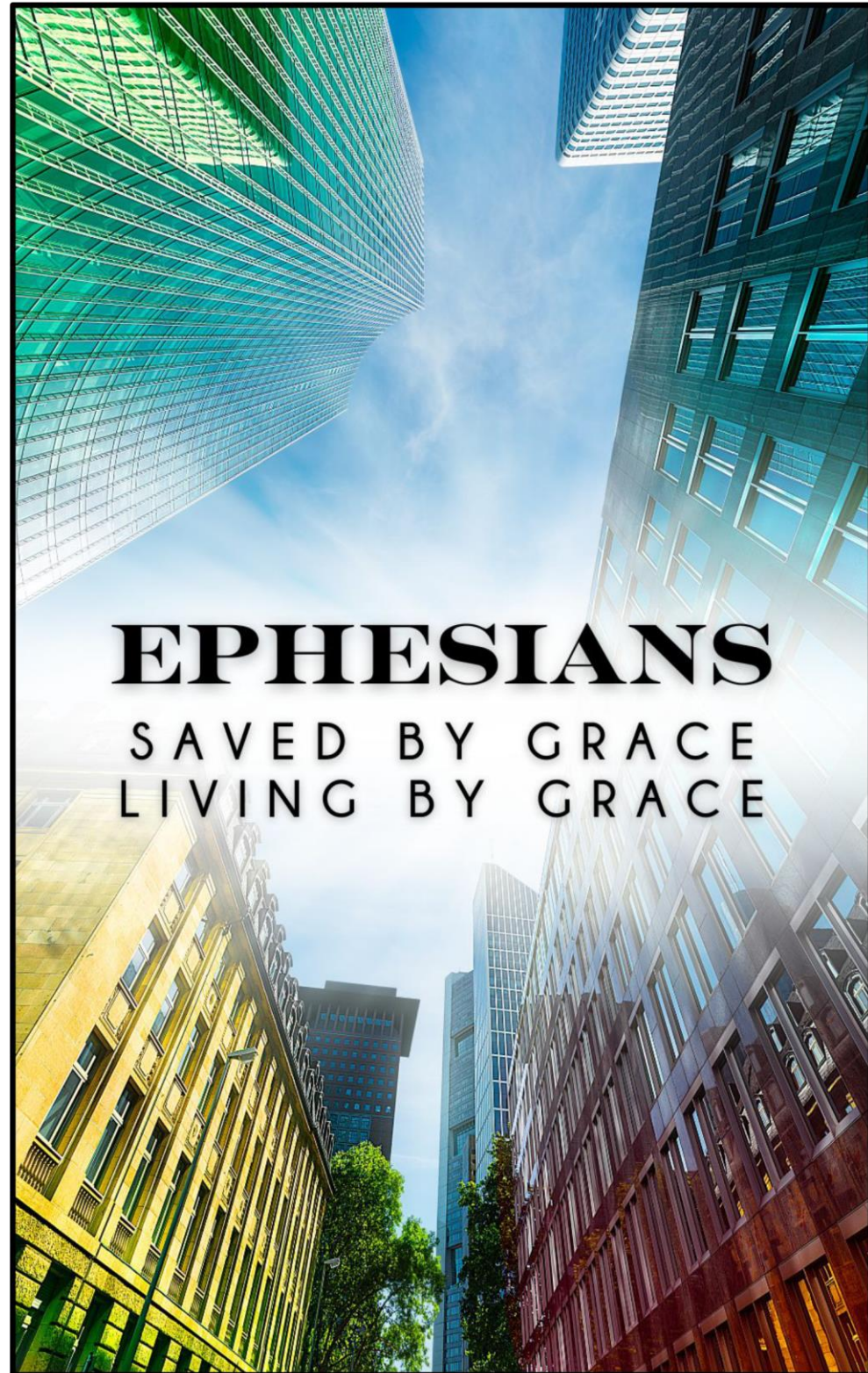


This image shows a blank sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.



16523 SE 76th Chatham Avenue, The Villages, FL 32162
352.205.7114 · fbcvillages.org · Email: info@fbcvillages.org



September 21, 2025

Welcome to Our Guests!

We are blessed that you chose to worship with us today! We hope you will feel right at home. If you need assistance or have a question, please ask any of our folks who are wearing a yellow lanyard or visit The Guest Counter just inside the main doors or The Information Counter in the center of the Gathering Hall.

We pray your worship experience today is uplifting and enriching and that you will consider our church family your church family.

