

## Welcome to Our Service!

They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting, "Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the king of Israel!"

John 12:13

*Palm Sunday*

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

March 29, 2026



Welcome

Call to Worship

*Victory In Jesus*

Congregational Prayer

Bob Shaffer

Songs of Worship

*Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)*

*Lion and the Lamb*

*The Love of God*

*(Children are dismissed to Junior Church)*

Message

"In Need of a Hero"

Romans 8:31-39

Pastor John

Song of Response

*Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

Benediction

The offering box for the regular offering is located at the back of the sanctuary.

\*\*Palms are available at the back of the sanctuary if you would like one.\*\*

## CHURCH ACTIVITIES and MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

### Youth Chill

Today, 5 pm



THANK YOU!

### Thank you!!!

To all who have provided or are planning on providing lunch for the First Alliance U group. Your kindness is greatly appreciated.

### Shoebox Collection Items for April

This month we are collecting girls' hair accessories & scrunchies (please no small bands) & jewelry/small purses.



Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex to help us manage the collections.



Questions? See Diane Kalajainen or Lisa Hilyard.



### Worship Night

Wed. April 1, 6:30 pm. All are invited to join together in an evening of worship, prayer & testimony!

### Good Friday Combined Service

with Area Alliance Churches

Friday, April 3, 6:30 pm

Communion will be served.



### Graduate Information

If you have a student graduating from high school, college or trade school this year, please fill out the form in the narthex and give it to Betsy Shaffer by April 5.

### 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

Thursday, April 9, 6 pm. See the flyer in the narthex for complete details. Questions? See Rob Polley.



### Membership Class

Sunday, April 12, 6 pm

Anyone interested in membership is welcome to attend. A meal will be provided. Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex. Questions? See Pastor John.



### Nominating Committee Meeting

Tuesday, April 14, 7 pm

If you are unable to attend, please let Pastor John know.

## FINANCIAL GIVING

### Budget Giving:

Total given last week \$3,655.00

Weekly budget need \$5,357.00

### Great Commission Fund Giving:

2025-2026 GCF Pledge \$5,450.00

2025-2026 GCF Giving Total \$27,821.00

## PHONE TREE

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Call one of the following:

Church Office 724-654-4512

Pastor John 724-714-9068

Lisa Hilyard 724-674-0911

Or scan this QR code



## New to

### First Alliance Church??

We would love to connect with you! Please scan the QR code to submit your contact info.



*Thank you for your concern, thoughts, prayers, cards & phone calls during my recovery from my recent surgery. It is all very much appreciated.*

*Judy Karns*

# SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE



Nursery: Patty Vitale  
Penny Blair

Jr. Church  
Teachers: Jen Thumm  
Kayla Spielvogel

Helpers: Zoe Ann Kirkpatrick  
Marilyn Hilyard



Today: Dorothy Heath  
Greg Gibbs

Next Week: Eric Shaffer  
Heidi Medarac

## Trustee of the Week

This week: Travis Polley

Next week: Rob Polley

## FIRST ALLIANCE CHURCH

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### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

<b><u>Sunday</u></b>	
Sunday School.....	9:30 am
Morning Worship Service .....	10:45 am
First Alliance U .....	12:00 pm
Youth Chill.....	5:00 pm
<b><u>Tuesday</u></b>	
Pickleball.....	6:45 pm
<b><u>Wednesday</u></b>	
Worship Night.....	6:30 pm
<b><u>Thursday</u></b>	
Men's Basketball .....	6:30 pm
<b><u>Friday</u></b>	
Good Friday Combined Service.....	6:30 pm

### **Persecuted Church—MOZAMBIQUE**

In 2025 Mozambican Christians were killed by jihadists. 72,000 people fled their homes. Pray for believers' protection and witness.

Source: Open Doors

### **CMA International Workers—** **Brandon & Bethany Nutter** **Envision-Dominican Republic**

They ask prayers for a new Bible study that they've started at their church plant. It is the first one they've done that doesn't meet on Sunday. The topic is how to read and understand the Bible. The first meeting was well attended with 25 people.



# FIRST ALLIANCE CHURCH

March 29, 2026

*Palm Sunday*



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***Living and Sharing the Truth of Jesus***

