

Order of Worship
Liturgical Color: Purple

Welcome and Announcements	8:15 John Bush
	10:30 Deanna Nelson
Prelude	Kathy Willis
*Hymn	<i>“To God Be the Glory”</i> 98
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed881
	“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 John Bush
	10:30 Deanna Nelson
Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
The Lord’s Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	<i>“Heaven Came Down”</i> Insert
*Offertory Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
Offertory	
*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	(4 yr. old—6th grade) Michelle Householder
Children’s Church	(4 yr. old—3rd grade) Jane Salter
Anthem	<i>“This Is the Day the Lord Has Made”</i> Chancel Choir
Scripture Reading	8:15 Larry Dozier
	10:30 Celestra Rowell
Sermon	Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn	<i>“A Charge to Keep I Have”</i> 413
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 at 567-7865 or check us out on the web at www.wetumpkafirst.com.

Pictorial pictures begin today for the last names A—I.

Please participate so that our directory will be complete because YOU are in it!

Brother Matt to begin a new Wednesday Night Study on March 13th.

Lent is a time in which we anticipate the victory of the light and life of Christ over the darkness of sin and death. It corresponds to Jesus' time in the Upper Room. This study will help us in times of self-examination, difficulty, and dryness and invite us to make our hearts ready for remembering anew Jesus' death and resurrection. **Class begins Wednesday, March 13th at 6 p.m. upstairs in the Education Building in the Cornerstone Classroom.** Be sure to notify the church office to sign up and reserve your book.

Sisters In Service has determined, by the survey results from February 3, monthly noontime meetings are preferred. However, in order to accommodate those that cannot meet then, we will schedule quarterly meetings in January, April, July, and October. These will be held following a Sunday 10:30 a.m. worship service, in lieu of a monthly meeting, in the Family Life Center. Coffee and a snack will be offered rather than a luncheon. We plan on focusing on one project a quarter and your input is strongly encouraged. We are working on providing childcare for the monthly meetings for those that will need it. Further information will be made available as soon as possible. Thank you for your interest!

Dear Church Family,

It is an honor for me to be a part of such a loving and caring church. Thank you for your prayers, cards, food, visits, and memorials. I want to especially thank our kitchen ministry that blessed my family. You are a true blessing. Fondly,

Rick Beauchamp

*My family and I wish to thank each of you for your expressions of love and support during Dub’s illness and for your sympathy at the time of his death. We were overwhelmed with your prayers, calls, visits, cards, and the abundance of food which was enjoyed by all of us. My heart is full to overflowing. I shall be forever grateful to each of you and pray God’s blessing as you do for others who you did for me. **Asenath Coker***

*Mark your calendars...**Grounds Committee will have a work day on Thursday, April 4 beginning at 8:30 a.m.***

Sr. Adult Ministry

Our Senior Adults are planning a day trip to Priester’s in Ft. Deposit. We are planning on eating somewhere good, and enjoying some places of interest in Greenville. We hope to visit the guy that makes baskets too. Should be a great day of fun and fellowship. **MARK THE DATE – THURSDAY, MARCH 21ST—we are leaving the church at 8:30 a.m.** Call Celestra at 301-3920 to get your name on the list and a ride on the bus..... See you at the bus!!!! Celestra

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY

Hey everybody! **Our next Jesus Crew is TODAY at 5:30 p.m.** Come join us and bring a friend! We are sure to have a good time. The kids have requested pizza (again!) **Our Easter Egg Hunt will be Sunday, April 14** right after the Relay for Life luncheon. You can help by donating pre-filled eggs for our kids to hunt. They can be found at Wal-Mart Amazon, and most drug stores.

Save the date! VBS is Sunday, June 23—Wed, June 26 from 5:30-8:00. Dinner is served 5:30-6:00 with VBS starting at 6:00. Invite your friends! If you would like to serve during VBS, please see Ms. Michelle. We have a place for you behind the scenes or front and center with the kids. Thanks so much!

II36 STUDENT MINISTRY

This month we reflect on how to grow closer to God during the season of Lent, exploring a series together called “Sincerely God” that explains the Bible is so much more than just a book to read. Tonight from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center don’t forget to come be part of an exciting time of food, fun, games, and great conversation.

READ THE BIBLE THROUGH IN ONE YEAR

MARCH		
<input type="checkbox"/> 12	<i>Reflect on God as Helper</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> 13	Deut. 7-8	Ps. 31 Luke 14
<input type="checkbox"/> 14	Deut. 9-10	Prov. 31 Luke 15
<input type="checkbox"/> 15	Deut. 11-12	Ps. 32 Luke 16
<input type="checkbox"/> 16	Deut. 13-14	Eccl. 1:1-11 Luke 17
<input type="checkbox"/> 17	Deut. 15-16	Ps. 33 Luke 18
<input type="checkbox"/> 18	Deut. 17-18	Eccl. 1:12-18 Luke 19

SERMON NOTES

“My Father’s Glory”
John 15:1-8



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, Vickie Hurst, Connie & Larry Mann, Rebecca Mobley, Sara & Harlice Kirby, Dianne Stone, Mary Alice Spears, Buddy Staley, Carli Chavez, Paul Schroeder, Michael Ann Rushing, Helen Rittenour, Bill Arnold, Rueben Pratter, Patti Caskey, John Mann, Ed Williams, Duane Jones, Kathy McFarland, Willard Brown, Billy Ray Daniels, Marie Garito, James Edwards, Donna Hall, Candy Glass’ mother, Elaine Freeman, Shelia Montiel, Debbie Barnes family upon the loss of her sister Peggy Bates, Jimmy Pinkerton.



ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers on the altar are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of my husband, John T. Andrews by Jeanelle Andrews.



Serving Wednesday, March 13

*Country fried steak & gravy
Rice
Lima beans
Roll
Pineapple upside down cake*

“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the Lord Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.” Malachi 3:10

Our Record of Faithfulness and Stewardship

March 3, 2019

Offerings

General Fund	\$ 21,460.00
Loose Plate	\$ 248.25
Other	\$ 2,777.96
Total	\$ 24,486.21

Attendance

Sunday School—110
Worship 8:15— 51 10:30—142
Hispanic Worship—82

Sunday School Attendance Banner

Bruce Airey 100% Eternal Hearts 80%

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

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 2019

Felix Dudley, Rick Tyler, alt.

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

Marvin Salter, Hughett Williams, Lee Macon



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Wetumpka, Alabama

March 10, 2019
First Sunday in Lent
Worship 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.