

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

PLUG-IN AND RECHARGE! SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE CAMPAIGN

Let's all do our part to reach the January attendance goal of 700. The campaign includes all ages - children, youth, and adults! Attendance is measured by percentages and highest number. We will be looking for you!

CHILDREN'S BIBLE CONFERENCE

Sunday, February 10 | 4:00 - 6:45 p.m.

MARK YOUR 2019 CALENDAR

Vacation Bible School | June 10 - 14
Camp Lee | July 24 - 27 | Grades 3 - 5

WEDNESDAYS AT FUMC

Children's Choirs - 6:00 p.m. - all invited! (ages 3 - 5th grade)
Summit Kids Xtreme - 6:40-7:10 p.m. (K - 5th grade)

*Following choir practice, teachers lead kindergarten through 5th grade children to the gym for Summit Kids, where the Bible comes to life!

YOUTH MINISTRY

YOUTH SUNDAY | TODAY

We appreciate all of the youth who volunteered to be a part of both services on this special day. We have greeters, ushers, readers and even a couple who are preaching.

SUNDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES | JANUARY 27

We will finish our series on "Selfies." We are learning that we do not need to always make ourselves the center of attention. At 6:30 p.m. we will move to the lounge for a Zaxby's dinner. Bring \$5.00.

COSTA RICA

The second payment of \$300 is due NOW. A total amount of \$800 is due by the end of January.

GET CONNECTED

Make sure to follow us on our social media accounts for updates on upcoming events and pictures of past events!



New Members

Bucky Henson

Bucky comes to us by profession of faith, and works at Land & Timber.

Chip, Emily, Sarah Kate, & Benjamin Barton

The Bartons join us from St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Tuscon, Arizona. Chip is in the Air Force and Emily is a Parent to Parent Educator with the Military Child Education Coalition. Sarah Kate is in the 9th grade and Benjamin is in the 7th grade at a local school.

In Memoriam

Marilyn Perkins Zeigler

January 17, 2019

RESPIRE TRAINING

The next Respite volunteer training will be Tuesday, February 5 from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the youth lounge. Please contact Daphne Johnston if you are interested at djohnston@fumcmontgomery.org.

FIRST SCHOOL REGISTRATION

First School will be enrolling for the 2019-2020 school year soon. Please call Beth Mantooth, (334) 481-0413, for more information.

OXYGEN MINISTRY UPCOMING HIKES

Registration information can be found on the website.
Saturday, February 9 | Swayback Bridge - Wetumpka, Alabama
Saturday, March 30 | Jackson Lake - Millbrook, Alabama
Saturday, April 27 | AUM Trails - Montgomery, Alabama
Saturday, May 18 | Flagg Mountain - Weogufka, Alabama

Lectionary Readings for Sunday, February 3, 2019

Jeremiah 1:4-10 | 1 Corinthians 13:1-13
Luke 4:21-30 | Psalm 71:1-6

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT FUMC MONTGOMERY

We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us today. If you are visiting, we hope you will consider becoming a member of our church either by profession of faith or transfer of church membership. To join, please come forward at the end of the service, indicating your desire, or for more information about joining our church family, please contact Rev. Gillian L. Walters at (334) 834-8990 or GLWalters@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.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Wednesday, January 30, 2019 | 4:30-6:30 p.m. | Fellowship Hall | Adults: \$6 | Youth: \$5 | Children: \$3 | Family Maximum: \$17

Poppysed Chicken | Rice | Green Beans | Rolls | Spinach and Strawberry Salad | Salad Bar | Potato Bar | Chicken Fingers | Fresh Fruits | Desserts | Mint Chocolate Chip Ice Cream

AROUND THE CONGREGATION

To learn more, or to sign-up for the below events, please visit www.fumcmontgomery.org/events.

POVERTY SIMULATION

Tuesday, January 29 | 1:00-3:30 p.m. | Fellowship Hall

Alabama is the sixth poorest state in the nation, and more than 800,000 of our neighbors live below the federal poverty line. To create a broader awareness of the realities of poverty, we will be hosting a Poverty Simulation exercise on campus, in partnership with Alabama Possible. Be sure to sign up online by Monday, January 28.

