



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED
TO A SPECIAL DINNER HOSTED BY

The Atlantic Institute

ITFAR DINNER

March 8 at 6PM

Fellowship Hall

This is the meal in the Muslim tradition that breaks the daily fast of Ramadan. It's a time for unity, delicious food, and enriching conversations. No fasting required. Please inform us of any dietary restrictions in advance. See the Eblast to RSVP to the Atlantic Institute.

**TENIKKA'S
BOOKS
FOR
KIDS**

**DONATE
NEW & GENTLY USED
BOOKS**

BENEFITING
JACKSONVILLE
PUBLIC LIBRARY
THANK YOU!

TENIKKA HUGHES
ANCHOR, ACTION NEWS JAX

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SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH

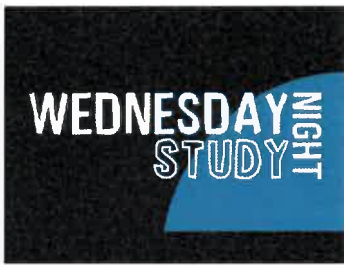
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Tenikka's Books for Kids

HBPC's newest outreach mission!

We are collecting new or gently used books for children ages 0 - 18 to be distributed during the Jacksonville Public Library's Summer Reading Program.

Please bring books to the Narthex
March 2-16.



We continued our engaging study of Christian art at our last study, and we'll do it again on Wednesday, February 26, 7 pm, Fellowship Hall. You're invited, online or in person, to see what God is teaching us in pictures.



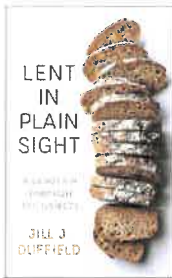
New Members Class TODAY

We'd love to have you join our Hodges family at our new member class. Pick up food at the luncheon and walk down to the Sonrise Room for our class.

Flowers today are dedicated to the glory of God and . . .



*In celebration of
Ed's birthday
by Connie Baranski*



Women's Lenten Bible Study

Join us on Wednesday mornings at 10am starting March 9.

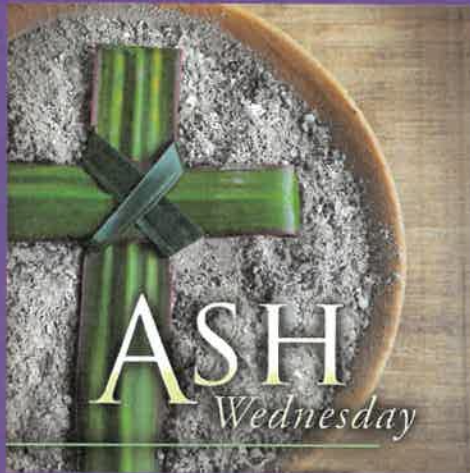
Please let Jaimie or Kathy know if you will be joining us to get a book.

Books are \$11



Comital of George Ross

All are welcome to the committal of the cremains of our bother George Ross to the columbarium on Sunday, March 9, 11:15 am, directly following the worship service.



ASH WEDNESDAY

March 5

7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service
Sanctuary

Optional Finger Foods

6:00-6:45 pm Fellowship Hall

Please bring plated finger foods to the Fellowship Hall.
RSVP to Cathy Steve the number attending and dish you are
bringing at 904-312-1539 or ccsteve@comcast.net.
You may also sign-up on Realm.

We are also offering ashes from 1:00-3:00 pm by driving
through the roundabout where Pastor Jon or Jaimie will meet
you for imposition and prayer.

SERMON OUTLINE

Dear Church: First Love

Genesis 2:8-9; 3:22-23; Revelation 1:20-2:7

February 23, 2025

I. Introduction

II. Series: Dear Church

III. Letter to Ephesus (Gen. 2:8-3:22; Rev. 1:20-2:7)

A. Why first? (Rev. 2:1)

B. Meaning (Rev. 1:20-2:1)

C. Praises (Rev. 2:2-3, 6)

D. Challenges

1. Lost first love (Rev. 2:4)

2. Remember (Rev. 2:5)

E. Risk (Rev. 2:5)

F. Reward (Rev. 2:7)

1. Trees (Gen. 2:9)

2. Permission (Gen. 3:22-23; Rev. 2:7)

IV. What about us? (Rev. 2:2-5)

A. Praise (2:2, 3)

B. Challenge (2:5)

C. Risk

D. Reward

V. Conclusion: Arlington Presbyterian Church, Arlington, VA

Gilliam Place (2019)

SERMON NOTES:
