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[Joshua 24:1-3a & 14-15](#)

Joshua is old and weary but he is still the Lord's chosen mouthpiece to the Israelites. Joshua knows his time is short and he wants to once again call the

people back to God. They have gone astray...again. They are worshipping idols and foreign gods.

It is so easy for us to say that we worship God, but it is also very easy to go astray. We begin to idolize things and even people instead of God.

Joshua encourages the Israelites to put away their false gods. He doesn't command them to bring their false gods to him so he can destroy them. He doesn't rant and rage at them for their failures, he simply asks them to put these things away.

Perhaps Joshua has learned that commanding people rarely works. Inviting and encouraging are more likely to get the results we want. So, friends, I invite and encourage you to put away those things that might be distracting you from worshipping and serving God.

This week's sermon title is: "Who will you serve?" So, who will you serve?

With love and joy,

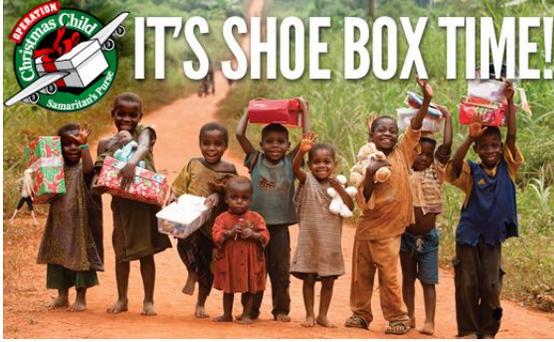
Rev. Sharon

For the latest information and Sunday Service, tune in to phumc.net or the Palm Harbor United Methodist Church [Facebook](#) page.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Operation Christmas Child

Shoeboxes will be available in the lobby on Sundays, or in the church office during the week.



The deadline for returning your Shoebox is Sun. November 8th.

For a list of what to pack and more information about our Operation Christmas Child collection, click on the Shoebox slide on the phumc.net homepage. Remember, this year "Think outside the shoebox" and be creative. We want to share the "GOOD NEWS and give GREAT JOY" to the children of the world!

Church-wide Memorial Service

During this time of COVID we know that a number of you have lost loved ones and have been unable to hold a church service to celebrate their life. Join us as we celebrate these loved ones.

Sunday, November 8 3 p.m.



**Saturday, December 5th
11 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

Christmas Extravaganza

A holiday music
and galleria shopping event!

Christmas Galleria vendors offer everything from clothing, jewelry, art and children's items, family photography and more!

- Live Holiday Music
- Christmas Trees for sale
- Petting Zoo
- Family Photo Opportunities
- Swag Making Classes
- Living Nativity
- Florida Hot Chocolate
- Live Music from area Ensembles.
- Hamburgers and hotdogs
- Bring your own chair to watch the music
- Don't forget your mask

Check PHUMC.net for exact times
and detailed information

Palm Harbor United Methodist Church 1551 Belcher Road, Palm Harbor

Meals To Go

PHUMC is now offering meals for a family of two and a family of four



Please check the PHUMC website for a list of meals.

Chef Susan and her team have created some delicious meals for you this upcoming week. Don't forget, you will now pay when you pick up your order and online. Cash, check and credit card will still be taken. Prices: Meal for two: \$18, Meals for 4: \$36

To order, click here on the [MEALS TO GO](#). It will provide you with information and a link to order.

If you have any questions, or are in need of assistance, please contact Susan Grandy Cell: 727-470-1912 or the Church Kitchen: 727-683-2580

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<https://phumc.net/church-announcements/760-hiskidz-children-ministry-goes-online>

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