

# First UMC Goliad



January 2023



## January Events

Please put these upcoming events on your calendar and find out more info in this newsletter!

**January Rail Offering:** Lydia Patterson Institute #531523

**January 10 and 24:** Book Crew

**January 13-15:** Ladies' Retreat, "Waves of Doubt" (Port A)

**January 18:** Family Night Dinner @ 6:30pm  
2nd Disaffiliation Listening Session with D.S. Laura Brewster to follow dinner

**January 29:** Church Council Meeting after church

**February 10:** Berclair Mission / Deadline to collect cleaning supplies

**February 12:** Distribution to Berclair Mission

**March 25 & 26:** Trey Johnson Roping and Message

## Worship

Come be a part of God's family here in Historic Goliad, Texas!

Sunday School -- 9:15 a.m.

Worship Service -- 10:30 a.m.

(No live-streaming online until further notice)

## Prayer Requests

Submit requests on our online form.

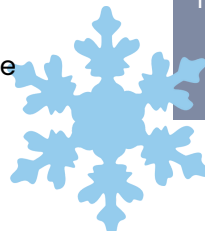
Find the form at  
[Fumcgoliad.org/contact](https://Fumcgoliad.org/contact)



## Ways to Give

Mail:  
PO Box 1223  
Goliad, TX 77963

Online:  
<https://secure.myvanco.com/L-Z31E/home>



# CHURCH

## Council Meeting

Sunday, January 29  
Following Worship Service



## January Rail Offering

LYDIA PATTERSON  
INSTITUTE



Lydia Patterson Institute is a Methodist Christian college-preparatory school located in El Paso, Texas, United States. Founded in 1913, it offers programs for Spanish-speaking children, primarily from Ciudad Juárez, Chihuahua to attend high school in the United States and attend a Methodist graduate university.

Join the mailing list!  
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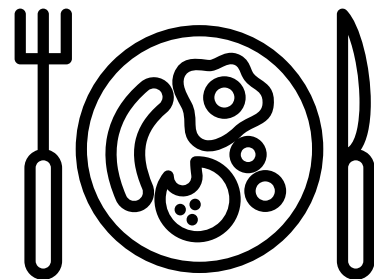
# FREE CLINIC

Tuesday, January 10  
8:00 am

FUMC Victoria at 8:00 am  
Contact Elizabeth for an appointment.



## Family Night Supper January 18



Join us for Family Night Supper at 6:30 pm on January 18. Hosts are Lee & Brooke Grimsinger. (Soups & Sandwiches)

2nd Disaffiliation Listening Session with D.S. Laura Brewster to follow dinner



2023

**LADIES RETREAT**

**WAVES OF  
DOUBT**

16th Annual FUMC Goliad

Ladies Retreat

"Waves of Doubt"

January 13-15, 2023

Port Aransas, TX

Study and activities based on Matthew 14.

Registration coming soon.

# BOOK CREW

*The Making of Biblical Womanhood: How the Subjugation of Women Became Gospel Truth*  
by Beth Allison Barr

**2nd and 4th Tuesdays  
@ 2:30 pm via Zoom**

If interested, email [awgibbud@gmail.com](mailto:awgibbud@gmail.com) to be added to the list to receive an email notification for each ZOOM meeting.



## January Birthdays



Jan 4 – Shelby Slover

Jan 8 – Braelyn Blaschke

Jan 18 – Darlene Davidson

Jan 27 – Danielle Wilson

Jan 28 – Sharon Slover

Jan 29 – Darren Christensen

Jan 30 – Ralph Bego



## Financial Update

November 2022

Monthly Budget= \$12,069.08

November giving= \$ 8,070.00

Monthly Difference= <\$3,999.08>

YTD Budget vs Actual = <\$11,180.29>

## Teen Topics Time Management

### **The Issue:**

Time can be our best friend or our worst enemy. When we have a lot of extra time in our day, we are able to enjoy life by being productive, having fun and relaxing. However, when our days are full and we do not have a lot of extra time, things can become very hectic and sometimes overwhelming. How we budget our time can make all the difference in the world.

### **What does the Bible say?**

Note what God says about time and how we should use it:

- > Psalm 90:12 - \_\_\_\_\_
- > Eph. 5:15-16 - \_\_\_\_\_
- > Ex. 20:8-10 - \_\_\_\_\_
- > Ecc. 3:1-8 - \_\_\_\_\_
- > Eph. 4:1 - \_\_\_\_\_

### **What should I do?**

We must learn to manage our time if we are to live lives that are productive and meaningful. As we see in the verses above, we need to balance our priorities and schedule our days with an eternal focus. Think about how you currently spend your time, and then ask these questions:

1. Am I spending sufficient time \_\_\_\_\_ in preparation for each day?
2. What things do I do that do not really \_\_\_\_\_? How can I cut back or eliminate these?
3. What can I \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ from my schedule that will make each day more focused on eternity?

The time God has given us on this earth is a gift from Him, let us use it in a way that pleases Him and brings Him glory!

# JUST FOR KIDS

