

Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Announcements	8:15 Trip Weldon	
	10:30 Mabrey Whetstone	
Prelude		Kathy Willis
*Hymn	<i>“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”</i>	400
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed	881
	“holy catholic church” (the church universal)	
Gloria Patri		70
	<i>Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.</i>	
	<i>As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.</i>	
	<i>Amen. Amen.</i>	
Time of Greeting	<i>“Family of God”</i>	
	<i>I'm so glad I'm a part of the Family of God,</i>	
	<i>I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!</i>	
	<i>Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,</i>	
	<i>For I'm part of the family, the Family of God.</i>	
Concerns of a Caring Fellowship	8:15 Trip Weldon	
	10:30 Mabrey Whetstone	
Prayer		Rev. Matt Albritton
The Lord’s Prayer		Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	<i>“Standing on the Promises”</i>	374
*Offertory Prayer		Rev. Matt Albritton
Offertory		Kathy Willis
*Doxology		95
	<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here</i>	
	<i>below; praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.</i>	
	<i>Amen.</i>	
Children’s Moment	(Ages 4—6th grade)	Michelle Abernathy
No Children’s Church today		
Anthem	<i>“I Love You, Lord”</i>	Chancel Choir
Scripture	8:15 Larry Mann	
	10:30 Misty Macon	
Sermon		Rev. Matt Albritton
Communion		Congregation
*Hymn	<i>“I Surrender All”</i>	354
Benediction		Rev. Matt Albritton
	<i>*Please stand as you are able.</i>	

✦ Welcome ✦

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we are so glad you are here! Please fill out the attendance booklet located on your pew. For more information, please contact the church office by phone at (334) 567-7865, email us at secretary@firstwetumpka.com, or check us out on the web at www.wetumpkafirst.com.

Second Sunday Breakfast is next Sunday, September 8 at 7:15 a.m.

Everyone is welcome to come enjoy good food, fellowship and be inspired by our guest speaker.

Tuesday Bible Study taught by Hughett Williams meets each Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. in Wesley Hall. Everyone is welcome, so please come and join us!

New Bible Study on Wednesday nights! The study is about a remarkable woman named Esther; a woman who emerges from the royal harem to become queen and save a nation. Have you ever realized that YOU have come to the kingdom for such a time as this? We would be honored if you join us each Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. in the Cornerstone Classroom.

Brother Matt will begin a new Wednesday Night Class on September 4 at 6 p.m. in the library. The study will be the book of James.

Our CHRISMON MINISTRY meets each Thursday from 10 a.m. until noon in the Wesley Hall. We are working on some new Chrismons for the Chrismon tree in the sanctuary. This is a learning process for all of us under the direction of Judy Dudley.



Thank you for your calls, food, and especially your prayers as I continue to struggle with back issues. Sharon Potts

Please note: The church offices will be closed on Monday, September 2 in observance of Labor Day.



CHILDREN’S MINISTRY

Our kids are still learning all about obedience. Obedience is trusting who is in charge by doing what you’re asked to do. This week we are learning about trusting and obeying even if you don’t know how it will work out. Abraham did just that! How can we be more like Abraham?

Next Sunday is Word & Table Fellowship with Brother Matt during our Sunday School hour. We would love to have your kids join us for a special time of communion. Jesus Crew meets next Sunday at 5:30 p.m. Join us for dinner and games!

SR. ADULT MINISTRY

September 10th—next Keenage Luncheon at 12 noon—Family Life Center.
Menu: Pecan Chicken Fettuccine Alfredo, Parmesan tomatoes, salad, garlic bread, peach bread pudding. Looking forward to this delicious meal, plus a guest (Story teller) from Montgomery. See you at the luncheon.

SAVE THE DATE!!!!!!! Friday, NOVEMBER 8TH. “House of Holidays” Steak Supper. One night only and tickets will be ready for purchase soon. Check the September Newsletter for more information.

1136 STUDENT MINISTRY

We all tend to push back on the people, places, and things that control and hold authority over us. But here’s the catch: whether we admit it or not, we’ve all given someone (or something) control of our lives. This month **we will be challenged to consider who, or what, we’ve allowed to be our boss.** Because whether it’s the god of me, the god of stuff, the god of worry, or the god of obsession, we all know what it’s like to have an authority problem and experience the end results of who, or what, we let lead us.

Remember no regular hangout tonight, but we will be meeting at our regular time this Wednesday. We’ll also be helping at the Elmore County Food Pantry this Saturday (Sept. 7th). Please let Jamie know if you can come show and pass on Christ’s love and mercy to those in need of it!

