

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Our hearts, our minds, and our doors are always open.

ORDER OF WORSHIP OF GOD

We are so glad you are here to worship today.

WELCOME & GATHERING

CENTERING SONG

Fly Away

PASTORAL PRAYER

MEDITATION SONG

In This Very Room

SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 1: 3-14

SERMON

“Grace Beyond All Understanding”
Pastor William

REFLECTION SONG

Softly and Tenderly Just As I Am

BENEDICTION & SENDING FORTH



SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 1: 3-14

³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, ⁴ just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. ⁵ He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, ⁶ to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. ⁷ In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace ⁸ that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight ⁹ he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, ¹⁰ as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. ¹¹ In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, ¹² so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. ¹³ In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; ¹⁴ this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God’s own people, to the praise of his glory.



CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

FUMC will continue to hold in-person services following established safety protocols as well as online services via the church's Facebook page for those who wish to remain at home. As always, services will start at 10:00 am.

Join Pastor William for a time of devotion in God's Word and prayer every Wednesday morning at 9:00 am on Facebook. He is continuing his study and time in the Book of Psalms. Join us live, watch later on the recording, and share with others!

If you would like a name added to the prayer list please notify the church office at 919-742-2722.

First UMC is partnering with SNACK again this summer. Contact Bob Andrews or Jane Butler if you would like to help with this worthy community project. We will distribute food on Wednesday's from 6-7:30pm. Our summer SNACK dates are July 14 & 28, and August 11. Go ahead and mark your calendars.

There will be a choir interest meeting following the church service in the sanctuary on July 18th in preparation of restarting our choir ministry. All those interested are welcome to attend.

PRAYER REQUEST

Jane Farmer	Jean Andrews
Rachel Boone	The family of Phroneyn Davidson
Eunice Terry	Carol Davidson
Betty Pollock	Ted Kale
Alex Daniels, US Navy	Paulette & Earl McLaurin
Bob & Anne Frickey	Norma Sabiston
Elizabeth Meadows	The family of Carol Burk
Olivia Diamant	The family of Shirley Smith Lucas
Suzie Marcle	
Marjorie Stackhouse	
Ruby Holt	
Janice Poston	
Those affected by COVID-19	
Louise Adcock	
Michael DeAngelo	



<i>Last Sunday</i>	
In-Person Attendance	38
Online Attendance	NA
Offering	\$4,920.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 12th	Threads of Faith meet from 10:30am to 12pm
July 12th	Finance Committee meeting at 7:30pm
July 13th	Handbell Practice at 7pm and Choir Practice at 7:30pm
July 14th	Midweek online devotion at 9am
July 14th	SNACK program meets from 6-7:30pm
July 18th	Music ministry meeting after church service
July 20th	Handbell Practice at 7pm and Choir Practice at 7:30pm
July 21st	Midweek online devotion at 9am
July 26th	Threads of Faith meet from 10:30am to 12pm
July 27th	Handbell Practice at 7pm and Choir Practice at 7:30pm
July 28th	SNACK program meets from 6-7:30pm
July 28th	Midweek online devotion at 9am

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