Just FYI: Restrooms are located in either corridor leading off The Gathering Hall. **Child Care** is available for infants and preschool age children. Our Worship Center is equipped with a **Hearing Induction Loop**. If needed, more information is available at the A/V area in the back of the Worship Center. We also have a **Medical Response Team** ready to assist you if needed during the Worship Service.

Fall Bible Studies: God's Grand Story

This fall many of our study groups are using Walk Thru the Bible's "God's Grand Story," an overview of the entire Bible.

Mondays 10am - J.O.Y. Class, led by Pastor Hugh Wicks in The Commons

Mondays 6pm, led by Randy Haynes in The Commons

Tuesdays 9am - Men's Fellowship, led by Mark Joslin in The Commons

Tuesdays 10am - Discipleship Group, led by Dr. Otis Lane in The Cove

Tuesdays 3pm - Bible Studies For Life, led by George Shealy in The Cove

Saturdays 9am - Men's Fellowship, led by Jerry Jackson in The Commons



This year's annual Christmas Concert will feature Dove Award winning Christian vocal trio, SELAH.

December 8 & 9 ♦ 7pm ♦ \$20
Tickets available October 1



GriefShare is a powerful ministry of support, comfort and encouragement. Carol Abrams is leading the following sessions in the coming weeks:

- **Loss of Spouse** - Wednesday, September 24th, 1:30pm in The Commons Room 3. This is one 90-minute session that includes a video presentation, sharing time and support materials.
- **GriefShare** - 13-week group session begins Wednesday, October 1st, 1:30pm in The Commons Room 3. GriefShare is a safe, welcoming place where people understand the difficult emotions of grief. Through this 13-week group, you'll discover what to expect in the days ahead and what's "normal" in grief.

DISCOVERCLASS

Saturday, September 27 ♦ 9am

We'd love to help you discover God in a deeper way! If you're interested in becoming a member or just want to find out more about our church, you're invited to the **Discover Class on Saturday, September 27**. Please register online at fbcvillages.org, in person at the Information Desk, or call the church office at 352.205.7114.

Hearts for Ukraine Missions Breakfast

Thursday, October 2, 9am, The Commons

Come hear Regina Kyrlova share insights and experiences from this ministry we've been supporting for years. Sign up at the Info Counter if you plan to attend, and also if you can provide a breakfast casserole.



Cards for Pastor Bob Perry

So many people have expressed their desire to send cards to Pastor Bob & Karen Perry, and they love receiving them, so please go ahead and mail your cards directly to them at: 17452 SE 77th Sycamore Ave, The Villages, FL 32162



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT THE VILLAGES

Welcome back Wednesday Nights! Join us!

Wednesday night suppers return to FBC this week, September 24!

Don't miss the chance for great food, fellowship and Bible study. Here's what's happening:

- ❖ **Dinner is at 5:15 in the Gathering Hall**, this week provided by Chick-Fil-A! Cost is \$5/person or \$20/family. Sign up at the Info Desk, use the QR code below, or email familysupper@fbcvillages.org. ↵
- ❖ **First Kids starts at 6pm in The Commons** for Kindergarten-5th grade. Pre-register with the QR code below. ↵
- ❖ **Midweek Service & Bible Study at 6:15 in The Cove**. Pastor Alan is leading a study of cults.



**Family
Supper**



Disaster Relief
Florida Baptist Convention

Right Beside You.



FLORIDA BAPTIST DISASTER RELIEF: BRINGING HELP, HEALING AND HOPE IN TIMES OF CRISIS!

Hygiene Kits for Disaster Survivors Project:

In preparation and response to storms, we are providing adult and children's hygiene kits. If you would like to help, we are collecting the items below. Financial donations are also being accepted and may be made out directly to:

Florida Baptist Convention
6850 Belfort Oaks Pl, Jacksonville, FL 32216
(Note in the memo: "Disaster Relief")

ADULT ITEMS INCLUDE:

- Wash cloth
- Hand towel
- Bath size bar of soap:
 - (hypoallergenic)
- Travel size deodorant
- Travel size shampoo
- Adult toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Comb: at least 6 inches
- Fingernail clippers
- Lip balm
- Small pkg of bandages
- Hand sanitizer
- Wet wipes

CHILDREN'S ITEMS INCLUDE:

- Wash cloth
- Hand towel
- Children's body wash
- Travel children's shampoo
- Child's toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Comb: at least 6 inches
- Child's hair brush
- Small pkg of bandages
- Child's lip balm

Kits will be assembled in 1 gallon zip lock bags, so please make sure all items are smaller sizes to be able to fit inside the bags.

**ITEMS MAY BE PLACED IN COLLECTION
BOXES IN THE GATHERING HALL THROUGH THE
MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.**