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# This week at FPC

<u>March 6—March 12, 2024</u>

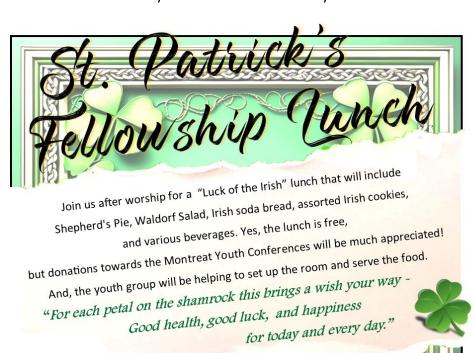
# The Gospel of Mark in March

I sure am having a good time reading through the book of Mark and preaching Jesus' words in it. Mark was probably the first of the four gospels written and we can see where Matthew and Luke borrowed from it. It is the shortest of the gospels and the author doesn't waste our time or tell long stories.

On Sunday I'm preaching on another scribe who came up to Jesus with questions about God and the Law. You'll have to come on Sunday to hear what the man and Jesus say to each other. You may also watch the service on YouTube, I try to have them posted by Monday evening. There's a link on our church web page.

I will continue to preach from Mark over Holy Week and Easter Sunday. Mark your calendars for all the great events we have coming up like the luncheon next week, Palm Sunday worship, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and more.

Walk



Junday, March 17th



The Fellowship Committee is looking for volunteers willing to provide cookies and punch after church members' funerals and memorial services held in the church hall. Interested persons will be added to our on-call telephone volunteer list. Please call Cathy Hancock at (352) 875-7684.

# Presbyterian Pilgrimage



There will be a wonderful Christian retreat weekend here in Ocala from **April 11-14** at

The Retreat. Pilgrimage is a spiritual renewal weekend to

renew and invigorate your faith in Jesus Christ and to build a greater understanding of God's

love for you and His will for your life. The retreat is a long weekend, from Thursday at 4:00 pm to Sunday at 4:00 pm; three days to celebrate and express Christ's love for you.

It will be held at The Retreat 6455 East Silver Springs Blvd. For more information check out the website: www.floridapresbyterianpilgrimage.org

### Monday, April 1st is the *DEADLINE* to apply for

FPC Post-secondary school education SCHOLARSHIPS!

Applications for the fall 2024 term are available in the church office or click this ad to print out. The deadline to submit applications to the church office is by the end of the workday on Monday, April 1st. FPC members and their member dependents or children may apply for scholarship assistance.

Applicants may apply once in a calendar year. Direct guestions to Scholarship Committee members--Chair Kay Yancey, Cindy Andrews, Todd Carstenn or Tom Weaver.



Sundays, 3:30-5:00 pm When:

February 4 to May 5, 2024

First Presbyterian Church Ocala 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, FL

Contact: Raul Roman (727) 389-6072 Register: griefshare.org/findagroup

## PRAYER LIST

Pat Bishop

Bill Blackwell (brother of Mary Kauffman)

Tania Blackwell (sister-in-law of Mary Kauffman)

**Andy Carlisle** 

Ella and Ray Charnley

**Shirley Cochran** 

Billy Davis (grandson-in-law of David Demarest, cancer diagnosis)

**Linda Deyton** (sister of Annette Pickard)

Mina DiGeronimo

**Bob Dillinger** (Uncle of Wendie Moore)

**Ruth Fraser** 

Gabby Gates (friend of Dave Bice)

Joe Glenn (friend of Mary Kauffman) **Dorothy Halliwell** (sister-in-law of Pat Interdonato)

**Bill and Barbara Harrel** 

Andrea Mogg Jacque

**Victoria Johnson** (great-granddaughter of Christine)

**Lloyd Kauffman** (husband of Mary)

Lanier Lance (sister of Bill Tucker)

**John Koch** (brother in law of Debbie Koch) The Mack family (on the death of Celine) Cordelia Bree McCully (granddaughter of

Mike and Teresa Poteet)

Gloria Miller

Jodi Miller (daughter-in-law of Ginny Miller)

**Bruce and Wendie Moore** 

**Annette Morris** (friend of Mary Kauffman)

Fritz Rain (friend of Marybeth Olson)

**Ruthanne and John Reiss** Frank Roberts

Michael Rou (cousin of Dr. David Albright)

Janie Scott

**Rev. Ed Tenhor** (blood pressure)

Marion Thomas (fall)

**Bob and Renee Timmer** 

Ann VanDenburgh

Phyllis VonEbers (pneumonia) **Robert Webber** (brother of Ginny Miller)

William Wright

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This Week's Daily Bible Readings					
God's Saving word: Prayer			Saturday	March 9	Esther 3:1-15
Wednesday	March 6	Nehemiah 9:26-38	Sunday	March 10	Esther 4:1-17
Thursday	March 7	Nehemiah 10:28-39	Monday	March II	Esther 5:1-14
Friday	March 8	Esther 2:1-23	Tuesday	March 12	Esther 6:1-13