

**Seaview's vision is to bless our community with the extravagant love of God, so that together we grow as wholehearted followers of Jesus Christ.**



**June 28, 2026**

**KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN**

**This Week at Seaview:**

**Today, June 28<sup>th</sup>**

10:30 AM – Worship in person in the Sanctuary. Live-streamed on Facebook  
2:00 PM – AA meets in Fellowship Hall

**Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 PM – NA Group meets in the chapel

**Tuesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM – AA meets in the chapel  
6:30 PM – Scout Troop #39 meets in the Chapel

**Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>**

1:00 PM – Bible Study with Pastor Mark in The Living Room.  
7:00 PM – AA meets in the chapel

**Thursday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>**

10:00 AM – AA meets in the chapel  
7:00 PM – NA meets in the chapel

**Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup> - Happy Independence Day!**

10:00 AM – AA meets in the chapel  
12:00 PM – Ladies Lunch Bunch at Webster's in Somers Point

**Sunday, July 6<sup>th</sup>**

10:30 AM – Worship in person in the Sanctuary. Live-streamed on Facebook  
2:00 PM – AA meets in the chapel.

**Giving** – Eleven percent of all tithes and offerings received by Seaview go toward the support of local, national, and international missions and ministries. Thank you for your generosity!

**Church Office Hours** are from 10:00 to NOON Tuesday through Friday.

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<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>		Pastor Mark
<b>Prelude</b>	<i>God of Grace and God of Glory</i>	Paula Dollarhide
<b>Opening Hymn #292</b>	<i>God of Grace and God of Glory</i>	
<b>Community Prayer &amp; Praise</b>		Aiden Parent
<b>Offertory/Praise</b>	<i>This Is Amazing Grace</i>	
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	<b>Esther 6:1-11</b>	Alex Osunniyi
<b>Message</b>	<b>When God Turns the Story</b>	Pastor Mark
<b>Sending Hymn #66</b>	<i>To God Be the Glory</i>	
<b>Benediction</b>		Pastor Mark
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>Rigaudon</i>	Paula Dollarhide

**Welcome to Seaview!** We're grateful you've chosen to worship with us today. Whether this is your first Sunday here or you've been part of Seaview for years, you belong here!

Today we step into Week 4 — the final week of our Esther series, celebrating the God who works faithfully and redemptively even when His hand is unseen.

At Seaview, we believe church is more than a place to attend — it's a family to grow with. If you're visiting, we'd love the chance to connect. Guest cards are available at the welcome table; feel free to fill one out and place it in the offering plate. It's a simple way to introduce yourself and help us stay in touch.

Thank you for being here. We're grateful to share this time of worship with you and look forward to what God will do today.

- Pastor Mark Larimer

# EVENTS AND INVITATIONS

Happy Birthday! Amelia Woodbury (7/1), Joan Hofmeister (7/2), and Doug Harvey (7/4).

**Beach Days Are Back!** Plan on joining us this summer on Sunday afternoons at Longport Beach, beginning around 2pm. Look for the Seaview gang near 27<sup>th</sup> Street. Bring refreshments, sunscreen, a beach chair, and relax with your Seaview friends!

**Ladies Lunch Bunch** – Ladies, us for lunch at La PizzaTega in Linwood on Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at noon. Please RSVP to Susan Larimer.

**Digital Canvas Fundraiser** - Stop by the Fellowship Hall to see sample canvas prints and pricing. Any digital photo—family, nature, vacation, or one of our samples—can be turned into a beautiful canvas. All proceeds support Phase 2 of our building renovation.

**Our Events Team Needs You!** – We believe gathering as a church community and creating meaningful events to engage our community are vital to the life and ministry of Seaview. We are currently looking for an *Events Chairperson* to oversee event planning from start to finish, and ensure team members are supported and informed. We also need *volunteer team members* who will assist with the hands-on work of each event. If interested, please contact Susan Larimer today!

**Women's Bible Study - Wednesdays at 1pm, August 5<sup>th</sup> – September 2<sup>nd</sup>** - Ladies are invited to a Bible study: *"James — What You Do Matters"* facilitated by Marguerite Heaton-Colella in our Seaview Living Room. Contact Marguerite about the study guide by Margaret Feinberg.

**Discover Seaview** - A Discover Seaview dinner is coming soon! We're gathering a group for a relaxed evening at Pastor Mark and Susan's home to share stories, ask questions, and explore next steps in faith, baptism, and membership. If interested, please speak to Pastor Mark.

**Please pray** for those in need of healing support: Paul Anselm, Linda DeCasien, Claudia Mars, Joan Hofmeister, June Bolton, Valerie Irelan, Ron & Linda Smith, Bonnie Naoum, Tanner LaMagna and the LaMagna family, Emilie Lewis, Mike Eichert, Hazel DeCasien, and Kristen Lew.



WHO'S WITH MY KIDS TODAY?

Bianca & Taylor Trenard



## WHEN GOD TURNS THE STORY- Esther 6–10

❖ God can reverse what seems \_\_\_\_\_.

### 1. God Turns the Story in Ways We Could Never Script (Esther 6:1–11)

*"That night the king could not sleep."* Esther 6:1

➤ God can use the smallest \_\_\_\_\_ to bring about the greatest reversals.

### 2. Pride Builds Gallows It Eventually Falls On (Esther 6:12–7:10)

➤ Pride always leads to \_\_\_\_\_.

➤ Evil eventually collapses under its own \_\_\_\_\_.

➤ Pride eventually \_\_\_\_\_ the one who clings to it.

### 3. God's People Move from Fear to Victory (Esther 8–10)

➤ Fear turns to \_\_\_\_\_. Mourning turns to \_\_\_\_\_.

Threat turns to \_\_\_\_\_.

#### WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR US?

1. God is \_\_\_\_\_ even when we can't see it.

2. God can reverse what seems \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Pride destroys, but humility \_\_\_\_\_ us for God's work.

4. God invites us to step into His story with \_\_\_\_\_.

5. God's people are never victims of \_\_\_\_\_ — they are vessels of \_\_\_\_\_.

GOD STILL TURNS STORIES