

First United Methodist Church

8:30 Worship

April 15, 2018 - Third Sunday of Easter - Color: White

Piano Gathering *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* R. Prichard

Welcome Rev. Dave Barkalow

Announcements Cathy Wyant
Director of Children's Ministries

Organ Prelude *Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts* T. Matthews

Call to Worship Sing, Praise, and Bless the Lord J. Berthier

Hymn *O for a Thousand Tongues* No. 57

Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* No. 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.

Moment of Fellowship

Song of Blessing and Peace *Come and Fill* J. Berthier

Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You alone, O Lord, are Holy.

Come and fill our hearts with your peace, alleluia.

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Anthem *Beautiful Savior* D. Allen

Prayers of Intercession Cathy Wyant

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory Prayer / Offering Usher

Offertory *Isn't He Beautiful* M. Hayes

Offering Response *Doxology* No. 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below, Praise God above, you heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. 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. Amen.

Hymn *'Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus* No. 462

Scripture Reading John 20:19-31

Sermon "Beloved Doubter" Rev. Barkalow

Hymn of Response *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go* No. 480

Benediction Rev. Barkalow

Benediction Response *Shine, Jesus, Shine* G. Kendrick

**Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory,
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire;
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy,
Send forth Your Word, Lord And let there be light.**

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Organ Postlude *Love Lifted Me* Rowe / Smith

Grow: Have you ever doubted something about our beliefs?

How did you resolve your doubt?

Do you have current doubts? Why?

Pray: Ask God to help you with your doubts. Ask God to help you be the answer to other's doubts.

Study: For our Beloved series, we are going to read the writings of John together, beginning with the Gospel of John.

Monday: John 5

Tuesday: John 6:1-40

Wednesday: John 6:41-71

Thursday: John 7

Friday: John 8:1-30

Saturday: John 8:31-59



Life Together Wednesday Dinner

Join us for a delicious meal from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. The youth will meet for small groups and the children will meet for children's activities.

Dinner: 5:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall (serving 5:00–5:45 p.m.)

Cost: \$6 for adults (6th grade & older), \$4 for children (5th grade & younger), \$20 maximum family cost

Menu: Pulled pork, potato salad, baked beans, and brownies for dessert.

Alternative Menu: chicken fingers and mac & cheese

RSVP on the connect card, online, or call Ann-Marie by Tuesday at 12:00 p.m.

New and Continuing Life Together Studies Start April 11

Book of 1 John - NEW

Wednesday at 6:00PM (Fellowship Hall)

No cost, bring your Bible 6 sessions

Facilitator: Maggie Courtney

Faith Sharing

Wednesday at 6:00PM (Room B110)

No cost 6 sessions

Facilitators: Chris Krol and Jimmy Whited

Sewing Circle—Beginning in May

We will be sewing dresses and other items for the Christmas shoe boxes. You don't need to know how to sew to participate. We need people to iron, cut fabric, assemble sewing kits and more. We will meet every Tuesday starting May 1st at 10:00 a.m. in G123. We are in need of fabric, thread, buttons, embroidery thread and anything that can make a sewing kit. Please contact Jan Zlata for more information at 543-8350.

Opportunity Place Meal Volunteers

On the fourth Monday of each month, an individual, family, or class from FWB-FUMC is responsible for preparing and taking dinner to Opportunity Place. Opportunity Place is an emergency shelter for families with children and single women. If your Sunday school class, Bible study, or group of friends would like to prepare and take a meal, please contact Denise Whited adults@fumcfwb.org, or you can sign up on the back of the connect card. The church kitchen is available for the cooking of the meal as well. *Dates Available: April 23, May 28th.*

Volunteer Appreciation Reception

You are invited to a Volunteer Appreciation Reception on Sunday, May 6 from 9:30AM to 10:30AM in the courtyard. Please come by for some yummy treats and let us express our sincere thanks for all you do for God and our church family! *Food and drinks provided by FUMC staff.*

