



Friendly Neighbor News

Advent Christian Village, Dowling Park, FL 32064

“Where People Enjoy Living”

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Cashier's Office 658-5343	Environmental Svcs.	658-5155
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MARCH 7, 2025

Friday	3/7	9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 10:15 & 10:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	Veterans' Services—MS <i>Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Bus Trip: Lunch Dine-Out to Red Lobster Sit 'N Stitch—CH
Saturday	3/8	8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	Ladies' Breakfast—SMR/DR Men's Fellowship Breakfast—RDR Supper Potluck—RDR
Sunday	3/9	DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS — SET CLOCKS FORWARD <i>9:40 a.m.</i> <i>11:00 a.m.</i> 4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	<i>Morning Worship Service—VC</i> <i>Sunday School for All Ages</i> WHFMS Council Meeting—VC Room 5 Evening Service: Stephen Ministry Commissioning—BC
Monday	3/10	9:30 a.m. <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 1:00–3:00 p.m. 2:00–4:00 p.m. 4:10 & 4:30 p.m.	Morning Mission Meeting (WHFMS)—VC Children's Suite <i>VCBI: Stranger on the Road to Emmaus—OPR</i> Connecting Threads Ministry—KC Ceramics—PCS Bus Trip: Dine-Out to Brown Lantern—DH & LAP
Tuesday	3/11	<i>8:30 a.m.</i> 10:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	<i>Men's Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Model Train Club—CB Evening Mission Meeting (WHFMS)—OPR
Wednesday	3/12	8:15 & 8:30 a.m. 9:00–11:00 a.m. <i>1:00 p.m.</i> 1:00 p.m. 1:15 & 1:30 p.m. <i>6:00 p.m.</i> 6:30 p.m.	Bus Trip: Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot & Publix—CH & DH Ceramics—PCS <i>VCBI: Jesus in Every Book of the Bible—VC Room 5</i> Bridge Club—OPR Bus Trip: Walmart—CH & DH <i>Prayer Meeting—BC</i> Easter Cantata Rehearsal—VC
Thursday	3/13	9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. 10:00 a.m. <i>11:00 a.m.</i> 3:00 p.m.	Village Artists Guild—KC Plarn Ministry—Cleo's Meeting House <i>Spiritual Growth Discussion Group—Stephens Ministries Office</i> Member Birthday Party—SMR/DR
Friday	3/14	9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 1:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Veterans' Services—MS <i>Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Bunco Party—OPR Sit 'N Stitch—CH Live! at Dowling Park: Duo Arpeggione—VC



IN LOVING MEMORY

- Lowry Dykes, who was a resident of GSC, died March 4. His memorial information will be provided when available.
- Cindy Miller, who was a resident of CH and GSC, died March 2. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Anita McFarland, who was a resident of CT/MT and GSC, died Feb. 22. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Dwight Bridges, who was a resident of GSC, died Feb. 22. He will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Lucille Ledogar, who was a resident of GSC, died Feb. 17. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Juan Molina (husband of Estrella), who was a resident of GSC, died Feb. 12. He will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Rosemarie Lones, who was a resident of GSC, died Feb. 9. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Louise Sapp, who was resident of GSC, died Feb. 5. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.
- Susan Mulnix, who was a resident of GSC, died Feb. 3. She will be remembered at the GSC memorial service on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia Dining Room.

NEW MEMBER

Wanda Huscusson of Fort White, Florida, has moved to ET. Her mailing address is P.O. Box 4393.

ACV EVENTS

BUS TRIP: LUNCH DINE-OUT TO RED LOBSTER

Friday, March 7

10:15 a.m. - DH & 10:30 a.m. - LAP

Bus: \$5.00 members, \$9.00 non-members

Red Lobster has filed for bankruptcy, and many Florida locations have closed recently. So far, Lake City's Red Lobster has escaped the chopping block, but who knows for how long? Sign up at the IC to enjoy a delicious seafood lunch on Friday, March 7.

LADIES' BREAKFAST

Saturday, March 8, 8:30 a.m. - SMR/DR

The next ladies' breakfast will be held on Saturday, March 8, at 8:30 a.m. in SMR/DR. The guest speaker will be Candy Hall.

A special invitation is extended to new residents: We want to meet you! Come join us for a wonderful time of table fellowship.

The cost of the full and delicious breakfast buffet is \$7.00. Tickets must be pre-purchased at the Lopin' Gopher.



MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

Saturday, March 8, 8:30 a.m. - RDR

The next Men's Fellowship breakfast will be held on Saturday, March 8, at 8:30 a.m. in RDR. The guest speaker will be Arthur Lawrence.

The cost of the full and delicious breakfast buffet is \$7.00. Tickets must be pre-purchased at the Lopin' Gopher. Come join us for fellowship, prayer, inspiration, and breaking bread together!



SUPPER POTLUCK

Saturday, March 8, 5:00 p.m. - RDR

Hello, all! I am happy to announce that the potlucks are open to all friends and neighbors of ACV, not just to members. The next potluck is scheduled for March 8, the second Saturday of March, in RDR. We start at 5:00

p.m., so it's good to bring your food earlier than that. We will try out a new buffet formation that will allow two lines to select from all the food brought, with just one pass.



BUS TRIP: DINE-OUT TO BROWN LANTERN IN LIVE OAK

Monday, March 10

4:15 p.m. - DH & 4:30 - Lake Aquilla

Bus: \$3.00 members, \$6.00 non-members

The ACV bus will be traveling to the Brown Lantern restaurant for supper on March 10. The Brown Lantern offers many American classics such as salads, burgers, steaks, chicken dishes, and seafood. Prices range from under \$5.00 to almost \$30. Bus cost is \$3.00 for members and \$6.00 for non-members. Please sign up at the IC.

MEMBER BIRTHDAY PARTY

Thursday, March 13, 3:00 p.m. - SMR/DR

Join us for the March member birthday party. The theme will be St. Patrick's Day, so wear green! Everyone is invited, and ACV members with March birthdays will receive special recognition. See you there!



BUNCO PARTY

Friday, March 14, 1:00 p.m. - OPR

Have you ever played Bunco? Bunco is a social dice game where players roll dice to score points. It's a game of chance, and is often played with three tables of four players. As rounds end, players switch seats, mixing up the tables to jumble who sits with whom. Bunco parties usually last about two hours. The object is to have fun socializing.

A Bunco party is planned for Friday, March 14, at 1:00 p.m. in the OPR. If you'd like to play, you must sign up ahead of time by calling MS at 658-5400. Only 12 can play, so don't wait to call.