FIGHTING THE OPIOID CRISIS

Wednesday, January 30 | 6:30 p.m. | Epworth Room

Come and hear Alabama Attorney General Steve Marshall discuss the opioid crisis we face as a state and nation, and what governmental authorities are doing to address this epidemic.

BIBLE CONFERENCE

Sunday, February 10 | Guest Speaker Rev. Wesley Wachob of FUMC, Pensacola

Join us as we reflect on the Book of James at our annual Bible Conference.

Itinerary is as follows:

Session 1: 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

Session 2: 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Session 3: 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Dinner and Q&A: 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Stay tuned for registration information.

PANCAKES WITH PASTORS FUNDRAISER

Saturday, February 2 | 8:00-10:00 a.m. | Applebee's, Atlanta Highway | \$5

Please join Bishop David Graves, Rev. Gillian Walters and Rev. Lucas Tribble for Pancakes with Pastors. They will be serving as waiters during this event, which is a fundraiser for Montgomery Communities of Transformation. Tickets are \$5 each and are available for purchase at the FUMC Reception Desk, or at the door. Montgomery Communities of Transformation is a ministry that helps struggling families in our community move from surviving to thriving.

FUMC BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, February 12 | 11:00 a.m. | Wesley Hall Room 206

Pick up a copy of "Fly Girls," by Keith O'Brien, and join us for some lively debate at this month's meeting. For more information, please contact Kate Blanton at kdutreil@yahoo.com.

TABLES OF 8

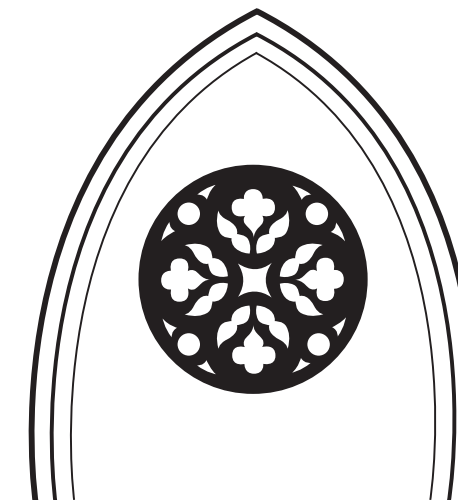
Love good food and fellowship? The 2019 first session of Tables of 8 will begin in February. All are welcome! You do not have to host to take part. Please see the sign up information on the [home page](#) of the website, or email Kate Wheaton at kwheaton@fumcmontgomery.org.

190TH ANNIVERSARY ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEWS

The Work Area on Archives and History is inviting church members for interviews and round table discussions to celebrate the 190th anniversary of the founding of First Church. We especially invite individuals who joined the church at least fifty years ago (1969 or before). To participate in this project, please email the Work Area on Archives and History at 190thanniv@gmail.com.

HURRICANE RELIEF TRIPS

Join us as we head to the coast to help with continued hurricane relief! We will be traveling to Marianna on February 7-10, and housing will be available at Graceville UMC. We will be traveling to Panama City on February 15-27, and housing will be available at the home of a church member. For more information or to sign up, please contact Claire Smith at csmith@fumcmontgomery.org.



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

a Stephen Ministry congregation

— JANUARY 27, 2019 —

— YOUTH SUNDAY —

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

Dr. Jeremy K. Pridgeon
Senior Minister

Reverend Gillian L. Walters
Associate Minister

Reverend Lucas S. Tribble
Associate Minister

Reverend Ben A. McDavid
Associate Minister

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Associate Minister

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Dr. James H. Seay
Director of Music

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MORNING WORSHIP

JANUARY 27, 2019

YOUTH SUNDAY

EIGHT FORTY-FIVE AND ELEVEN O’CLOCK

LITURGICAL COLOR: GREEN

Prelude Percy Whitlock

Folk Tune

Welcome and Parish Notices Mrs. Caitlin Eiland, Youth Director

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

Introit *Make a Joyful Noise* arr. Paul Sjolund

*Processional Hymn *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* 139

*Call to Worship (8:45) Russell Hughes
(11:00) Karlson Haynes

Leader: Jesus called little ones to show the way to the kingdom!

