible Study 3:30 & 6:30 pm
Wednesday Divine Services 5:00 pm
Rev. Patrick Pook

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Coffee, Conversation and Connections

St. Andrew Presbyterian Church will host “Coffee, Conversation and Connections” on Monday, May 11, 2026, from 10 to 11 a.m. The gathering invites community members to meet their neighbors, enjoy fellowship and learn from one another. All are welcome.

The church offers what it describes as a “spiritual home with no pressure.” The event will be held at St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, 1239 W. Del Webb Blvd., Sun City Center.

For more information, call the church office at 813-634-1252.

Pizza and Movie Night at St. Andrew, May 21

May 21 will be Pizza and a Movie Night at St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, 1239 W. Del Webb Blvd., Sun City Center. Doors open at 4:30 p.m., and guests are encouraged to arrive early to visit. Serving begins at 5 p.m. and will include an assortment of pizzas, homemade cakes and a variety of soft drinks.

The featured film, *Lost on a Mountain in Maine*, is based on a true story of a 12-year-old boy who becomes separated from his parents and survives in the Maine wilderness. The movie has received strong reviews and is not to be missed. This event often sells out early.



First Baptist Church of Ruskin offers something for the entire family

At First Baptist Church of Ruskin, its leaders don't want to be old-fashioned, but rather they want to present the ageless story of God's love and grace to their multi-generational congregation. They have Bible studies and activities for those ranging from newborn to the nineties.

For example, they have a very active “mature” adult ministry called the Sonshiners, who meet at church the first Tuesday from September through May for fun, fellowship and great musical presentations by well-known gospel performers. The Sonshiners also have at least one monthly day trip to incredible sites throughout the state.

Every Sunday, while the adults are having morning worship services in the auditorium, kids from age 5 through the 5th grade are having “Junior Church” in the gym. There they have age-appropriate Bible stories, games and songs as they have their own choir.

First Baptist is located at 820 College Avenue W. in Ruskin, just a few blocks west of US 41. Sunday Bible studies for all ages start at 9:30 a.m., and the main worship service begins at 10:30 a.m.

The church also has Sunday evening worship services at 5 p.m. On Wednesday at 7 p.m., it will have Bible study for adults; teen Bible study, called G.R.O.W.; and AWANA for ages 2-5th grade.

The United Methodist Church of SCC presents an organ recital



The United Methodist Church of Sun City Center will welcome organist Tom Ingui to its sanctuary at 1971 Haverford Avenue on Sunday, May 24, at 3 p.m.

Ingui serves as organist at the First Presbyterian Church of Lakeland and is a collaborative artist with Southeastern University and the Bach Festival of Central Florida. He also serves

as the dean of the Tampa AGO (American Guild of Organists) Chapter. He holds a Master of Music degree in organ performance from Yale University, studying with Thomas Murray, and a Bachelor of Music degree from Stetson University where he studied organ with Dr. Boyd Jones and piano with Dr. Michael Rickman.

His concert appearances include The University of Tampa; St. Andrew's Episcopal of Tampa; Stetson University; Bethesda-By-The Sea in Palm Beach; Trinity Episcopal Church in Copley Square, Boston; First Presbyterian Church in Gainesville; and Community Church in Vero Beach. He was a finalist in the 2015 Taylor National Organ Competition and placed third at the 2025 St. Maurice International Organ Competition in Switzerland. Recently, he was invited to compete in the Boston Bach International Organ Competition this September.

Come for an afternoon of music written for organ from famous symphonies.

A free will offering will be taken up for this recital. For more information about this and other concerts and recitals, contact Larry Hirschak, concert series coordinator, at 646-831-4008. To learn more about the United Methodist Church of Sun City Center, please visit our website at lovethelight.org/.

Cypress Creek Jazz Band to perform benefit concert in SCC

The United Methodist Church of Sun City Center will welcome the Cypress Creek Jazz Band for a benefit concert at 7 p.m., May 22 in its sanctuary at 1971 Haverford Ave.

Titled *Keep Calm, Keep Jazzy With the Cypress Creek Jazz Band*, the concert will benefit the Sun City Center Security Patrol, a community volunteer organization.

The Cypress Creek Jazz Band, a group of local musicians with deep roots in the Tampa music scene, performs New Orleans-style jazz, including Dixieland, spirituals and old-time gospel. The band has performed together for more than seven years at venues and events throughout the region, including the Straz Center for the Performing Arts, the Carrollwood Cultural Center and the Dade City Kumquat Festival, as well as corporate events, weddings and community celebrations.

“What keeps this group together is their love for the early jazz music of New Orleans Dixieland,” organizers said.

Music historian Scott Yanow described Dixieland as “arguably the happiest of all music,” noting its joyful sound created by multiple instruments improvising together.

Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. They are available at Pages of Life Bookstore from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Sundays and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Thursday; at the church office from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday; and online at lovethelight.org/events for a \$2 pp service fee.

For more information, contact concert series coordinator Larry Hirschak at 646-831-4008 or visit lovethelight.org/.

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Line

This is a question for those individuals who are caring for a loved one diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease and currently residing in Sun City Center: Are there times you would like the opportunity to talk with someone about your current caregiver responsibilities and/or concerns? The coordinator for Samaritans Alzheimer's Auxiliary, Jim Butner, is pleased to announce a support line that individuals can call to discuss their concerns. Phone calls are completely confidential, and there are no charges or hidden fees involved in this outreach service. Call the Samaritan Services office at 813-634-9283 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., Monday through Friday. Leave your phone number and first name only with the receptionist on duty. The receptionist will contact Jim, and he will return your call the same day. Remember, you don't have to travel this difficult journey alone.



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