LIVE! AT DOWLING PARK:

DUO ARPEGGIONE

Friday, March 14, 7:00 p.m. - VC

Duo Arpeggione was formed in 2017 by doctors Catherine Lan, piano, and Claudio Jaffe, cello. Since then they

ACV	Advent Christian Village	CT/MT	Cardinal/Magnolia Terrace	IC	Information Center	POP	Park of the Pines
BA	Butterfield Acres	DH	Dowling House	JKPL	Jo Kennon Public Library	RDR	Rumph Dining Room
BC	Bixler Chapel	DM	Dacier Manor	KC	Keepers Cottage	RV	Smith Riverview Apartments
CB	Chriss Building	DMA	Dowling Manor	LAP	Lake Aquilla Parking Lot	RW	Riverwoods
CH	Carter House	DR	Depot Room	MS	Member Services	SMR	Sawmill Room
CCC	Copeland Community Center	ET	Edgewood Terrace	OPR	Old Pavilion Room	VC	Village Church
CMC	Copeland Medical Center	GSC	Good Samaritan Center	PCS	Polk Ceramics Shop	VS	Village Square

have delighted audiences with their passion and excellence, and each recital includes insightful commentary. Both artists bring extensive lifelong performance experience at an international level. Both artists have also won prizes at various competitions.

In addition to their performance experience, Lan and Jaffe hold teaching positions. Dr. Jaffe teaches at Palm Beach Atlantic University, in addition to being conductor of the Florida Youth Orchestra. He is principal cellist of the Palm Beach Symphony and Florida Grand Opera, as well as cellist with the Delray String Quartet. Dr. Lan teaches at Broward College, in addition to being a founding member of Duo Beaux Arts, Duo Formosa and others.

Individual concert tickets can be purchased from the ACV cashier's office and at the event for \$18 (ACV member) and \$26 (non-member). Those with season passes get in free to this concert, and they may also attend the Community Concerts of Lake City free of charge. Call 658-5400 for more information.



BUS TRIP: ITALIAN PIZZERIA

Monday, March 17

4:15 p.m. - DH & 4:30 p.m. - Lake Aquilla

Bus: \$3.00 members, \$6.00 non-members

Monday, March 17, the trip bus will provide transportation to Live Oak to enjoy a nice Italian meal at Italian Pizzeria. Italian Pizzeria offers pasta, sandwiches, salads, pizza, and more ranging from \$9.00 to \$23. Sign up at the IC.

MEMBERSHIP ASSOCIATION MEETING

Thursday, March 20, 2:00 p.m. - RDR

The next regular Membership Association meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 20, at 2:00 p.m. in RDR. All ACV members are encouraged to attend. Come for the information; stay for the fellowship and refreshments.



Friday, March 21, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon

Sawmill/Depot Room

Annually, ACV invites local agencies, health service providers, and various ACV departments to the annual Health & Wellness Fair at ACV. It's time for the next fair. This year's theme is Wild West of Wellness.

We expect to have another good group of exhibitors who will provide the latest educational information on matters of health and wellness including finances, safety, and senior services. There will also likely be health screenings offered by various area health providers. You will have the chance to learn more about the services available in our area.

Come enjoy a continental breakfast in RDR from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. There will also be door prizes. (Register at the door to enter for a door prize; you do not have to be present to win.)

SPRING FLING MARKET DAY

Saturday, March 22, 8:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Village Square

Make plans to join us for our Spring Fling Market Day on March 22 at the VS for vendor booths, games and

fun! Vendors can sign up online at acvmembers.net or by calling the Village Lodge at 658-5200.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Events in this section are not sponsored by ACV, even if they take place at ACV.

SIGN LANGUAGE CLASS

Thursdays, 6:00–7:00 p.m. - OPR

Jenny Dickerson-Holloman, who has been teaching a conversational sign language class at JKPL, leads another class in the OPR Thursday nights from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. No supplies are needed, but you might want to invite a friend to practice with you between the scheduled classes to polish your skills. No registration is necessary.

VETERANS GATHERING

Friday, March 7, 12:00 noon - RDR

Everyone is invited for a special WWII WASP history presentation. Over 1,000 women flew military aircraft in WWII as Women Air Force Service Pilots, or the WASP. Author Margaret DiBenedetto is the daughter of WASP Ruth Franckling Reynolds (43-w-2). DiBenedetto will discuss the WASP and her mother's aviation adventures.

All members are invited to gather for lunch to eat together on Friday, March 7, at 12:00 noon in RDR. Buy or bring your own lunch.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Tues., March 11, 10:00 & 11:00 a.m. - CCC

Ladies Bible Study will meet Tuesdays, March 11 and 25, at 10:00 and 11:00 a.m., at CCC. Come and join us for a Ladies Bible Study, the Book of Judges.

THE STRANGER ON THE ROAD TO EMMAUS BIBLE STUDY

Mondays Starting March 10, 10:00 a.m.

Old Pavilion Room

Come join Ken and Ethel Randolph in the OPR for this eight-week interactive study that brings the Old Testament to life and fits it together in a clear, logical manner. Beginning Monday, March 10, at 10:00 a.m.

WINDOWS FOR WORSHIP TOUR OF CHURCH STAINED GLASS WINDOWS

Tuesday, March 18, 1:30 p.m. - BC

Tuesday, March 18, at 1:30 p.m. the Village Archive is giving a one-hour educational tour of the stained glass windows in BC and the VC. The tour involves learning about the windows' subject matter, and design and production of the windows. The tour will be approximately one hour. Candy Hall, tour guide, presents the tour. Please sign up at the IC by Thursday, March 13.

GIVE BLOOD

Thurs., March 20, 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. - VS

The LifeSouth Bloodmobile will be parked at the VS Thursday, March 20, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Donating blood is a selfless act by one person to help save the lives of others. Blood cannot be manufactured,

Village Cashier's Office

658-5343

Monday–Friday • 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

**SAVE
THE
DATE**



SPRING MEMBERSHIP FELLOWSHIP

Theme: Masquerade

Food, Costumes (not required), Music & Fun

Tuesday, April 1, 3:00–5:00, RDR

FREE — ACV Members Only



and local hospitals rely on LifeSouth blood donors to make sure blood is on the shelf. LifeSouth provides 100% of the blood needed for patients at HCA Florida Lake City Hospital, all UF Health hospitals, North Florida Regional Medical Center, the Malcom Randall VA Medical Center, South Georgia Medical Center, the Lake Butler Hospital, Starke ER, and Suwannee ER.



JO KENNON PUBLIC LIBRARY

386-658-2670

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Email: dpark@neflin.org

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Tuesday 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Closed Sunday

Weekly JKPL Meetings:

Yoga	Mondays	9:00 & 10:00 a.m.
Starbooks Café	Tuesdays	9:30 a.m.
Crochet Creations	Thursdays	3:00 p.m.
Yoga	Fridays	10:00 a.m.
Kids Corner	Saturdays	11:00 a.m.

