

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Children are always welcome in worship and we embrace their presence, their joy and the fun things they often do & say as we worship.

However, if your child is actively upset we would invite you to take them into the gathering area to be calmed down. You are also welcome to take advantage of our nursery which is down the hall for children 6 months-3 years old.

All children who are ages 4-10 may participate in a children's church ministry called First Steps following the Children's Moment. They will enjoy a snack, an activity or craft, and a lesson based on the sermon text. Lastly, we have crayons and children's bulletins available in the gathering area for those who would like to be creative during worship.



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Attendance Last Sunday

In-Person: 102 On-line: 5

Sunday General Giving

\$3,694.00

Sunday Designated Giving

\$1,030.00

Sunday Pass Thru/Other Giving

\$0

(Vanco Fees-General)

-\$1.02

Total Giving for June

\$4,722.98

Needed monthly

\$23,866.50

Flowers: Mike and Gabi Tallent

Coffee Bar: Janet Tweed

Lay Leader: Lee Anne Strickland

Usher Team: Jeff McMillan and
Wes Hibbert

Production Team: Steve Tweed,
Regina Warfel, Carter Kennedy,
Briley Williford and Tate Sherrer

Pianist: Bev Taylor

Organist: Mary Alice Huff

Youth Ministry Leaders: Jerry and
Vanessa Barr

Rev. Chris Black
Pastor

Nikki Rutzen
Executive Assistant

Sue Hamilton
Director of Congregational Care
& Choir Ministries

Erin Strickland
First Steps Coordinator

First United Methodist Church

June 8, 2025
Pentecost Sunday



“The Arrival of The Holy Spirit”

Acts 2: 1-21

Welcome! We pray that worship here at First United Methodist Church is a blessing for you, as your presence blesses us. Our mission here at First United Methodist Church is to make discipleship of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. If you would like to learn more about our church and its ministries you can find a copy of the church newsletter, welcoming brochures, and devotionals in the gathering area. There are also refreshments available at our coffee bar. Please fill out the clipboard at the end of your pew to register your attendance and tell us a little more about yourself.

“And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved”

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 8, 2025

10:30AM

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us this morning. Whether this is your church home or the first time that you have entered our doors, we extend a warm welcome to you!

✠ *Please stand as you are able*

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lee Anne Strickland

(At this time please register your in-person attendance on the clipboard placed in each pew or if you are watching on-line register at www.lumcm.com)

INVITATION TO PASS THE PEACE

"May the Peace of Christ be with you....and also with you."

TRINITY CHIMES

SUNG CALL TO WORSHIP

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”

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✠ WORDS OF INVITATION

L: Come to Jesus, you who are thirsty.

P: Alleluia!

L: Drink deeply of the Holy Spirit.

P: Alleluia!

L: Let your heart overflow with the living water that renews the face of the earth.

P: Alleluia! Thank be to God.

HYMN OF PRAISE

“O Spirit of The Living God”

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✠ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

UMH #881

✠ GLORIA PATRI

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CONFESSION

God of new creation, we confess that we have failed to trust your bountiful goodness. By the power of the Holy Spirit you brought forth the earth and its creatures in abundance. Yet, we hoard earth's resources and refuse to share your gifts. We dishonor your generosity by withholding our charity to those in need. We betray your kindness by dealing harshly with our enemies. We disregard your compassion by severely judging the sins of others. Forgive us. By the power of your Spirit renew our hearts and free us from sins that we may enjoy the fullness of your blessing upon all creation. Amen.

silence for personal confession

Sermon Notes

We hope you use this space for reflections,
and reminders from the sermon,
or throughout the service.

Prayer Requests for 6/8/25

The printed requests will stay in our bulletin for 2 weeks and then will be moved to our ongoing prayer list on our website.

