

READING THE BIBLE THROUGH: October



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| 1 Malachi 1 – 4 | 17 Mark 10 – 11 |
| 2 Matthew 1 – 4 | 18 Mark 12 – 13 |
| 3 Matthew 5 – 6 | 19 Mark 14 |
| 4 Matthew 7 – 9 | 20 Mark 15 – 16 |
| 5 Matthew 10 – 11 | 21 Luke 1 – 2 |
| 6 Matthew 12 – 13 | 22 Luke 3 – 4 |
| 7 Matthew 14 – 17 | 23 Luke 5 – 6 |
| 8 Matthew 18 – 20 | 24 Luke 7 – 8 |
| 9 Matthew 21 – 22 | 25 Luke 9 – 10 |
| 10 Matthew 23 – 24 | 26 Luke 11 – 12 |
| 11 Matthew 25 – 26 | 27 Luke 13 – 15 |
| 12 Matthew 27 – 28 | 28 Luke 16 – 18 |
| 13 Mark 1 – 3 | 29 Luke 19 – 20 |
| 14 Mark 4 – 5 | 30 Luke 21 – 22 |
| 15 Mark 6 – 7 | 31 Luke 23 – 24 |
| 16 Mark 8 – 9 | |



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Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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Mission Statement:

Worship Passionately
Love Extravagantly
Witness Boldly

Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Announcements	Deanna Nelson
Prelude	Kathy Willis
*Hymn	<i>"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" (vs. 1,2)</i> Pg. 8
Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles' Creed)	Congregation
Children's Moment	Mrs. Ashley
	<i>(Children will exit for Children's Church today)</i>
*Doxology (<i>Ushers bring the offering forward</i>)	Congregation
Prayer Concerns	Deanna Nelson
Lord's Prayer	Rev. John Ed Mathison
Anthem	A Sunday School Celebration Chancel Choir
Scripture	Acts 2: 42-47 Rev. John Ed Mathison
Sermon	Becoming An Awe-full Church Rev. John Ed Mathison
*Hymn	<i>"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine" (vs. 1,3)</i> Pg. 570
Postlude	Kathy Willis

**Please stand as you are able.*

*The beautiful flowers are placed on the alter today
to the glory of God and in memory
of Tom Deese's October 13th birthday
by his daughters Jennifer & Christy and Debbie Callahan.*

PRAYER CONCERNS:

J.D. Hobbie Greg Willis Cathy Wilson Donnie West
Baker Callahan Leslie Rider Nancy Holdbrooks
Duncan Jennings Kathy Hooper Thurman Smith Sherri Jenkins
Ann Lambert & Family Jamie (Sanford & Malinda Brannan's son)
Our military deployed: Kirsten Marco & Alexis Gissendanner



ANNOUNCEMENTS

KEENAGERS—THIS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14—don't forget to sign up for OUR ROAD TRIP TO PRATTVILLE!!! We will enjoy a great time of food and fellowship at Epicure and Jack's Tavern. The bus will leave at 10:30 a. m. so don't be late. **Look for the signup sheets in Wesley Hall and the table at the stairwell to our FLC.** Don't forget to let Gloria know if you are planning to meet the group there, so she can plan accordingly.

THIS COMING SATURDAY! Trails Temple Ministry— Fall Trail Walk at Jordan's Journey (*trail head at state docks on Lake Jordan, just past Swayback Trail head, on the left*) **on Saturday, October 18th!** **We will gather at 9 a.m. at Jordan's Journey or follow Brother Matt from the church at 8:30 a.m.** New friends are welcome!

NEXT SUNDAY—OUR COMMUNITY FALL FESTIVAL!!!! Look at your insert and watch for emails with more exciting details. Everyone (ALL AGES!) is encouraged to come and participate! And you don't want to miss the adult, teen, and children's costume contest!

WEDNESDAYS at FMCW:

Come early for Bible study and enjoy a meal from 5:15—6 p.m. or just come enjoy a fantastic meal and fellowship!

Wednesday's yummy menu: Lasagna, salad, bread and dessert.

SIS (Sisters in Service) are once again collecting 2026 calendars that you don't have need of. They will be gifted to our local assisted living and rehabilitation centers. Please drop those off near the church office in the basket underneath the table going into the church office. **THANK YOU!**



Please take note: The church offices will be closed this Monday, October 13.