

READING THE BIBLE THROUGH: October

- 1 Reflect on God's Goodness
- 2 Isaiah 64 Ps. 119:9-16 1 John 2
- 3 Isaiah 65 Ps. 119:17-24 1 John 3
- 4 Isaiah 66 Ps. 119:25-32 1 John 4
- 5 Jer. 1-2 Ps. 119:33-40 1 John 5
- 6 Jer. 3-4 Ps. 119:41-48 2 John
- 7 Jer. 5-6 Ps. 119:49-56 3 John
- 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
- 15 Reflect on God's Generosity
- 16 Jer. 19-20 Ps. 119:105-112 Rev. 6
- 17 Jer. 21-22 Ps. 110:113-120 Rev. 7
- 18 Jer. 23-24 Ps. 119:121-128 Rev. 8
- 19 Jer. 25-26 Prov. 1 Rev. 9
- 20 Jer. 27-28 Ps. 119:129-136 Rev. 10
- 21 Jer. 29-30 Prov. 2 Rev. 11
- 22 Reflect on God's Compassion
- 23 Jer. 31-32 Ps. 119:137-144 Rev. 12
- 24 Jer. 33-34 Prov. 3 Rev. 13
- 25 Jer. 35-36 Ps. 119:145-152 Rev. 14
- 26 Jer. 37-38 Prov. 4 Rev. 15
- 27 Jer. 39-40 Ps. 119:153-160 Rev. 16
- 28 Jer. 41-42 Prov. 5 Rev. 17
- 29 Reflect on God's Wisdom
- 30 Jer. 43-44 Ps. 119:161-168 Rev. 18
- 31 Her. 45-46 Prov. 6 Rev. 19

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First Methodist Church Wetumpka
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October 1, 2023

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Mission Statement:

**Worship Passionately
Love Extravagantly
Witness Boldly**

Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Announcements	Deanna Nelson
Prelude	Kathy Willis
*Hymn <i>“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”</i> (vs. 1,2,3) Pg. 37	
Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles Creed)	Congregation
Children’s Moment <i>(Children remain in the Sanctuary today)</i>	Ms. Michelle
*Doxology <i>(Ushers bring the offering forward)</i>	Congregation
Prayer Concerns	Rev. Matt Albritton
Lord’s Prayer	Rev. Matt Albritton
Anthem <i>“Goodbye, World Goodbye”</i>	Chancel Choir
Scripture Ezekiel 34: 1-15	Rev. Matt Albritton
Sermon The Lord is My Shepherd	Rev. Matt Albritton
Holy Communion	Congregation
*Hymn <i>“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”</i> (vs. 1,2,4) Pg. 130	
Postlude	Kathy Willis

**Please stand as you are able*



PRAYER CONCERNS:

Diane & Rick Tyler	Kim Cossey	Ernie Swafford
John & Scarlotte Holmes	Grady (Brother) Rowell	
Larry & Connie Mann	Geraldine Perkins	
John & Dee Mann	Walter Albritton	
Robert & Mary Ann Pickett	Patricia Couch	
Steven Colquitt	Courtney James	Wayne Parker



ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4 at 6 P.M. in the FLC...

Don't miss this amazing opportunity to hear missionaries to Africa and long-time friends of the Albritton Family, Dr. Rev. Alfred and Muumbe Kalembo speak.

Here's what our fabulous kitchen crew is serving on October 4:

Ham, baked sweet potatoes, green beans, pear salad and dessert.

✦ LAY LEADERSHIP MEETING—Sunday, October 8 at 2 p.m.

Keenagers...Mark your calendars now for our next great luncheon!!!
Tuesday, October 10 at noon in our FLC—it's a Hobo Luncheon and will be catered by the Elmore County Cattlemen's Association so you know it will be good. How fun it will be to dress like a hobo!
Please sign up so we will know how many to plan for. You know Gloria has lots of surprises planned. Don't miss it!!!
Needed: Empty 15 ounce cans with the labels.

Would you consider offering your time to help in organizing our NEW Church Library? Our library crew is hard at work but they could use some extra helping hands. Contact the church office if you're interested. Appropriate donated books are welcome!

***Thank You** to all of our church family for your prayers, phone calls, cards, texts and many acts of kindness during my health journey. Thankyou for your continued prayers as testing is still being done.
John & Scarlotte Holmes*