

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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Seventeenth 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>"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"</i> (vs. 1,2,3) Pg. 36
Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles' Creed)	Congregation
Children's Moment	Mrs. Ashley
	<i>(Children will remain in the Sanctuary today)</i>
*Doxology	<i>(Ushers bring the offering forward)</i> Congregation
Prayer Concerns	Deanna Nelson
Lord's Prayer	Rev. Jim Reece
Anthem	<i>"Holy Ground"</i> Chancel Choir
Scripture	Luke 23:32-43 Rev. Jim Reece
Sermon	"Three Men, Three Crosses" Rev. Jim Reece
Communion	Congregation
*Hymn	<i>"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"</i> (vs. 1,2) Pg. 351
Postlude	Kathy Willis

**Please stand as you are able.*



PRAYER CONCERNS:

Bill Lambert J.D. Hobbie Jackie Voss Greg Willis
Cathy Wilson Baker Callahan Leslie Rider Nancy Holdbrooks
Duncan Jennings Kathy Hooper Donnie West Thurman Smith
Cheri Jenkins
Our military deployed: Kirsten Marco & Alexis Gissendanner



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please take note: Brother Matt and Tammy will be on vacation through October 12. Please allow the church office to help you with any needs/requests you might have so that they can relax on their time away.

KEENAGERS—Coming soon! OUR ROAD TRIP TO PRATTVILLE ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14!!! 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.

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!

October is full of Children and Youth activities! Make sure you sign up to receive notifications of each event! **Email Ashley@wetumpkafirst.com or Jamie@wetumpkafirst.com for more information.** Check out today's insert for information about our upcoming Community Fall Festival!

WEDNESDAYS at FMCW:

Chair Yoga Class from 9—10 a.m. in Wesley Hall. Wednesday Afternoon Activities for the whole family! Come early for Bible study and enjoy a meal from 5:15—6 p.m. or just come to fellowship! **Wednesday's yummy menu:** *Chicken tenders, mac and cheese, green beans and dessert.*



Congratulations to Tucker and Andrea Glenn who were married on September 27th!