



We are delighted you are here!

If you would like to join our church family this morning, please come forward at the end of the service. For more information about joining, please contact Rev. Lucas Tribble at ltribble@fumcmontgomery.org.

LITURGICAL SEASON: THE SEASON AFTER EPIPHANY

The Season after Epiphany is a season of Ordinary Time, which includes four to nine Sundays, depending on the date of Easter. The main focus of this season is the calling of the disciples and the early ministry of Jesus. The liturgical color is green.

IN MEMORY OF

Sara Darden Praytor

*Mr. & Mrs. Bill Dunaway; Dr. & Mrs. Mike Bentley;
Mr. & Mrs. John Yelverton, Jr.; Mark Harris*

Caro Louise Jehle

*ECDC: Claire Smith;
Memorial Fund: Mr. and Mrs. John Yelverton, Jr.*

Georganne Schwend Newman

Respite Ministry: Claire Smith, NLR-BB DBA National Land Realty

John "J" Edwin Shanahan, Jr.

Memorial Fund: Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wallis

John Pios Newman

Music Ministry: Claire Smith

Harvey E. "Sonny" Cauthen

Cathedral Builders: Claire Smith; Memorial Fund: Dr. and Mrs. Steven Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Green, New Room Sunday School Class, Dr. William Bridger, Mr. Johnny Goff

Samuel Wayne Shannon

Cathedral Builders: Claire Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Cone, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Norman; Memorial Fund: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Coker, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunaway, Mr. and Mrs. John Yelverton, Jr.

Emilie Deloison Lewis Lamar

Memorial Fund: Mr. and Mrs. John Yelverton, Jr.

William Gerald Watson

Respite Ministry: Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jackson

Annette Lorraine Porter

*Children's Ministry: Claire Smith, Mrs. Carol Thomas;
Cathedral Builders: Mr. and Mrs. Phil Butler*

William Henry Brittain, II

Memorial Fund: Phil Adams and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cato, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lee, Mr. and Mrs. James Brittain, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Lane; Cathedral Builders: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Norman, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Brooks; Respite Ministry: Libba Trawick, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker

Linda Hall Jordan

Cathedral Builders: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Norman

Clifford Anderson Lanier, Jr

Respite Ministry: Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Rawlings, Sarah L. Chandler, Dr. William Bridger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young

AROUND THE CONGREGATION

IN MEMORIAM

Sara Darden Praytor
January 28, 2020

BIRTH

Simmons Leigh Murphy
*Daughter of Matthew and Leigh Murphy
January 27, 2020*

BAPTISM

Cooper Michael Pair
*Son of Tyler and Sarah Pair
February 2, 2020*

NEW MEMBERS

Ann Easley

Ann joins us by transfer of membership from Episcopal Church of the Epiphany in Tallassee, Alabama. She is a secretary at Beasley Allen Law Firm.

Frank, Robin, Katy, Ella Grace, Gabriel and Amelia Pass

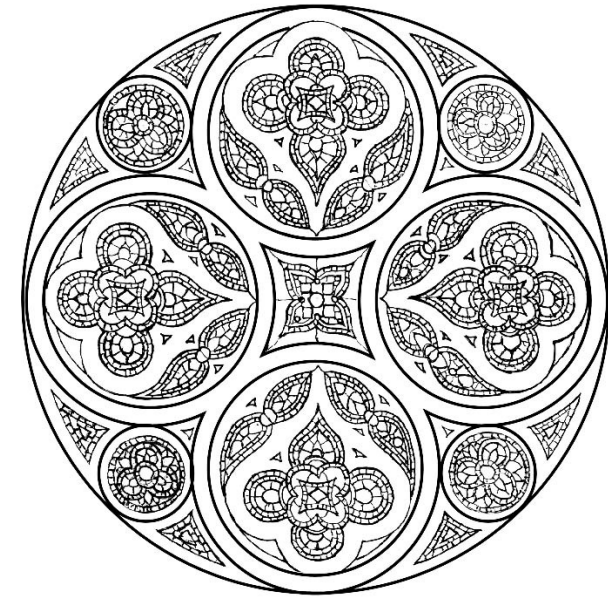
The Pass family join us by transfer of membership from a local congregation. Frank is a mission trip coordinator with Go Be Love and Robin is a sign language interpreter.

Robert, Whitley, and Ava Jo Gardner

The Gardners join us by transfer from another denomination. Robert works with Gardner Flooring and Design and Whitley is a stay at home mom to their daughter, Ava Jo.

Russell Bush

Russell joins us by transfer of membership from Coastal Church in Daphne, Alabama. Russell is the head of the sound department at Alabama Shakespeare Festival.