Congregational Cares and Concerns

*Duane Barber
*Donna Bennison@
*Artie Blontz
*Marla Blontz
*Joy Brown
*Denise Chipley
*Ralph Duncan @
*Becky Edge
*Dorothy Frangioni @
*Neil Gates
*Jane Greene
*Foie Hicks @
*Annie Johnson @
*Judy Klug
*Ellen Lancaster @
*Joseph Lorenz
*Ernie Masters
*Frankie Middleton @
*Victoria Palmer
*Mary Pope
*Betty Rivers
*Pat Robertson @
*Diana Salmon
*David Selwyn
*Garlena Smith @
*Jean Smither @
*Lon and Margaret Spivey @
*Larry and Suann Thrall
*Bill Todd
*Ira Tryon
*Helen Turner @
*Aubrey Vaughn
*June Walker
*Violet Webster
*Kathleen Wetzel
*Gary Ziegler
Dave Anderson (Lily Revette)
Gail Barber (Duane & Aurine Barber)
Gary Barrios (Ann-Marie Rider)
Robert Bisanar (Lily Revette)
Joey Brigman(The Betancourt's)
Bob & Laurie Jo Bryant (Doug Wagner)
Gloria Carter (Delores Wernet)
Jackie Chambers (Steve Chambers' mother)
Ruby Delaney (Lorenz family)
Pam Dixon (Gail Polomski)
David Doolin (Bill Doolin)
Dr. Michael Given (Joe Bruner)
Molly Gragg (Bill Doolin)
Teresa Graham (Suzi Deskins)
Judy H. & family (Suzi Deskins)
Robert Hutchinson (Joe Bruner)
Kaytlin Jackson (illene Baileya0
Ruth Ann & John Jay (Caren Davis)
Keiko Jones (Ken Jones)

Gina Lallone (Ann-Marie Rider)
Hannah Lillie (Carter & Carol Zorn)
Nancy Morrison (Dick Nieber)
Mother (Sydney Rollins)
Jim Mueller (Richard & Stephanie Prine)
Charlie Niel (Rev. Dave Barkalow)
Art and Faye Norton (Wes Norton)
Parents (Teresa Groat)
JoAnn Parish (Tom & Jenna Hood)
Jacque Phillips (Jim and Jacque Ifland)
Paul and Jan Piland (Billie Howell)
Harold Ramsey (Quinn's brother-in-law)
Jerry Ramsey (Kathleen Wetzel)
Clayton Redmon (Redmon & McGrail family)
Ariel Roberts (Aubrey & Brandi Vaughn)
Mark Rollins (Bobby Rollins)
Denise Stanley (Earl & Lizz Stanley)
Dr. Chris Talley (The Arrowsmith's)
Mattie Trigg (Brian Trigg)
Kristen Troutt (The Gosnell's)
Nicholas Witgerder (Dick Nieber)
Karen Wetzel (Kathleen Wetzel)
Jenny Wilde (The Risalvato's)

Unspoken Prayer Requests
Our Leaders, Military and Country
Our Law Enforcement Officers
Firefighters / First Responders

Belvedere Commons

*Mary Lou Goodman @
*Jean Kendall @
*Jean Langham @
*Margaret Worrall @

Brookdale Bluewater Bay

*Lea Raimey @
*Annette Register @

Sterling House

*Sybil Fikes @

FWB Rehab. Center

*Mazie Glover
*Ruby Wells @

The Meridian at Westwood

Ken Clemons
Norma Jennings (Kim Risalvato's mother)
Margaret Lisenby (Helen Hayles' mother)

Windermere Pensacola

*Gayle Young @
@ TLC Ministry
* Church member

If you wish to have a person remain on the Concerns List after one month, please notify the church office.

Happenings at Fort Walton Beach FUMC | FWBFUMC.org

Children's Ministry

Thank You!

Thank you church family, for the donations of candy and eggs! You are amazing!

VBS - Shipwrecked - Rescued by Jesus - June 18-22 -5:00 - 7:30

Please be in prayer how God will use YOU in VBS. Family Leader, Station Leader, Dinner Volunteer, Decorator, greeter, a prayer warrior, etc. The list is endless. Please see Cathy for any information!

Summer Camp - Camp Launch - June 25 - 29 - \$295.00 - Graduated 3rd graders - graduated 5th graders. Please see Cathy to register!

Student Ministry News

We will have our regular youth programming tonight beginning at 5:30 pm. with Snack Supper in the Youth Café. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Youth Banquet

The Student Ministry will be hosting an end of the year banquet on May 20th at 5:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall. During the banquet, we will eat dinner, honor our seniors, recognize our incoming 6th graders, and show slides of all the ministries we took part in this past year. We would like to invite the church family to come and be part of this exciting evening. The cost for dinner is \$5.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children, and \$18.00 for a family of four. Please RSVP through the front office or on the connect card by May 13th.

Calling all Graduating High School Seniors!

On Sunday May 20th during the 8:30 a.m. worship service we will be recognizing our graduating High School Seniors. If you have a senior graduating this year, please let Patrick Carnathan know so that we can recognize them during the service. You can contact Patrick through the front office at 243-9292 or through email at youthdirector@fwbfumc.org. Thank you and Congratulations!