2024 tax forms are now available at our front desk.

Nature Photo Contest

The JKPL is excited to announce that public voting is now open for our Nature Photo Contest, which celebrates the creativity and talent within our community. We invite all community members to participate by selecting their top choices in the adult and youth categories. Voting will take place through March. Visit the JKPL to see the entries and cast your vote. The photographs with the highest rankings will be awarded 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places in their respective categories.

History of Suwannee County

Eric Musgrove will discuss the history of O'Brien, Florida, in his next session of Suwannee County's history on Thursday, March 6, at 10:00 a.m. This unincorporated community is on the way to Branford. Eric will reveal the stories of the area and the lives of the people who settled there. Please note, there will not be an April meeting for History of Suwannee County.

As the Page Turns Book Club

Fans of best-selling novelist Suzanne Woods Fisher will be pleased to know that the April ATPT's book selections are both from her Lancaster County Secrets series. Fisher has written both fiction and non-fiction books about the Amish community, and she is hailed for her positive messages, quality writing, and character development. Come get your copy of *The Choice* or *The Search*, and see what makes her writing so popular!

Retro and Radiant: Adult Tie-Dye Class

Why should kids have all the fun? On Wednesday, March 12, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., we will offer an adult tie-dye class for all of our young-at-heart patrons. Bring the object you want to dye (a T-shirt, shoes, canvas bag, scarf, etc.), and plan to have fun while getting your hands dirty! Spots are limited, so sign up online, or give us a call.

Safe Water Seminar

The Suwannee County Extension of UF/IFAS will be here on Friday, March 14, at 12:00 p.m. to discuss maintaining safe drinking water. If you have a well and/or septic system at your home, drop in to get a valuable education about maintenance and prevention techniques that will keep your drinking water healthy for you and your loved ones.

Paint Along with Me

Join Elizabeth on Tuesday, March 18, as she walks you through creating a Spring painting one step at a time. Bring an 8x10 canvas, and go home with a work of art just in time for Easter. Come in, sip coffee, relax, and explore your creative side! The class is offered at 2:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. Class sizes are limited, so call or sign up online.

Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers! Be a greeter for the VITA tax program. No experience is necessary; you will not be completing or filing taxes. You will simply be greeting people, checking them off of the appointment list, and giving them a form to fill out. Volunteers are needed from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Thursdays from March 13 to April 11. Call the JKPL for more information.

Free VITA Tax Preparation

VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) tax preparation is coming to the JKPL on Thursdays from March 13 to April 11. The VITA program is sponsored by the IRS and provides free tax preparation and filing for individuals with simple tax returns. This program is by appointment only. Please call the JKPL to schedule your appointment, or come by to schedule it and pick up a list of the documents that you will need to bring.

American Sign Language Class

Jenny Dickerson-Holloman teaches conversational sign language on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 6:00 p.m. The next meeting is on March 11, so loosen up your fingers, and get ready to learn a new way to "speak". Call the JKPL for more information. Registration is suggested, but walk-ins are welcome.

Starbooks Café

Every Tuesday, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. at Starbooks Café, a diverse group of people get together to drink coffee and try to find the answers to life's many mysteries. You are welcome to join them and enjoy an hour and a half of in-depth conversation.

Just a Small Collection of Words

"Shallow men believe in luck. Strong men believe in cause and effect" (Ralph Waldo Emerson).



BUS TRIPS

No eating or drinking, and no open food or drink containers on either of ACV's buses. The only exception is plain water. Thank you for your cooperation.

If you wish to ride the ACV bus on these trips, you must contact the IC in person or by phone at 658-3333 to sign up. Please be considerate of those who have allergies and limit your use of perfumes, aftershaves, and colognes when riding the bus.

WEEKLY LIVE OAK SHOPPING TRIPS

There is no charge for Village members to participate in the regular weekly Live Oak shopping trips. If you have questions, call MS at 658-5400.

Please remember to bring your own bags on the weekly shopping trips to assist in keeping everyone's purchases separate.

Those who sign up for a weekly shopping trip will be put on the waiting list if they sign up for the same trip the following week. If seats remain available, those on the waiting list will be moved to the regular list.

- **March 12 morning — Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot & Publix —** Leave CH at 8:15 a.m. and DH at 8:30



Friday, March 7

Lunch only: Crispy Chicken Cutlet and Provolone on a Brioche Bun, served with French Fries \$11.95

All day: Beer Battered Cod with Chips and Coleslaw \$17.95

Saturday, March 8

Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Toast \$16.95

a.m. Drop off at Winn-Dixie and Save A Lot, park at Publix. Leave Publix at approximately at 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.

- **March 12 afternoon — Walmart** — Leave CH at 1:15 p.m. and DH at 1:30 p.m. Leave Walmart at approximately at 3:45 p.m. and return to the Village at 4:30 p.m.
- **Tuesday, March 18 morning (change in day) — Walmart** — Leave CH at 8:15 a.m. and DH at 8:30 a.m. Leave Walmart at approximately at 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.
- **Tuesday, March 18 afternoon (change in day) — Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot & Publix** — Leave CH at 1:15 p.m. and DH at 1:30 p.m. Drop off at Winn-Dixie and Save A Lot, park at Publix. Leave Publix at approximately at 3:45 p.m. and return to the Village at 4:30 p.m.
- **March 26 afternoon — Walmart** — Leave CH at 1:15 p.m. and DH at 1:30 p.m. Leave Walmart at approximately at 3:45 p.m. and return to the Village at 4:30 p.m.

UPCOMING BUS TRIPS

March 7 — Lunch Dine-Out to Red Lobster
March 10 — Dine-Out to Brown Lantern
March 17 — Dine-Out to Italian Pizzeria in Live Oak
March 25 — Suwannee County Fair Senior Day

BUS TRIP:

SUWANNEE COUNTY FAIR SENIOR DAY Tuesday, March 25

10:15 a.m. - DH & 10:30 a.m. - LAP

Bus: \$5.00 members, \$9.00 non-members

It's time again for the Suwannee County Fair in Live Oak. Annually, the fair opens early one day for Suwannee County seniors to enjoy the exhibits and a free lunch. The bus is scheduled to leave at 10:15 a.m. from DH and 10:30 a.m. from LAP. Sign up at the IC.

DEPARTMENT NEWS

THE VILLAGE CHURCH

Rev. Sam Worley, Senior Minister

Church Office - 658-5344 - P.O. Box 4314

SERMON: "The Call to Remember"

TEXT: Ephesians 2:11-18 NIV '84

SPEAKER: Rev. Sam Worley

The next **Men's Fellowship Breakfast** will be held Saturday at 8:30 a.m. in RDR. Tickets are \$7.00 and can be purchased at the Lopin' Gopher prior to Saturday morning. Judge Arthur Lawrence will be the speaker.