READ THE BIBLE THROUGH IN ONE YEAR

September

- 3 *Reflect on God as Deliverer*
- 4 Isaiah 40 Ps. 106:1-24 Heb. 4
- 5 Isaiah 41 Song 5:1-8 Heb. 5
- 6 Isaiah 42 Ps. 106:25-48 Heb. 6
- 7 Isaiah 43 Song 5:9-16 Heb. 7
- 8 Isaiah 44 Ps. 107:1-23 Heb. 8
- 9 Isaiah 45 Song 6:1-5 Heb. 9

SERMON NOTES

“First Things First”
Haggai 1: 2-8



Prayer List

Please help us keep our prayer list up-to-date by notifying the church office to remove names from the list as appropriate.

Mary Ann Pickett, Robert Autrey, Connie Mann, Rebecca Mobley, Sara & Harlice Kirby, Dianne Stone, Buddy Staley, Paul Schroeder, Ed Williams, Kathy McFarland, Willard Brown, James Edwards, Shelia Montiel, Richard Johnson, Paul Henderson, Charles Murrell, Margaret Wilson, Betty Evans, Jan Divin, Sharon & Jerry Potts, Sarah Kirkland, Linda Kay Ewing, June Schroeder, Heath Howell, Neal and Leah Pridgen, Presley Marie, Jimmie Sue Crowe, David Dudley, Michael Hall, Charlotte Jordan, Robert Carrier, Mary Weldon, Rebecca Whittle, Larry Dean Hill, Richard Knighton, Bill Bonner.



Serving this week:

*Pork Tenderloin, Sweet potatoes,
Butter peas, Rolls and Dessert*

Meals are served from 5:15—6:00 p.m.

"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work." 2 Corinthians 9:7-8 (NIV)

Our Record of Faithfulness and Stewardship

August 25, 2019

Offerings

General Fund	\$ 4,845.00
Loose Plate	\$ 106.22
Other	\$ 1,139.92
Total	\$ 6,091.14

Attendance

Sunday School—116
Worship 8:15— 44 Worship 10:30—142
Hispanic Worship—84

Sunday School Attendance Banner

Jr. & Sr. High 91% Bruce Airey 86% Nursery & K-2 72%

Service Helpers

Ushers

1st Sunday

8:15—Larry Dozier, Trip Weldon
10:30—Damon Patton, Bob Reneau, Tommy Head,
Damon Abernethy, Marvin Salter

Greeters

8:15—Asenath Coker, Julie Powell, Carol Turner
10:30—Celestra Rowell, Mardre Williams, Donna Hall

Counters—Alice Scarborough, Charlotte Whetstone

Elevator Operator—Marvin Salter

Ushers

2nd Sunday

8:15—Lee Cash, Gary Barnes
10:30—Richard Knighton, J.D. Hobbie, Joe McDonald, Lee Macon

Greeters

8:15—Sue Moody, Marilyn Dozier, Debbie Barnes
10:30—Jane Salter, Pat Hobbie, Cathy Gieseler

Counters—Trip Weldon, Bob Reneau

Elevator Operator—Damon Abernethy

Ushers

3rd Sunday

8:15—Mark Matthews, Rick Tyler
10:30—Hughett Williams, Larry Hill, Felix Dudley, Cal Estabrook

Greeters

8:15—Cindy Rouse, Bailey Turner, Carson Turner
10:30—Jonny McCune, Judy Bianchi, Carl Bledsoe, Sharon Bledsoe,
Sandra Hill, Judy Dudley

Counters—Judy Bianchi, Mardre Williams

Elevator Operator—Shelton Prine

Ushers

4th Sunday

8:15—John Bush, Jimmy Martin
10:30—Earl Gillian, Ed Johnson, Jerry Potts, John Scott

Greeters

8:15—Donna Matthews, Brysene Lee, Carol Bush
10:30—Sharon Potts, Nell Head

Counters—Lee Macon, Marvin Salter

Elevator Operator—Gloria Johnson

Counters 5th Sunday—Jo Glenn, Mary Weldon

Ushers/Greeters 5th Sunday—Youth Team

Sound System Operator—Ben Williams

Children's Church—No Children's Church today

Floater—Michelle Abernathy

Communion Stewards for 8:15 a.m. for September 2019

Mark Matthews, Alternate: Felix Dudley

Communion Stewards for 10:30 a.m. for September 2019

Richard Knighton, Bob Reneau, Mabrey Whetstone



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Wetumpka, Alabama

September 1, 2019

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

Worship 8:15 A.M.
Sunday School 9:20 A.M.
Worship 10:30 A.M.

Mission Statement

With a heart for Jesus Christ, First United Methodist Church of Wetumpka comes together as a family of God. Our purpose is to welcome and win our community to Jesus Christ. By encouraging spiritual growth, and fostering Christian fellowship, we give glory and praise to our God.