April Birthday's

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| 1- Cox, Sherri
Goodman, Tina | 12- Grimes, Hunter | 22- Goodman, Ryan |
| 2- Davis, Caren J
Ellison, Emily | 13- Carnathan, Patrick
Deskins, Suzanne | 23- Carnathan, Clay
Sorrells, Mike |
| 4- Roberts, Betty | 15- Brewer, Amy | 25- Norton, Jami |
| 5- Duggan, Richard
Hayles, Rick | 16- Hunt, Megan | 28- Lorenz, Kathryn
Pope, Mary |
| 6- Hart, Lauren
Rider, Ann-Marie | 17- Chris Krol
Rodgers, Mike | 29- Betancourt, Cisco
Rascoe, Betty Jo |
| 7- Goodman, Greg | 19- Phillips, Spencer
Szutar, Ben | 30- Holloway, Bill
Reinhard, Ken |
| 10- Chipley, Denise | 20- Doolin, Dr. Bill | Salas, Elaine |
| | 21- Brown, Audrey
Brown, Jeff | |

Welcome Guests,

We hope that you feel warmly welcomed and that you experience the power and presence of God as we praise God's name, pray for God's world, and listen to God's voice together. All ages are welcome in our service! There are activity bags available for children in the narthex, located in the back of the sanctuary. A nursery is provided for children, infant to three years old. Please ask an usher if you need assistance. Please let us know if there is anything we as a church can do for you!

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Click [What's Going On](#) link for a full list of announcements.

Important Dates This Week

- April 15 Faith@Home, Fellowship Hall—5:30 p.m.
- April 16 UMW Sarah Lowery Love in Action Circle meeting, Parlor—10:00 a.m.
- April 17 FUMS Mother's Night, Fellowship Hall

Important Upcoming Dates

- April 22 Administrative Board—Called Charge Conference, Chapel—3:00 p.m.
- April 23 Trustee's meeting, Library—5:30 p.m.
- April 23 UMCOR Meeting, G123—6:00 p.m.
- April 23 Council on Ministries meeting, Parlor—6:00 p.m.
- May 3 National Day of Prayer
- May 6 Volunteer Appreciation reception, courtyard—9:30 a.m.
- May 6 Super Family Fun Night—5:00—7:00 p.m.
- May 15 Water Day
- May 15 VPK & Kindergarten Graduation

Mission Moments—We have a number of on-going Mission projects that would appreciate your support. If you have any of the following items you no longer use, please put them in the Donation Station in the Narthex.

Plastic Grocery Bags—will be crocheted into mats for the homeless.

Yarn—will be crocheted into children's hats.

Sewing Notions— fabric, thread, buttons, embroidery thread and anything that can make a sewing kit

Pop Tops from cans and Box Tops for Education Labels—will be used to support UMW mission projects.

Additionally, each month we will focus on one item for our Shoebox Ministry.

April Items—Small Toys and Small Balls

If you have any questions, please contact Joan Smith at 240-5477.

To the outstanding members and visitors of our congregation...

As chairman of the Trustee Committee, I would like to take this opportunity to extend a heartfelt thanks to each of you for your tremendous support for our church and its successful mission since the devastating impact on our facilities as a result of the lightning strike in July 2017. The appraised damage to the building and equipment amounted to just over \$200,000 dollars. After depreciation, our insurance carrier paid the church \$167,865.92 dollars. The Trustee Committee has been very diligent in negotiating contracts for the repair, replacement and/or upgrades to the equipment as necessary for our return to normal operations. Without going into great detail, the following actions have been initiated and for the most part, already completed; 36 new windows for the north and south sides of the preschool building have been installed; individual air conditioners/heating units for each of the 7 preschool classrooms—this allowed for the removal of the obsolete and troublesome boiler supporting the preschool; new computers throughout the facility; a new 20 ton Sanctuary air conditioner/heating unit to replace the existing unserviceable unit; a new 5 ton unit for hallways and bathrooms; a new and far superior fire alarm system; refinished the altar floor and choir area; superior sound system for both the sanctuary and the chapel, as well as enhancements to the sound system in Fellowship Hall; repaired the lawn sprinkler system, and finally, the replacement with greatly improved LED lights for our parking area. The total amount spend for these repairs/replacements came to \$187,434 dollars. We were able to exceed the dollar amount from the insurance money with the help of your generous contributions and by drawing on the remainder of the sale of the parsonage building.

In view of the number of the school and church shootings in our great nation this past year, we are taking an aggressive approach to reviewing our security plans to ensure for the safety of our congregation, our many Sunday School and Bible study classes, and most importantly, our children in our nursery and preschool facilities. The Trustee Committee was tasked to head up this effort to develop an Emergency Action Plan and the necessary actions for securing our facilities in the unlikely event of an unwanted or aggressive intruder. In the upcoming weeks/months, you will be advised of these actions and any impact on the way we conduct our primary mission. Your safety and ease of mind are paramount to us and to your comfort and security during visits to First Church

With God's Blessings,
Jim Ifland—Chairman, Trustee Committee

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8:30 a.m.

Fort Walton Beach First UMC: Prayerfully making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world by Connecting with people, Teaching God's word, and Living our faith through service.