Don't forget that the time changes this Saturday night. Please remember to **set your clocks ahead one hour** prior to Sunday morning.

There will be a **Stephen Ministries Commissioning Service** Sunday evening, March 9, at 6:00 p.m. for those who have completed the requirements to be a Stephen Minister. This will be held in BC. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Vesta Clothey WHFMS Group will meet Monday, March 10, at 9:30 a.m. in the VC Children's Suite. Barbara Whiting will be the guest speaker. She will speak on grace. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The Christina Baker WHFMS Group will meet Tuesday, March 11, in the OPR at 6:30 p.m. Bryce Whiting will be the guest speaker and will do the kick-off for this year's Penny Crusade. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Creation Arts Camp 2025 will be Monday-Friday, June 9-13, with an Art Show on Friday evening. We need adults willing to teach one 50-minute class a day. We need teachers for arts & crafts, painting, 3D art, woodworking, mosaics, ukulele, or singing. As a teacher, you can prepare your own lesson plan, or Pastor Traci can prepare lesson plans for you.

Creation Arts Camp is our alternative to VBS. We provide a place for elementary age children to learn of God's love and salvation. The students have an opportunity to explore the arts, the gifts God has given us, and how our gifts can be used for His glory. Please

At the Village Square

Riverside Gifts

Celebrate the return of spring this month with a beautiful hummingbird window plaque, a 3D card, a cute little bunny, bunny earrings, plush duckling dolls, or packets of flower seeds.

Easter items — a ceramic tomb and cross, Easter devotionals, lavender plaques, and crosses that proclaim, "He is Risen!" — are beginning to fill the shop.

Copper-colored watches that have bracelet-style bands are back in stock. Watches with traditional bands are also available.

If you're looking for earrings, this is the store for you; we have post crosses, dangly sparkly earrings, Easter bunnies, chicks, bold ceramic color balls, hypo-allergenic earrings, and foods.

Sturdy homemade walking sticks are in stock. These have a lifetime warranty if registered online. Look for them in the nature corner of the store.

Watch and clock repair and new battery installation are available at very reasonable prices.

658-5771. Open Wednesday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Rustic Shop

Come see the tableful of cows that are waiting for new homes. Some are wearing dresses or farmer's jeans, and one playing a ukelele. We also have salt and pepper shakers and cream/sugar milk cans. There is even a cookie jar that moos when opened!

Two vintage large sets of China are on display and ready for sale: a 105-piece bright summer flowers design set with 22-carat gold edging, and a 77-piece "Friendly Village" set by Johnson Brothers.

The Southwestern items in the window are magnificent. Choose one or more statues, baskets or figurines.

New colorful crocheted potholders and scrubbies in many sizes are back in stock. These are made right here in the Village.

Clothing repairs and alterations can be dropped off here. Please wash the items before bringing them in for repairs. Attach your name and phone number to the bag.

Watch and clock repair and new battery installation are available at very reasonable prices.

658-5273. Open Wednesday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Twice Nice Shop

Check out the patterns, styles, and colors of women's blouses, skirts, and slacks. You can design a complete outfit in a matter of minutes.

Men's trousers remain on sale this week.

There are also great prices on jeans, shirts, hats and belts.

We are proud to offer rare and collectible books starting this week. You'll find these books on a shelf outside the Book Nook. Each has an individual price due to the uniqueness of each book. Some are First Editions, some are signed, some are very old, and some are video game guides in excellent condition.

In the Book Nook, paperback and hardbound fiction books are still BOGO.

658-5271. Open Wednesday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

On CR 250

Twice Nice Furniture & More

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For pick-ups, call Larry at 386-678-1219

Mondays and Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 22, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

contact Traci Nissley or Randy Lamb to sign up or find out more information.

The following VC events are happening this week:

Friday, March 7

10:00 a.m. — Bible Study, Mike Cuddy (Room 5)

Saturday, March 8

8:30 a.m. — Men's Fellowship Breakfast, Judge Arthur Lawrence (RDR)

Sunday, March 9

9:40 a.m. — Morning Worship (VC)
11:00 a.m. — Sunday School Classes for All Ages
4:00 p.m. — WHFMS Council Meeting (Room 5)
4:00 p.m. — Regeneration
5:00 p.m. — Alive
5:00 p.m. — Youth Meeting (Lighthouse)
6:00 p.m. — Evening Service, Stephen Ministry Commissioning Service (BC)

Monday, March 10

9:30 a.m. — WHFMS Meeting (Children's Suite)
10:00 a.m. — VCBI: The Stranger on the Road to Emmaus, Ken Randolph (OPR)
6:00 p.m. — Youth Handbells
7:00 p.m. — Adult Handbells

Tuesday, March 11

8:30 a.m. — Men's Bible Study (Room 5)
6:30 p.m. — WHFMS Meeting (OPR)

Wednesday, March 12

1:00 p.m. — VCBI: Jesus in Every Book of the Bible ..., Michael Saunders (Room 5)
6:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting (BC)
6:30 p.m. — Easter Cantata Practice

Friday, March 14

10:00 a.m. — Bible Study, Tom Spannagle (Room 5)

Saturday, March 15

9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon — Spring Cleaning of the Church (inside and outside; many hands make light work)

MEMBER SERVICES

James Sutter—386-658-5400

Beginning in April, we will add two more Walmart trips to the regular Wednesday shopping bus schedule, limit all regular Wednesday shopping trips to one scooter/power chair per trip, and lift the limitation on the number of walkers. (We still do ask that those who are planning to not use their walker once they get to Walmart to please leave them at ACV so that they do not take up space on the bus unnecessarily.)

The following will be the regular Wednesday shopping schedule beginning April 2:

- First Wednesday of the month: Walmart AM / Walmart PM
- Second Wednesday: Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot, Publix AM / Walmart PM
- Third Wednesday: Walmart AM / Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot, Publix PM
- Fourth Wednesday: Walmart AM / Walmart PM
- Fifth Wednesday: Special shopping that includes lunch in Live Oak or Perry

Please note:

- We will continue to limit the passenger number to 12 for regular Wednesday shopping trips.
- The fifth Wednesday shopping trip can take two scooters.
- All other bus trips can take two scooters.



The Village Post Office

Monday–Friday
11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
1:00–3:00 p.m.