People: Jesus called a teenager to feed the hungry!

Leader: Jesus called John into the desert ahead of him!

People: Jesus called fishermen to a new occupation!

Leader: Jesus called Nathanael to come and see a new way!

People: Jesus called a young man to rise from death!

Leader: Jesus called a 12 year old girl to get up and live!

People: Jesus called young women, despised and rejected, to be in his company!

Leader : Jesus calls us all, young and old, to worship and praise his name.

*Invocation

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray together.

All: Here we are Lord! We come from the hubbub of our work and play, from the hue and cry of the world around us.

We come to worship you. In this hour, we long to meet you, to feel your presence surrounding us, enveloping us, loving us. We long to settle into silence, laying aside our worries and our cares, aware of your presence around us, before us, behind us, within us. Come, Lord Jesus. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith (8:45) Matt Cone
(11:00) Thompson McNees

The Apostles’ Creed 881
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 Meineke
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.

Act of Praise *Bonse Aba* arr. Andrew Fischer
All that sing have the right to be called children of God.
(Traditional Zambian song)
Youth Choir
Carlyle Chandler, Sadie Sease, and Chandler Brazil, Soloists
Meg Griffin, Youth Choir Director

Responsive Reading (8:45) Charlie Franklin
(11:00) Theo Sours
Psalm 71 794

Concerns of a Caring Fellowship Dr. Jeremy K. Pridgeon

Preparation for Prayer 393
Spirit of the Living God
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Pastoral Prayer (8:45) Elizabeth Albrecht
(11:00) Ellie Gilmore

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 *Didn’t My Lord Deliver Daniel?* arr. Greg Gilpin
Youth Choir

Didn’t my Lord deliver Daniel, then why not every man? He delivered Daniel from the lion’s den, Jonah from the belly of the whale, and the Hebrew children from the fiery furnace, then why not every man? The wind blows east, the wind blows west. It blows like the judgement day. And every poor soul that never did pray will be glad to pray that day. I set my foot on the Gospel ship, and the ship, it began to sail. It landed me over on Canaan’s shore, and I’ll never come back anymore. Didn’t my Lord deliver Daniel, then why not every man?

*Presentation of 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.*

*Prayer for Our Nation
*Our Fathers’ God, to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing;
long may our land be bright with freedom’s holy light;
protect us by thy might, great God, our King.*

Children’s Minute (8:45) Hannah Hale, Virginia and Will Driver
(11:00) Claire Moore and Lela Davidson

Children ages three through first grade will be escorted to Children’s Church.
Visitors are welcome to accompany their children.

*Hymn of Preparation FWS 2172

We Are Called



1. Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the
2. Come! O-pen your heart! Show your mer-cy to all those in
3. Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be



Lord! We are called to be light for the king-dom, to live in the
fear! We are called to be hope for the hope-less so all ha-tred and
one! God will reign, and we’ll walk with each oth-er as sis-ters and



free-dom of the city of God.
blindness will be no more! We are called to act with justice, we are
brothers u-nited in love!



called to love ten-der-ly, we are called to serve one an-other, to



walk hum-bly with God!

The Faith We Sing 2172

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Scripture Reading Exodus 17:8-16
James 1:2-4

*Sermon Trey Lindsey
Roma Pirnie

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 *Here I Am, Lord* 593

*Benediction (8:45) Bailey Blake
(11:00) Elizabeth Klein

*Benediction Response *Our Father* arr. Mark Miller

*Postlude *Trumpet Voluntary* John Stanley

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 loving memory of
Roger Walter Condon III by Michelle Condon and Jack Condon.