

**Order of Worship**  
**Liturgical Color: Purple**

Welcome and Announcements	8:15 Trip Weldon
	10:30 Tommy Head
Prelude	Kathy Willis
*Hymn	<i>“O Worship the King”</i> 73
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed 881 “holy catholic church” (the church universal)
Gloria Patri	70

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.  
 As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.  
 Amen. Amen.*

Time of Greeting *“Family of God”*

*I'm so glad I'm a part of the Family of God,  
 I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!  
 Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,  
 For I'm part of the family, the Family of God.*

Recognition of the Eagle Scouts

Concerns of a Caring Fellowship	8:15 Trip Weldon
	10:30 Tommy Head
Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
The Lord’s Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	<i>“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”</i> 526
*Offertory Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton

Offertory	
*Doxology	95
	<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here          below; praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.          Amen.</i>

Children’s Moment	Rachel Williams
Children’s Church	Laurie Hutchinson
Anthem	<i>“Jerusalem My Happy Home”</i> Chancel Choir
Scripture	8:15 Diane Tyler 10:30 Tammy Albritton
Sermon	Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	<i>“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”</i> 297

Benediction  
*\*Please stand as you are able.*

✦ 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 Facebook or on the web at www.wetumpkafirst.com.  
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***Congratulations to Michelle Abernathy & Tony Lowe  
 who were married on March 14th!***



**Congratulations Eagle Scouts!**

FUMC hosts the Boy Scouts each Monday in our Family Life Center. We have four young men who have earned their Eagle Scout Badge and will be awarded the badges in a formal ceremony this afternoon at 3 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church. Help us congratulate them for this amazing accomplishment.  
**Congratulations Cade Taylor, Cade Womack, Joseph Paul Baughman and Alex Young!**

**Next Sunday: ONE COMBINED SERVICE at 10:30 A.M.**

We are in for a treat on Sunday, March 22 as Brother Matt’s father, Rev. Walter Albritton will be bringing the message.

**S.I.S. (Sisters in Service) will hold their quarterly meeting in Wesley Hall** on March 22 immediately following the combined worship service. Everyone is welcome to participate! Light refreshments will be served.

**SPRING BREAK WEEK IS MARCH 23-27**

There will be NO Wednesday activities and NO meal served on March 25.

**STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING**

Monday, March 30 at 6 p.m. in the library.

**CHILDREN’S MINISTRY**

This month we are learning all about forgiveness! Our memory verse comes from Colossians 3:13. "Put up with one another. Forgive one another if you are holding something against someone. Forgive, just as the Lord forgave you." You can help your child by encouraging him or her to learn the Bible verse and discuss opportunities he or she has to forgive others.

**There will be no bus pick up or Wednesday afternoon activities on March 25 due to spring break.** Have a blast with your family!

Ready..Set...Go! **Our Easter Egg Hunt for all kids up to 6th grade is planned for Sunday, April 5.** We will start in the Family Life Center with the Relay for Life Spaghetti Luncheon and end with our Easter Egg Hunt on the front lawn of our church. Grab a friend and let's party! We are also accepting donations now for the egg hunt. Please bring your pre-filled plastic eggs to Ms. Michelle. You can find them at Wal-Mart and most drug stores. Thank you!

**SR. ADULT MINISTRY**

Senior Adult Council met Wednesday, March 4th and made plans for the year. It was a great meeting with everyone sharing ideas; planning day trips and delicious meals for Keenage Luncheons.

**KEENAGE LUNCHEON- St. Patrick’s Day- March 17th**

Menu: Corn beef, cabbage and potatoes, congealed lime salad, Irish soda bread, key lime cake. We are cooking some real Irish dishes, so come and enjoy good food and fellowship. Looking forward to seeing you. In His Light, Celestra (334-301-3920)



**Dear FUMC Family...***It is with the most sincere thanks that I thank you ALL for your prayers for my brother, Robert during his illness. Thank you for the prayers, cards, hugs, and words of comfort shown to me during this difficult time. Much love and blessings, Barbara Hinton*

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**Thank you for your prayers!** *Frank’s blood clot has dissolved and he will have his procedure soon. Your prayers and words of encouragement are a blessing during this time. Gloria & Frank Johnston*

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**Thanks to all of the FUMC family** *for the cards, prayers and plant following the loss of my brother. My family and I truly appreciate your kindness. Lou Ebrecht and family*

**1136 STUDENT MINISTRY**

As kids we constantly ask, “Why?,” but as we get older, asking too many questions is often discouraged (especially when they are about our faith). This month we’ll talk about how having questions, and even uncertainties, about God might not be as uncommon as we thought, because you’re not alone in your questions, God completely understands our desire to ask them.

It’s time! Nerf War is a go today from 5:00pm-7:00pm in the Family Life Center! If you signed up on paper or by text before last Wednesday, we’ll see you this afternoon for a time of food and foam flinging fun!

**READ THE BIBLE THROUGH IN ONE YEAR**

**March**

- 19 **Reflect on God as Peace**
- 20 Deut. 19-20 Ps. 34 Luke 20
- 21 Deut. 21-22 Eccl. 2:1-17 Luke 21
- 22 Deut. 23-24 Ps. 35 Luke 22
- 23 Deut. 25-26 Eccl. 2:18-26 Luke 23
- 24 Deut. 27-28 Ps. 26 Luke 24
- 25 Deut. 29-30 Eccl. 3:1-8 John 1

**SERMON NOTES**

**“Living Water”**

**John 4:5-10**

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## Prayer List

Mary Ann Pickett, Rebecca Mobley, Buddy Staley, Kathy McFarland, Shelia Montiel, Margaret Wilson, Sharon & Jerry Potts, Virginia Mossberg, Frank Johnston, Ed & Gloria Johnson, Dane Mann, Connie Mann, Clara Lockwood, Brother (Grady & Celestra's son) Dr. Bill Lacy, Shawna & Jason Amert, Richard Johnson, Michael Hall, Rusty Agi, Rudy McDonald, Carlton Hornsby, Kenny Ward, Ellen Wells & Family, Gannon Miller

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



*The beautiful flowers placed on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Emma & Ella Gilliland's 13<sup>th</sup> birthdays from Mom and Dad (Blu & Ashley Gilliland)*

### Wednesday Night Menu:

*Fried chicken, potato salad, green beans, 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

March 8, 2020

### Offerings

General Fund	\$	7,710.59
Loose Plate	\$	209.55
Other	\$	247.50
Total	\$	8,167.64

**To give online, visit [www.WetumpkaFirst.com/Give](http://www.WetumpkaFirst.com/Give).**

### Attendance

Sunday School—112  
Worship 8:15— 49 10:30—137  
Hispanic Worship—92

### Sunday School Attendance Banner

Grades 3-6 111%

## 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, Joe McDonald (alt)  
10:30—Richard Knighton, J.D. Hobbie, 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, Gloria Johnston

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—Laurie Hutchinson

Floater—Pennie Buckelew

Communion Stewards for 8:15 a.m. for April 2020

Felix Dudley, Alternate Rick Tyler

Communion Stewards for 10:30 a.m. for April 2020

Marvin Salter, Hughett Williams, Lee Macon



March 15, 2020

*Third Sunday in Lent*

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.*



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