Saturday
11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

658-5270

Spring Membership Fellowship

Please make a note on your calendar that this year's Spring Membership Fellowship will take place on Tuesday, April 1, from 3:00 to 5:00. You might remember last year's theme was Polynesian. We had leis and grass skirts and played volleyball. This year's theme is Masquerade. Everyone is encouraged to wear a fun mask, and if you want to wear a costume as well, all's the better. We'll enjoy delicious finger foods provided by Dining Services, and enjoy a fun game show activity as well.

This event is for ACV's members and is free. Everyone will be asked to pick up a ticket so that we have an idea for how many people will be attending. Look for a future FNN notice letting you know when and wear to pick up your ticket.

Member Services Tip of the Week

Did you know ACV has an Obituary Line? The phone number is 208-1772. In the case of the death of an ACV member, once the information is verified, a voicemail message is recorded and can be accessed by calling that number.

**Scam Tip of the Week:
Arrest Warrant Scam**

Similar to the jury duty scam, imposters pose as law enforcement officers and call or email a potential victim claiming that they have a warrant out for their arrest or are otherwise being pursued by law enforcement. The imposters will claim the victim must pay them immediately or they will be arrested. Know that a law enforcement or court official will never ask for you to wire money or ask for your confidential information over the phone or via email.

If you believe you are the victim of a scam, file a complaint with the Attorney General's Office online at www.myfloridalegal.com or by phone at 1-866-9-NO-SCAM. You may also file a complaint with the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, which acts as the State's consumer complaint clearinghouse, at www.floridaconsumerhelp.com. (Source: The Florida Attorney General's Office)

Volunteer Coordinator's Note

Volunteering:

Your Commitment is Necessary

First, thank you to all who volunteer. There are so many benefits to ACV provided by those of you who donate your time and talents.

It is so important that you are serious about the tasks you have volunteered to perform. The area that you volunteer for needs you.

While volunteering is voluntary, there must be a commitment to do it. If our volunteers don't keep up with their volunteering commitments, ACV cannot operate properly.

There are a host of volunteering opportunities available here in the Village. If you are wanting to volunteer your time, make an appointment to see Volunteer Coordinator Linda Cywin in MS.

Volunteer Opportunities

If you are interested in volunteering at ACV in the following opportunities or in any others, please come to MS to fill out an application.

1. **Outdoor beautification volunteer.** Volunteers are needed to help Environmental Services beautify ACV's grounds by weeding flowerbeds, etc.
2. **CH front desk attendants.**
3. **Grape vineyard workers.** Volunteers are needed to help maintain ACV's small vineyard located across Dowling Park Dr. from PCS.
4. **Lunch deliverers.** Individuals are needed to deliver a lunch or two a few times a week to shut-ins across campus.

ACV ACTIVITY NEWS

BROOKS ARCHIVE

Millie Griswold, Reporter

Visit the History Window outside the Village Grocer. You'll enjoy looking back at Senior Living by the Suwannee (1914–88). The visual presentation describes activities of retirees during the first 75 years of the

Advent Christian Home. The artifacts will renew your memories of the past. Enjoy.

BRIDGE CLUB **Betsey Ruehl, Reporter**

The Bridge Club meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the OPR. If you would like to play, please call me at 658-1766 or Dottie Stone at (352) 316-5161 by noon on Monday.

We really need more bridge players. We are at the point where we now have to ask two players to sit out each week. If you need a refresher or want to learn bridge or Mahjong call me at 658-1766.

Congratulations to our Feb. 26 winners: 1st high, Jim Varnell, and 2nd high, Cindy Hett.

CONNECTING THREADS MINISTRY **Esther Bruckel, Reporter**

The sewing center at KC will be open on Monday, March 10, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Come and help with a group project, no sewing skills needed, or bring a project and enjoy the fellowship.

VILLAGE LIBRARY **Monday–Friday**

10:00 a.m.–12:00 noon & 1:00–3:00 p.m.
Brenda Reas, Reporter

Five books by Gina Marie Coon (one is in large print) are ready to be checked out, as well as four new-to-us mysteries. Also ready is one by Max Lucado that can be read to visiting grandkids and is now in the children's section near the double doors.

We have an audiobook section, paperback rack, and many movies and TV series on DVD for check-out. Magazines can be borrowed without being checked out; just return them when you finish looking at them.

Please have your ACV ID badge available when you come to check out books and DVDs. We are located in the Schoolhouse Room between the OPR and IC. Our drop box is located around the corner across from the restrooms (beneath the bulletin board), and you may return books and DVDs there at any time.

PEN PAL PROGRAM **A Committee of the Membership Association** **Monica Serlick, Reporter**

The next letter pick-up date is **Friday, March 7**. Make sure you write to your pen pal, and get your letters to the IC well before noon.

IMPORTANT: There is a pen pals meeting at 10:00 a.m., in the SMR/DR, and the group luncheon at 11:15 a.m., on Friday, March 14. I will be collecting funds for the awards banquet presentation, which we sponsor, at that meeting. There is no cost for the luncheon.

I am looking for new pen pals to take on two students. Should you want to become a pen pal, please contact me at (386) 330-4865 and leave a message. I will call you back. If you haven't done this before, it can be very rewarding to know you have an impact on a child's future.

Thank you, everyone, for encouraging and inspiring the youth of our future generations. "I am not a product of my circumstances. I am a product of my decisions" (Stephen R. Covey). "One of the differences between some successful and unsuccessful people is that one group is full of doers, while the other is full of wishers" (Edmond Mbiaka).

STEPHEN MINISTRIES **Robin Copeland, Reporter**

ACV will commission eight new Stephen Ministers on Sunday, March 9, at 6:00 p.m. in BC: Betsey Ruehl, Bonnie Olson, Jodie Kirk, Joy Evans-Russ, Monica Serlick, Pam Hurley, Peter Ard and Sharon Germaine.

These eight people have been through 50 hours of specialized training in Christian caregiving at ACV. Stephen Ministers provide confidential, one-to-one Christian care to people experiencing a crisis or going through a difficult time. Stephen Ministers meet weekly with their care receiver for around an hour to listen, care, encourage, pray with, and provide emotional and spiritual support for the person. Caring relationships last for as long as the person's need persists.

These Stephen Ministers began their training on Sept. 4 and completed it on March 5.

Please lift up our new Stephen Ministers in your prayers, asking that God bless their ministry and to work through them to bring hope and healing to those they will serve.

Our organization is one of more than 13,000 worldwide, representing 160 Christian denominations that use the Stephen Series system of lay caring ministry developed by Stephen Ministries in St. Louis.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BUTTERFIELD ACRES

Jack "CrackerJack" Dixon, Reporter

"For God so loved the world that he gave His only son, that whosoever should believe in Him will not perish but have everlasting life" (John 3:16).