- ◆ Janet Tweed (health) and family
- ◆ Kathy Witt (health) (Nelson)
- ◆ Family of Robert McLemore
- ◆ Carrie Robbins (Janet Tweed's mother) & Chris Robbins and family (Janet's brother)
- ◆ Don Stratton (Dora Nelson's brother)
- ◆ Sharon Young (Hamilton)
- ◆ Shirley Black family (Pastor Chris' great-aunt)
- ◆ Dr. Dennis Trammel
- ◆ Joshua Stuckey and family (Huff)
- ◆ Donna (health) and Peggy Wengert
- ◆ Family of Kayla Couch (Sequoyah H.S.)
- ◆ Miranda Larson (health) (daughter of William and Shannon Larson)
- ◆ Lee Pitts (health) and family (Dopkins' son-in-law)
- ◆ Jimmy Liszeski (mother of Walter and grandmother of Zander and Zeke)
- ◆ Calvin and Rose Williams (Alford)
- ◆ Connie Carione (Sandy Hibbert's sister)
- ◆ Lucille Peery (health) and family
- ◆ Quinn (knee issues) and Cole (health) Strickland and family
- ◆ Ruppel family
- ◆ Brett and Karen McCue (Ruppel)
- ◆ Kefauver family
- ◆ John and Judy Maiuri
- ◆ Charlie and Phyllis Harrell and family
- ◆ Unspoken Prayers

New Handbell Choir Opportunity

Are you interested in participating in a handbell choir? All interested individuals are invited regardless of age or experience. The first meeting of the handbell enthusiasts will be held on Sunday, June 22nd at 3:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please contact Marlee Tierce at mtierce@aol.com or text 678-525-0348 or call 423-884-2196.



Vacation Bible School

Get ready! Our Vacation Bible School this year will be the week of July 13th, and the theme is **ROAD TRIP!** based on Joshua 1:9 *"The Lord your God is with you wherever you go."* We will discover new places, new friends and ways that we can see God's goodness and presence everywhere. We will have classes for all ages: children, youth and adults. We already have several volunteers but we need lots more. Mark your calendar and let Sue know if you can help.

Christmas in July Backpack Mission

Thank you to everyone who helped with this mission! The deadline to have the backpacks turned into the church is June 26. If you have any questions, please text/call Regina Warfel at 219-964-8989.



Youth Mission Work: June 22-28

This year, our youth have chosen to stay here in Monroe County and help with local organizations and missions.

We are so excited to serve our home community and be great representatives for our church. We are currently putting together our project list for the week, if you have a suggestion, let us know. Our team has been super at building ramps, painting, laying laminate flooring and so much more. Have you thought about going on a mission trip or wondered what it would be like? This is an opportunity for you, too, to work with us for a day or more. Perhaps mission work isn't your thing, but you'd like to get to know our youth better. You may consider preparing supper for us one night and staying for fellowship. Mission Trip week is one of my favorite times with the youth. I'm so impressed by their hard work and positive attitude even when they are hot and tired. With us staying in Monroe County, it's a great opportunity for our whole congregation to share with us in the week. Please talk to Jerry or Vanessa Barr for more details.



PRAISES AND PRAYER REQUESTS

Rev. Chris Black

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Chris Black

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.

HYMN

"Spirit of The Living God"

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CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Chris Black

INVITATION TO OFFERING

(During this time we worship by the giving of our gifts and offerings for the work of the church in ministry and mission. For those who are watching online, you may mail your gifts to First United Methodist Church, PO Box 157, Madisonville, TN 37354 or go to www.tithing.1umcm.com)

OFFERTORY

"Holy Ground Medley"

Chancel Choir

✠ DOXOLOGY

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SCRIPTURE

Acts 2: 1-21

L: The Word of God, for the People of God.

P: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"The Arrival of The Holy Spirit"

Rev. Chris Black

✠ CLOSING HYMN

"Spirit Song"

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✠ BENEDICTION

Rev. Chris Black

✠ BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"Surely The Presence of The Lord"

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✠ TRINITY CHIMES

POSTLUDE



Serve the Lord this week where you are able!