

## Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Announcements	8:15 Trip Weldon	
	10:30 Mabrey Whetstone	
Prelude		Kathy Willis
*Hymn	<i>"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"</i>	64
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles' Creed	88I
	"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>"My Hope Is Built"</i>	368
*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		Michelle Abernathy
No Children's Church today		
Anthem	<i>"Do Not Be Afraid For you Are Mine"</i>	Chancel Choir
Scripture	8:15 Larry Mann	
	10:30 Misty Macon	
Sermon		Rev. Matt Albritton
Communion		Congregation
*Hymn	<i>"My Jesus, I Love Thee"</i>	172
Benediction		
	<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.

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### GROUNDS COMMITTEE WORK DAY

This Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup> beginning at 8:30 a.m.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** Our Annual Charge Conference will be on Wednesday, October 16 at 6 p.m. in the Sanctuary. No Wednesday activities except Charge Conference and Choir Practice will take place. No meals served. **IMPT! ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD—PLAN TO BE HERE AT 5:30 P.M.**

**Join us for Second Sunday Breakfast coming up October 13 at 7:15 a.m.** in the Family Life Center. There's always a delicious home-cooked breakfast and a guest speaker.

**Sisters In Service will meet Monday, October 21 at noon in Wesley Hall.**

All ladies are invited and encouraged to join us!

**The Mission Committee is sponsoring a CHURCH-WIDE FOOD DRIVE**

for our Elmore County Food Pantry. Non-perishable food items should be placed in the baskets in Wesley Hall and the Education Building. Monetary donations are welcomed and are tax deductible. The pantry was hit hard the first of the year following the tornado and is struggling to keep up with demand now. Your support is very much appreciated!

### **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

This month we are following along with Brother Matt's study of how to be a good steward. Our kids will be learning about Radical Hospitality, Passionate Worship, Intentional Faith Development, Risk Taking Mission and Service, and Extravagant Generosity. As always, Word & Table Fellowship will be the second Sunday of the month. We would love for your kids to join us for this special time of communion with Brother Matt.

Our children's and youth ministry are now accepting donations for Candy Walk. A donation bin will be in the education building in the children's ministry wing. **This fun event takes place on Monday, October 28 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. behind the City Admin Building.** Bring your kids and grand kids to our table to see us!

**Our Fall Festival will be Wednesday, October 30 from 5 -7 p.m. on the front lawn. This is a rain or shine event so if it rains, the event will be moved into the Family Life Center. Kids will enjoy games, dinner, snow cones, and of course CANDY! Invite your friends, family, and neighbors for a great time!**

**WANTED: AMAZING VOLUNTEERS** to help set up for our Fall Festival on October 30. We will begin setting up at 9:00 a.m. We need hay bales moved, games set up, and help decorating. If you can help, please see Ms. Michelle or shoot her an email at michelle@firstwetumpka.com. Thank you for having a servant's heart.

## SR. ADULT MINISTRY



**"Sizzlin' Steak Night" on November 8<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 'til** by House of Holidays. A great night of delicious food and fun. Ribeye steaks, twice baked potatoes, green salad, rolls, fresh pies, cakes and fresh fruit. All for \$20.00 per ticket. We will have a SILENT AUCTION of homemade cakes and pies. (other items included later) SELL: Frozen camp stew, gumbo, soups and casseroles. 'PRIZES' ---- "MUSIC". Come out and support the church for a wonderful night. Tickets are going fast!!!!!! Get yours now!!!! **Note these dates:** November 15<sup>th</sup>- Gaithers Concert in Montgomery, December 3<sup>rd</sup>- Christmas Keenage Luncheon-"UPBEATS"- featuring special Christmas music. (*Note: House of Holidays is an annual fundraiser that supports various community groups and our church*)

### **1136 STUDENT MINISTRY**

Ever felt like the person others think you are doesn't match up with who you really are? Or maybe you've put on different masks for different situations; masks that help you fit in with certain crowds (even if that mask doesn't reflect who you really want to be). We can all relate, because, at times, we all struggle with the same big questions: "Who am I? Who loves me? Why am I here?" This month we will explore those questions as we discover that in Jesus we are loved, we are forgiven, we have purpose, and we belong.

**Tonight from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. come hang out in the Family Life Center, have some food, and be part of exciting games, conversations, and fun as we learn about God's life changing love and grow closer together in it!**

### **READ THE BIBLE THROUGH IN ONE YEAR**

#### *October*

- 8 *Reflect on God's Patience*
- 9 Jer. 7-8 Ps. 119:57-64 Jude
- 10 Jer. 9-10 Ps. 119:65-72 Rev. 1
- 11 Jer. 11-12 Ps. 119:73-80 Rev. 2
- 12 Jer. 13-14 Ps. 119:81-88 Rev. 3
- 13 Jer. 15-16 Ps. 119:89-96 Rev. 4
- 14 Jer. 17-18 Ps. 119:97-104 Rev. 5

### **SERMON NOTES**

**"Passionate Worship"**  
2 Samuel 6:12-16

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## 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, Rebecca Mobley, Sara & Harlice Kirby, Dianne Stone, Buddy Staley, Ed Williams, Kathy McFarland, Willard Brown, James Edwards, Shelia Montiel, Richard Johnson, Margaret Wilson, Betty Evans, Sharon & Jerry Potts, Linda Kay Ewing, June Schroeder, Neal and Leah Pridgen, Presley Marie, David Dudley, Michael Hall, Robert Carrier, Ashley Cousins, Rebecca Whittle, Virginia Mossberg, Caleb Jeffers, Dan Lockwood, Matt Bledsoe, Frank Johnston, Drew & Tiffany Smith, Mike Wilkerson, Joe Kelly, Tammy Albritton, Donna Hall, Jennie Payne and family upon the passing of her brother, John Pittman.

### Communion Sunday



#### *Serving this week:*

*Baked chicken, yellow rice, sautéed vegetables,  
Caesar salad, roll, dessert*



*"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

September 29, 2019

#### Offerings

General Fund	\$ 3,197.00
Loose Plate	\$ 10.00
Other	\$ 477.19
Total	\$ 3,684.19

#### Attendance

Sunday School—Combined program  
Combined Worship 10:30—159  
Hispanic Worship—80

#### Sunday School Attendance Banner

Combined program

## 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**—Jane Salter

**Communion Stewards for 8:15 a.m. for October 2019**

Felix Dudley, Alt. Rick Tyler

**Communion Stewards for 10:30 a.m. for October 2019**

Marvin Salter, Hughett Williams, Lee Macon



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Wetumpka, Alabama

October 6, 2019

*Seventeenth 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.*