I am drawing a big blank on what to write about this morning, and I am at a loss for words. My wife checked my temperature, and I am not running a fever, so I guess I will live.

I see the real estate sign up next door. I sure hope we can get a retired couple to enjoy that beautiful house. Did you know that it has a basement? It is the only home that I know of in our area that has one.

In checking the birthday list I see where Steve Reas will celebrate his special day on March 8. When you wish him a happy birthday, also let him know how much you appreciate him delivering our FNN every Thursday morning. He really deserves a BIG pat on the back. Cathy Burgess will turn another year older on March 19, along with Barbara Kile the very next day on March 20. Believe it or not that young and perky hair cutting wizard, Amy Hancock, will turn another year older on March 24. Stephanie Smith will round out the month with her celebration on March 26. May our good Lord love and protect you throughout the year with many more birthdays to follow.

James Sutter writes, "Did anyone else see the bright orange light fly across the sky this weekend? Either Friday or Saturday night, Mary Jane saw through our bay window (looking west) a bright orange light moving rapidly from south to north not too high above the trees. It was large and seemed to flicker.

"We ran outside and watched it from our porch for a minute or so. I thought maybe it was a drone, but (as I said) the light was orange, and it flickered almost like a candle. We went back inside before it disappeared completely from view.

"I asked Steve Reas, our neighborhood astronomer, if he had any idea what it might have been, and he guesses it was the International Space Station. Whatever it was, it was wild."

Did you ever think of this? If we could sell experience for what it cost us, we would all be rich? If you are smart, you would do a little pruning before you brag about your family tree. I have often wondered why financial advisors never seem to be as wealthy as they say they can make you!

From the veranda of our humble abode, overlooking the ever-so-smooth and dust-free 102nd Trail in BA: Remember the man who never makes mistakes never makes anything, and never forget who is in charge. Isaiah 40:28–31.

God bless.

CARTER HOUSE **Monica Serlick, Reporter**

We have no anniversaries or birthdays to celebrate this week.

Please continue to pray for those who are sick and in recovery from surgeries or treatments as they are restricted in their activities. Lord, we come before You, seeking your healing touch. We pray for your grace and mercy for the people facing this time of illness. We believe that You can heal body, mind and spirit. We surrender our worries and fears to You, knowing that You are in control.

There are quite a few visiting volunteers who are here to help ACV in whatever areas are needed. We also have family members visiting. Many of these folks

are driving golf carts and four wheelers around campus. Please make sure that if you have people using your golf cart or four wheeler that they abide by the ACV rules for these vehicles. Drivers should be of legal age, and they should always drive at a safe speed along the roads and sidewalks. They should be reminded that residents may suddenly appear from between parked cars on foot or riding mobility scooters or chairs.

All residents walking their dogs on a leash should remember to keep their animal close to them when around cars. Otherwise, the animal could get hurt. This almost happened recently, and the driver was not even aware of the near miss that was witnessed by another resident.

Please remember that whether you're driving, riding or walking, people's reflexes slow down as they get older. Being accidentally hit at any speed with any motorized conveyance could result in someone's death. PLEASE OPERATE YOUR CONVEYANCE WITH CARE!

Spring and its nicer weather are quickly approaching. Grass is starting to green up, and tiny buds are appearing on the trees. The dog parks are just about free of sandspurs, and I have enjoyed taking my puppy out to run and play with other dogs lately. It was fun arranging play dates with other dog owners. "When life gets too hard to stand ... kneel" (quotesgram.com).

Remember to be respectful of other residents and visitors. Please do not confront anyone if you think they are violating any of ACV's rules or policies. If you see anything that you believe is out of the ordinary or inappropriate, please contact the IC at 658-3333 and report it. They will ensure someone is sent to check things out. This is your home, IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING!

GOOD SAMARITAN CENTER AND DACIER MANOR Bruce Arnold, Reporter

In Ephesians 6:14 we find the first piece of the Full Armor of God, the belt of truth. Truth is crucial in our battle against the enemy, Satan. Throughout history, people have asked, "What is the truth?" In fact, Pilate even asked this question as Jesus stood trial.

In Pilate's mind, he had *his* truth, and the Jews had *their* truth. If we want the truth, we must look to God's word. In John 8:44 Jesus calls Satan a liar and the father of lies. In John 17:17 Jesus prayed to the Father saying, "Your Word is the truth." In this battle, which Paul says is a spiritual battle, we must know the truth of God's word, which will defeat the enemy.

The best way to know the truth is to know the Word of God. Psalm 119:11 says, "I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you." When we have the truth, we have a solid foundation on which our faith is built.

Don't forget that Daylight Saving Time begins early Sunday morning at 2:00 a.m. Why 2:00 a.m.? I did a little research, and here's what I found. The railroad industry played a role in the initial standardization of timekeeping, and the 2:00 a.m. time was chosen because, historically, there were fewer trains leaving major cities at that time, particularly on Sundays.

Here's a handy guide I saw on how to set your clocks forward on various devices.

- Cell phone: Leave it alone; it does it with magic.
- Sundial: Move one house to the right.
- Oven: It'll take a master's degree in electronics, or just use a hammer.
- Car radio: Not worth it; wait six months.

A memorial service will be held at GSC on Wednesday, March 12, at 10:00 a.m. in the Magnolia

Dining Room. We will remember the lives of Susan Mulnix, Louise Sapp, Rosemarie Lones, Juan Molina, Lucille Ledogar, Dwight Bridges, Anita McFarland and Olga "Cindy" Miller.

GSC celebrated Mardi Gras on Tuesday, March 4, and Richard Russell came to share with us on Ash Wednesday for our morning devotions.

I still have a number of Bibles available in various versions: New Living Translation, English Standard and Giant Print KJV. If you'd like one, please call (386) 249-2792 or email barnold@acvillage.net.

RIVERWOODS Betsey Ruehl, Reporter

Condolences to the family of Ruth Ann Stross (90), who died Feb. 27 at Surry Place Care Center in Live Oak. She and Bob were ACV residents in RW from the end of 2014 until they moved to DM in 2023. Bob still resides at Surry Place.

Special announcement: In an effort to conserve funds and not waste paper, all future notices pertaining to the RW Homeowners Association (RHOA) will be included in this newsletter, and special announcements will be posted in the lobbies by the mailboxes. "The March RHOA Board meeting will be at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, March 17, at CCC. The agenda is published in both PO box lobbies."

