

July 2026



Pre-School is Now Enrolling for Fall!

Now enrolling new students for Fall 2026! We offer a loving, Christ-centered environment where children learn, grow, and thrive through hands-on learning and play. If you or someone you know is looking for childcare, please call the preschool at (386)767-2689 to schedule a tour! We would love to welcome your family to our preschool community!

<https://firstchurchpo.org/preschool/preschool-tour/>



Dinner Church @ Chili's will be back on July 7th

Hey patriots, come and join us for a continued celebration of our nations 250th Birthday. We are meeting at Chili's on Dunlawton Ave @ 6:00pm. Bring your family and friends for a great time of food, fellowship, and fun!! We will provide a short activity and offer the sacraments.



Pre-School Fundraiser to Red Robin on July 14th

Bring your family and friends to help support our pre-school students, teachers, classrooms and educational programs by patronizing Red Robin on July 14th anytime between 3p-10p (Dine in or Take Out). We are so grateful for the love and support of our church family! Just mention First Church Preschool and a portion of your bill goes back to the school.



Our Pumpkin Patch Planning Meeting July 19th

Who's ready to brainstorm ideas for this year's Pumpkin Patch? If you're a creative type that has lots of ideas, join us on July 19th in the Fellowship Hall at 12p.

SAVE THE DATES:

Pumpkin Truck Unloading #1: Saturday Sept 26th 8AM

Pumpkin Truck Unloading #2: Saturday Oct 17th 8AM

Trunk or Treat Outreach: Sunday Oct 18th 5PM

Community Dinner is Tuesday July 21st

We are excited to share a meal with you. Drive-thru or Dine-in. We will be enjoying a Hamburger, Cheeseburger or 2 Hotdogs w/ Mac & Cheese and Fresh fruit. We encourage you to invite a friend or neighbor. Help us grow our First Church Family. \$10 Adult, \$5 Kids (1/2 Portion) & Dessert Available for \$1. Free dessert for every pair of gently used shoes you bring for our Shoe Drive.



First Church Night at the Jack! (Jackie Robinson Ballpark)

Join us on July 29th for a fun night at the Ballpark. First Church rented out the Turtle's Nest and we have signups to be a part of an All-you-can-eat buffet and a great view of the game in picnic tables and the railing, so no one is stuck in a seat. If you'd like to attend sign up at the QR Code and come cheer on the Tortugas. Cost is \$35 each.



Adult Theater Trip to Sister Act in Deland

The 29 tickets we purchased have all been spoken for! The matinee is Sunday, August 2 at 2:30 p.m. Even though I have no more tickets, the Athens is NOT sold out for this performance. You can secure tickets through their website athensdeland.com or the box office at 386-736-1500. We still have some spaces on the bus which will be leaving the church at 1:30...no charge.



Shoe Drive at First Church

First Church is having a Shoe Drive! We need new and gently worn shoes you no longer wear! The shoes get a second chance in developing countries where shoes are the primary mode of transportation. Micro-entrepreneurs sell the shoes to support their families. This is a Hand-Up, not a Hand-Out! The church is paid by the pound. Look for the Shoe Drop Boxes on campus! Ask friends & family too!