

Order of Worship
Liturgical Color: Purple

Welcome and Announcements	8:15 Trip Weldon	
	10:30 Deanna Nelson	
Prelude		Kathy Willis
*Hymn	“There’s Within My Heart a Melody”	380
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed	881
	“holy catholic 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>	
Concerns of a Caring Fellowship	8:15 Trip Weldon	
	10:30 Deanna Nelson	
Prayer		Rev. Matt Albritton
The Lord’s Prayer		Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”	474
*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</i>	
	<i>Holy Ghost. Amen.</i>	
Children’s Minute	(4 yr olds-6th Grade)	Michelle Householder
Children’s Church	(4 yr olds-3rd Grade)	Jane Salter
Anthem	“Show Me Your Cross”	Chancel Choir
Scripture Reading	8:15 Larry Dozier	
	10:30 Sonya Arnold	
Sermon		Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”	526
Benediction		Rev. Matt Albritton

**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 at 567-7865 or check us out on the web at www.wetumpkafirst.com.

Children’s Ministry TODAY from 5:30—7:00 p.m. It’s Jesus Crew!

Grab a friend and join us in the Family Life Center.
All ages are welcome!!!

SPRC meets Monday, March 12th at 6 p.m. in the library.

Grounds Work Day March 15th

Grounds Committee would like to announce a grounds work day on Thursday, March 15th beginning at 8:30 am. Everyone is welcome. In case of rain, the date will be moved to Friday.

Administrative Board Meets Sunday, March 18th at 5 p.m.

All members please be present as important administrative business and upcoming events are discussed. Meeting is in the chapel.

Children’s Ministry

This week our kids continue the study of peace in Sunday School and on Wednesdays. We are doing some fun things during the Sunday School hour. We know mornings are busy! In an effort to help you get out the door a little easier, we will provide a light breakfast at 9:20 for the kids. This gives you one less thing to have to juggle on Sunday mornings!

Our Sunday evening adventure for Jesus Crew is TODAY from 5:30-7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. This is a family event for all ages! Grab a friend and join us for yummy dinner, a cute Easter craft, and fun games. When your child brings a friend, they get a surprise!

Palm Sunday, March 25, is packed full for our kids! Our children's choir will sing in the 10:30 a.m. service so invite all your peeps! Our Easter Egg Hunt will immediately follow the Spaghetti Luncheon on Palm Sunday. Be sure to bring your kids so they don't miss out on the fun! Donations of pre-filled eggs are greatly appreciated! You can bring them to Ms. Michelle's office or the main office.

GET AMPED! We are looking for AMAZING volunteers for VBS! Our VBS will be Sunday, June 10—Wednesday, June 13. Dinner served at 5:30 p.m.—program 6:00-8:00 p.m. Whether you prefer to be behind the scenes in decorating or front and center with the kids, we have a place for YOU! You can email me at michelle@firstwetumpka.com or stop by my office to get more details!

Senior Adult News

May 10th we are making plans to go to "Quail Hollow Gardens" in Auburn. There are 3 different tours we can choose to take: (1) Tour of Coach Dye's Japanese Maple Gardens and Nursey including lunch \$25.00, need 25 people to go,(2) Tour of gardens with a guide \$10.00, or (3) tour on your own. They have extended our date to commit to May 1st, but please let me know as soon as you can. Celestra 301-3920.

Put these dates on your calendar: Trip to Nashville Nov 12-16. Make your reservations by June 30th. Deposit is \$75.00; total trip is \$549. We will be in Nashville 5 days and 4 nights. Made checks payable to FUMC, designated to SR ADULTS account. See Sandra Hill for more information or handout giving you detailed information. It's going to be a Fun Time !!!!!

APRIL 17th IS THE NEXT KEENAGE LUNCHEON!!!!!!

Bible Studies each Week

- Join us each **Tuesday for a Bible study** led by Hughett Williams. Study begins at 9:30 a.m. and meets in Wesley Hall.
- Brother Matt began a **NEW CLASS on March 7**—Meet with us Wednesdays at 6 p.m. in the Cornerstone Classroom, 2nd floor of the Education Building. The new study is *“The Wesleyan Way”*.
- **The Gospel According to John Bible Study** meets Wednesdays at 6:15 p.m. in the library.

READ THE BIBLE THROUGH IN ONE YEAR

March

- 12 Reflect on God as Helper
- 13 Deut. 7-8 Ps. 31 Luke 14
- 14 Deut. 9-10 Prov. 31 Luke 15
- 15 Deut. 11-12 Ps. 32 Luke 16
- 16 Deut. 13-14 Eccl. 1:1-11 Luke 17
- 17 Deut. 15-16 Ps. 33 Luke 18
- 18 Deut. 17-18 Eccl. 1:12-18 Luke 19

Sermon Notes

“Abandonment”
Mark 15: 33-34

Prayer List



Mary Ann Pickett, Janet Geddie, Robert Autrey, Vickie Hurst, Belton McCrackin, Ruby Peoples, Connie Mann, Alice Paschal, Donna Lee, Tara Atkins, Wesley Holman, Rebecca Mobley, Hadden Pate, Tracy Patterson, Lisa Andrews, Trevor Johnson, Kellen Kimbrough, Harper Davis, Stanley Phillips, Michael Buntin, Sara Logan, Judy Dudley, Dale Martin, James Edwards, Kay Ewing, Barbie Fowler, Edna Martin, George Dunn, Len Hall, Susan Brown, Pennie Buckelew, Dub Coker, Janice Cash, Sonya Womack, Baker Womack, Peggy McPherson, Anita Bollinger, Walter Houghton, Tammy Albritton, Neal Pridgen, Larry Mann.

Wednesday Night Supper

Full Salad Bar
Dessert



Altar Flowers

Flowers are placed on the Altar this morning to the Glory of God and in loving memory of John T. Andrews by Jeanelle Andrews.

Stewardship Report

March 4, 2018

Offerings

General Fund	\$	19,587.98
Loose Plate	\$	203.00
Other	\$	11,575.06
Total	\$	31,366.04

Attendance

Sunday School—121
8:15 Worship—50 10:30 Worship—146
Hispanic Worship—68

Sunday School Attendance Banner

Joy 100% Effie Taylor 100% Bruce Airey 100% Pairs & Spares 75%

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, Delores Beasley, 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, Justin Edwards, Jerry Potts

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—Jane Salter

Floater—Mardre Williams

Communion Stewards for 8:15 a.m. for April 2018

Felix Dudley, Alt Rick Tyler

Communion Stewards for 10:30 a.m. for April 2018

Marvin Salter, Hughett Williams, Lee Macon



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Wetumpka, Alabama

March 11, 2018
Fourth Sunday in Lent
8:15 & 10:30 AM
Sunday School 9:20 AM

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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.