If we have a current e-mail address, we could also send notices that way. That way, if you happen to be traveling, you can still keep abreast of what is happening here,

Mark your calendar for the upcoming meetings in March and April. We will hear from speakers at each meeting regarding topics that may be on your mind. Elder care attorney Roberta Getzan will be our guest speaker at the March 17 RHOA Board meeting. She will answer questions you may have as to owning your house and if it affects getting into assisted living, or if Medicare will permit you to rent your house if you enter long-term nursing care. If you've ever wondered about these subjects or any similar concerns, you will want to attend the informational meeting during the hour before the March 17 Board meeting. Come by at 1:00 p.m. to the meeting at CCC. The March Board meeting will follow at 2:00 p.m.

Have you noticed that spring is just around the corner? Dogwood and Crepe Myrtle trees are starting to blossom. Camellias and azaleas are budding out as well. If you happen to be out late at night, check out the stars in the sky. The crisp nights add a special glitter to them. You might also see some four-legged friends. Gary saw eight deer just across from our house on Sunday night.

No one responded regarding an event in March for the RW Social Club. There may still be time to reserve space. Call 658-1766 or email me at betseywr@yahoo.com with the subject "RW Social" (in case I don't recognize the sender's address).


If you are feeling lonely, these quotes may help: "I wish I could show you when you are lonely or in darkness the astonishing light of your own being" (Hafiz, Persian poet). "Music was my refuge. I could crawl into the space between the notes and curl my back to loneliness" (Maya Angelou).

MEMBER BENEFITS

ACV offers a variety of programs and services to its members under the membership program. Members pay a monthly fee to provide supplemental support for this array of services and programs, meeting many of the varied needs of its members, as well as providing the opportunity to live his or her life to its fullest potential and highest level of independence. Some services you may not need today, you may well find important or essential in the future, and your financial participation makes it possible for your neighbor to have access to the services they need now.

This week's member benefit of note:

Each ACV member has membership privileges at CCC at no additional charge. The facility boasts both indoor amenities — heated lap pool that is handicap accessi-



Call Member Services at 658-5400 to schedule a Ride-About tour.

ble, a Jacuzzi, weight machines, stationary bicycles, treadmills, billiard room, game room, and reading room — and outdoor amenities — lighted tennis court, shuffleboard courts, horseshoe pits, screened pavilion, and a new bocce ball court.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

NANCY HARRISON, CPA

Nancy Harrison, CPA is holding office hours to meet with residents who would like her to prepare their income tax return. She will be meeting at the Professional Offices in the VS on the following dates: March 20, and April 3 and 15, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

She will be happy to answer any questions you have anytime. Her phone number is (850) 212-6799, her email is nfharrisoncpa@gmail.com, and her fax is (855) 899-6404.

VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program will be offered Saturdays through April 12. Taxes will be prepared for free, but cookies are always appreciated. Call First Baptist Church of Dowling Park at 658-2360 for an appointment.

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) grant program is an Internal Revenue Service (IRS) initiative in the U.S. that supports free tax preparation service for the underserved through various partner organizations.

VITA service helps low- to moderate-income individuals (\$67,000 annually per household), persons with disabilities, the elderly, and limited English speakers file their taxes each year. IRS awards matching funds to partner organizations throughout the country.

For more information call Jim Broton at (386) 209-6831, or email jmb013@live.com. Thank you for your assistance.

LEGAL SERVICES

The law firm of Robinson, Kennon & Kendron, P.A. will see clients by appointment only from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on the following dates in the VS professional offices: March 7 and 21, April 4 and 18, and May 2 and 16. To make an appointment, please call Leigh Ann Cannon at (386) 755-1334, Ext. 117.

SQUARE CUTS AND MORE SALON

**Open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
and most Fridays
12:00 noon to 7:00 p.m.**

Square Cuts and More Salon specializes in all your hair care needs. Call (386) 647-6240 for appointments. Kindly give 12–24 hours notice for cancellations or extra charges will apply. Walk-ins are welcome, but all great hair happens by appointment. I appreciate your business. Thank you, Amy Hancock.

FINANCIAL ADVISOR

Wendy B. Meyer, CFP[®], BFA[®], financial advisor with Pivotal Wealth Planning is at the Village on the third Wednesday of every other month (February, April, June, August, October and December) from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the VS professional offices. Call (850) 973-8888 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

HAIR CROPPERS

Facials are here to stay! Facial Day will be on the first Saturday and Tuesday of each month. Text (386) 205-3791 to schedule an appointment!

RIDE-ABOUT

If you're interested in utilizing the Ride-About (ACV's red, 10-passenger golf cart) for a tour of some kind, call MS at 658-5400.

ACV QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Do you have a question about the Village you think others would also like to ask? Did you see something curious or hear something you'd like confirmed? Submit

your question to Member Services, and we will do our best to find out the answer for you and publish it here. You must include your name with the question because follow-up information may be necessary.

Q: What was the Merry Morsel?

A: The Merry Morsel was the original name for what is now River Landing Bistro. The Merry Morsel opened in the early 1980s when the VS was built. Since then, the restaurant has had a few names. Many will remember it as the Village Café, its name until it closed during the pandemic. Similarly, the Village Grocer was originally the Cracker Barrel.

THANK YOU

It has been a hard three and a half months, but I am so much better now. I want to thank so many of you for the prayers, cards, food (my husband is really appreciates the food), and visits ... AND caring for our high energy cat, Joy! It is wonderful living in a caring community of Christian friends.

Barbara Hotmire

BELATED THANKS! Well, I have been in the hospital again, and as a result, I am late in saying thank you again. I want to express my thanks to all my wonderful friends who once again sent us lots of love, prayer, friendship, and help meeting our needs through our ordeal. It is such an incredible blessing to live in a place where the love of our Savior Jesus shines bright. Thank you, all. Patty and I love you.

Michael and Patty Saunders

I want to say thank you to all those who put together the Harbinger Bible Conference. To those who spoke and led the conference, and to those who came to the services. Especially to all those who put together the bakery buffet after each service! I truly believe that our Lord blessed everyone who was involved as His word was proclaimed to us through Dr. Doug Foss and Rev. Bob Copeland. It was a total delight, and I thank you all very much! God bless you all!

Michael Saunders

I deeply appreciate and thank each of you very much for all the wonderful birthday wishes and cards from our ACV family and friends. Sincerely,

Errol Gillette

MISCELLANEOUS

PLEASE NOTE: All submissions to the FNN must have a name attached. If you prefer to not have your name included with the listing in the FNN, indicate that on the submission. Ads may be dropped into the box near the IC, or emailed to fnn@acvillage.net. Only ACV members and staff may advertise here. Ads run for two weeks.