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

a Stephen Ministry Congregation

**FEBRUARY 9, 2020
YOUTH SUNDAY**

*Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*

Reverend Jay D. Cooper

Senior Minister

Reverend Lucas S. Tribble

Associate Minister

Reverend Gillian L. Walters

Associate Minister

Reverend G. Charles Kendall

Associate Minister

Reverend Ben A. McDavid

Associate Minister

Dr. C. Jason Borders

Theologian in Residence

Dr. Karl K. Stegall

Pastor Emeritus

Bishop David W. Graves

Bishop Alabama-West Florida Conference

Dr. James H. Seay

Director of Music

Reverend R. Allen Newton

District Superintendent
Montgomery-Prattville District

Dr. Joshua H. Coble

Organist/Assistant Director of Music

Wednesday Night Chapel and Holy Communion | February 12

Diana Abernethy | 5:30 p.m. | Duffey Chapel

If you are in need of a minister after hours or on weekends, please contact pastoralcare@fumcmontgomery.org.

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2416 West Cloverdale Park | Montgomery, Alabama 36106

MORNING WORSHIP

LITURGICAL COLOR: GREEN

Prelude *In dir ist Freude* J.S. Bach

Welcome and Parish Notices Rev. Jay D. Cooper

Chiming of the Trinity
The three chimes signify the presence of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

Introit *O Worship the Lord* arr. Hal Hopson

***Processional Hymn** *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* 57

***Call to Worship** (8:45) Sarah Beth Carter, 6th Grade
(11:00) Matthew Worthington, 7th Grade

Leader: The Lord will guide you continually,
People: And satisfy our needs in parched places!
Leader: You shall be like a watered garden,
People: Like a spring of water, whose waters never fail.

***Invocation**
Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Leader: Let us pray together.
All: O God of light, your searching Spirit reveals and illumines your presence in creation. Shine your radiant holiness into our lives, that we may offer our hands and hearts to your work: to heal and shelter, to feed and clothe, to break every yoke and silence evil tongues. Amen.

***Affirmation of Faith** 881

The Apostles' Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge
the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Gloria Patri**

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.*

(11:00) **Sacrament of Baptism** Aiya Afton Curry
Daughter of Lyle Curry and Jeremy Adams

Act of Praise *Ubi Caritas* arr. Victor Johnson
Youth Choir
Meg Griffin, Youth Choir Director
*Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est. Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor. Exsultemus et in ipso jucundemur.
Et ex corde diligamos nos sincero.*
*Where there is charity and love, God is there. The love of Christ has gathered us together: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
And from a sincere heart let us love one another.*

Concerns of a Caring Fellowship (8:45) Ann Jordan Williams, 12th Grade
(11:00) Theo Sours, 7th Grade

***Preparation for Prayer** *Bow Down Thine Ear, O Lord* arr. Hal Hopson

***Morning Prayer** (8:45) Ann Jordan Williams, 12th Grade
(11:00) Theo Sours, 7th Grade

***The Lord's Prayer**
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory. Forever. Amen.

Offertory *He Knows My Name* arr. Joe Van Gilder
Youth Choir
Margaret Chandler, Soloist
Meg Griffin, Youth Choir Director
I have a Maker, he formed my heart. Before even time began, my life was in His hand. He knows my name, He knows my every thought. He sees each tear that falls, and hears me when I call. I have a Father, He calls me His own. He'll never leave me, no matter where I go.

Presentation of the Tithes and Offerings

Doxology 95
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

Children's Minute Ainsley Klein, 10th Grade
Elizabeth Albrecht, 11th Grade
Children ages three through first grade will be escorted to Children's Church. Visitors are welcome to accompany their children. Children can be picked up at the close of worship in Room 114 of the Children's Building.

Scripture Lesson

Sermon Margaret Chandler, 12th Grade
Prather Anne Hargrove, 12th Grade

Invitation to Christian Discipleship
Those desiring to unite with the church, either by profession of faith or by transfer of membership, are invited to join the ministers at the chancel rail during the singing of the first stanza of the Hymn of Invitation.

***Hymn of Invitation** *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* 206

***Benediction** (8:45) Elizabeth Klein, 12th Grade
(11:00) Judson Lindsey, 10th Grade

***Benediction Response** *Our Father* arr. Mark Miller

***Postlude** *Toccata on "How Firm a Foundation"* Claude Murphree
After the service, please turn and greet those nearest you.

**Please stand as you are able.*

The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Marjorie Stillwagen, Jean Rodgers, Bebe Slater, and Jo Anne Hinson by Thomas P. McCabe, Jr.

The font flowers are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the baptism of Aiya Afton Curry by her family.