FOR SALE: Graco Nautilus 65 car seat. Grey and black with 1 cup holder. Very good condition. \$40. Call 386-249-5141.**

GOLF CART DETAILING: Golf cart detailing by Hayden. Contact Karen Thomas for information at 386-219-8555.*

FOR SALE: 1400 lb., 2020 Aliner Scout hard-sided pop-up camper. Sleeps 3–4, AC deep cycle battery, easy pop-up tent, a portable toilet and shower, pop-up bathroom tent, mattresses, sleeping bags, plates, utensils, cookware, and electric cook top. Propane Mr. Buddy heater with extra fuel, RV drinking hose, shore hook-up, 2 2-gallon water jugs. \$11,000. Call 904-615-4305 or 904-615-4304.*

PET SITTER WANTED: For twice weekly afternoon care for Freckles, a sweet-natured spaniel, 8 months, loves people and short walks; paper trained. Owner will provide small metal crate, wee paper, and treats. Fee is negotiable. Contact Diane at 850-570-3604.*

Prices Effective 3/7-3/13



THE VILLAGE GROCER

Monday-Saturday • 9:00 am-6:00 pm • We deliver at 2:00 pm every day!* 658-3130

GROCERY

Polar Mandarin Oranges	11 oz.	\$ 1.19
Life Everyday Cocktail Sauce	12 oz.	\$ 1.79
Veg-All	15 oz.	\$ 1.99
Nestle Carnation Evaporated Milk	12 oz.	\$ 2.59
Mott's Apple Juice	32 oz.	\$ 2.79
Zatarain's Creamy Blackened Chicken Rice	8 oz.	\$ 2.99
Joy Sugar Cones	5 oz.	\$ 2.99
Glass Plus Glass Cleaner	32 oz.	\$ 3.49

DAIRY

Dutch Farms String Cheese	10 oz.	\$ 3.49
Activia Yogurt	4 ct.	\$ 4.59

PRODUCE

Green Bell Pepper	per lb.	\$ 1.79
Fresh Asparagus	per lb.	\$ 4.99

FROZEN

Pictsweet Mixed Vegetables	12 oz.	\$ 2.59
Mayfield Vanilla Cone	4 pack	\$ 5.99

MEAT

Boneless Pork Roast	per lb.	\$ 3.99
Lean Ground Beef	per lb.	\$ 4.99
Seabest Tilapia Fillets	16 oz.	\$ 5.29
Curley's BBQ, all varieties	16 oz.	\$ 5.99
Beef Chuck Roast	per lb.	\$ 6.59
Oscar Mayer Bacon	16 oz.	\$ 8.99

CHEESE OF THE WEEK

Provolone Cheese per lb. — \$6.39

DON'T FORGET TO ORDER YOUR ROTISSERIE CHICKEN

Full chicken \$9.99, Half chicken \$5.99

** Call 658-3130. Order by 11:00 a.m. for 2:00 p.m. pick-up! **

THIS WEEK'S VERSE

Love the Lord and follow his plan for your lives.

Cling to him and serve him enthusiastically.

Joshua 22:5

*Delivery available to on-campus ACV members only

March 7–14, 2025

FRIDAY, 3/7

- \$2.53 Soup:** Lobster Bisque
- \$6.44 Entrées:** GF Baked Fish, GF Boiled Shrimp, Pepper Steak with Rice, Fried Catfish
- \$1.21 Sides:** Mixed Greens, Red Beets, Baked Beans, Cold Salads, Fruit, Cheesy Grits
- \$2.76 Desserts:** Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

SATURDAY, 3/8

- \$2.53 Soup:** Beef Chili
- \$7.59 Whistle Stop Special:** Mojo BBQ Pork Sandwich, Coleslaw, Potato Salad, Assorted Desserts, Fountain Drink

SUNDAY, 3/9

♪ Piano music provided by Joan Wittman. ♪

Lunch Buffet

Members \$12.63 | Non-Members \$17.81 | Beverage Included

- Entrées:** GF Roast Beef, Chicken Broccoli Casserole, Fried Chicken
- Sides:** Green Beans, Honey Glazed Carrots, Side Salad, Fruit, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
- Desserts:** Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

MONDAY, 3/10

- \$2.53 Soup:** Mushroom Brie
- \$6.44 Entrées:** Liver and Onions, Italian Sub Sandwich (Ham, Turkey and Salami) with Chips
- \$1.21 Sides:** Five-Way Vegetables (Corn, Peas, Carrots, and Green and Lima Beans), Three Bean Salad, Cold Salads, Fruit, Rice with Gravy
- \$2.76 Desserts:** Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

TUESDAY, 3/11

- \$7.70 Special:** Salad Bar
- \$6.44 Entrées:** Rotisserie Chicken, Country Fried Steak with White Gravy
- \$1.21 Sides:** Broccoli, Cauliflower, Cold Salads, Fruit, French Fries
- \$2.76 Desserts:** Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

NOTE: Prices listed are the retail cost per item. ACV members who present their ID badge at the cash register will receive a 10% discount. Menu is subject to change. Individual beverage cost: \$1.30.

GF=Gluten-Free NSA=No Sugar Added

Rumph Dining Room Midday Dining Menu

March 7–14, 2025

WEDNESDAY, 3/12

- \$2.53 Soup:** Chicken Enchilada
\$6.44 Entrées: Stuffed Peppers, Fried Chicken
\$1.21 Sides: Cabbage, Green Beans, Cold Salads, Fruit, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

THURSDAY, 3/13

- \$6.44 Entrées:** Chicken Broccoli Quiche, Beef Tips
\$1.21 Sides: Okra and Tomatoes, Corn, Cold Salads, Baked Potato, Rice
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

FRIDAY, 3/14

- \$2.53 Soup:** Shrimp Corn Chowder
\$6.44 Entrées: GF Baked Fish, GF Garlic Butter Shrimp, Pork Chops, Fried Catfish
\$1.21 Sides: Mixed Greens, Peas and Carrots, Cold Salads, Fruit, Cheese and Plain Grits
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts



RUMPH DINING RM. \$8.85 WEEKDAY VALUE PLATE

Includes 1 entrée, 2 sides, bread,
and a fountain drink.
For premium entrée, add \$2.30.



RIVER LANDING BISTRO LUNCH & DINNER SPECIALS

Friday, March 7

Lunch only: Crispy Chicken Cutlet and Provolone on
a Brioche Bun with French Fries \$11.95

All day: Beer Battered Cod with Chips and Coleslaw
\$17.95

Saturday, March 8

Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Toast \$16.95



658-5259

Mon–Fri: 11 am–1 pm
Sat. & Sun: 11 am–1:30 pm



658-5259

Sun: 7:30–10 am | 3:30–7 pm
Mon–Fri: 7:30–10 am | 2:30–7 pm
Sat: 7:30–10:00 am | 3–7 pm



658-5777

Wed–Thurs: 11 am–2 pm
Fri–Sat: 8–10:30 am | 11 am–8 pm