

Opportunities for the Week

Sun, Mar 11	9:45 pm	Sunday School
	10:50 am	Sunday Morning Worship
	5 pm	No Evening Service
		Confirmation Class meets @ Mi Toro
		Choir Practice (Meets at 5 pm)
Mon, Mar 12	6:30 pm	Emmaus Meeting in Fellowship Hall
Wed, Mar 14	6:00 pm	Barbara Hughes Bible Study
	6:30 pm	GLOW Kids, UMYF, Library Class
Thu, Mar 15		Church Office Closed
Fri, Mar 16		Church Office Closed
Sun, Mar 18	7 am	Prentiss County UMM Breakfast (Pisgah)
	9:45 pm	Sunday School
	10:50 am	Sunday Morning Worship
	12 pm	Youth Sponsored Luncheon
	4 pm	Confirmation Class
	5 pm	Vesper Service
	5:30 pm	Choir Practice

The 2018 Flower Calendar is now posted in the office window. Sign up for your favorite Sunday(s). Thank you.

March Ushers: Steve Fleming, Roddy Jackson, Tony Presley, Greg Sparks

Acolytes:
Today Brandon Windham & Bishop Hays
Mar 18 Cade Lott & Luke Brady Windham
Mar 25 Emsley Murphy & Presli Denson

Baby Nursery: Nita Storey
Today Jan Bogue, Jenny & Carly Chittom
Mar 18 Emily Johnson, Ginger & Emsley Murphy
Mar 25 Lauren Childers, Paige & Craig-Ellis Sasser

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The Rev. Tim Sisk, Pastor
Mr. Nathan Ozbirn, Student Ministries
Mrs. Lorie Sisk, Choir Director

Mrs. Susan Cartwright, Secretary/Treasurer
Mrs. Elisha Windham, Children's Ministries
Mr. Bud Davis, Organist

First United Methodist Church



"Spirit of the Living God Fall Afresh on Me"

First United Methodist Church

March 11, 2018

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Color: Purple

Prelude

BUD DAVIS

Lighting of the Candles

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Chiming of the Hour

BUD DAVIS

**Hymn*

“He Leadeth Me”

UMH #128

**Invocation*

**Affirmation of Faith*

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, ***catholic means universal*
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Gloria Patri*

**The Passing of the Peace*

Children’s Sermon

Pastoral Prayer/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.**

Choral Anthem

CHANCEL CHOIR

Offertory Prayer/Offering

NATHAN OZBIRN

**Doxology*

Hymn

“Jesus Calls Us”

UMH #398

Scripture Reading

Mark 8:31-9:1

Sermon

“Dying to Live”

Sermon Series:

The Book of Mark

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

**Hymn*

“Take Up Thy Cross”

UMH #415

**Benediction*

**Choral Benediction*

I love you with the love of the Lord.

Yes, I love you with the love of the Lord.

I can see in you the glory of my King,

And I love you with the love of the Lord.

**Postlude*

BUD DAVIS

NO PRAYER SERVICE @ 5 PM

Our Confirmation Class will be meeting at Mi Toro to have a church family supper. Supper is dutch treat but all are welcome to meet us there.

Last Sunday’s Attendance: 159

Visitors (March 4): Eli Barnes, John, Candi, Seth & Connor Ivy, Billy Joe & Linda Dees

Announcements

The Prentiss County United Methodist Men will meet next Sunday, March 18 at 7:00 am at Pisgah UMC.

The Youth and their parents will be serving lunch next Sunday immediately following the morning worship service. The menu will be various casseroles, desserts, and drink. Donations only.

The New Albany District Lay Servant School will be April 7, 2018. If you are interested or feel a call to lay speaking, please contact the church office for a registration form. The cost is \$50 and includes instruction, materials, and lunch. Payment and registration must be received no later than March 19.

The NEMSCC Wesley Foundation is having a Comedy Night with Daren Streblov on Thursday, March 22 at 7:00 pm. You can help support the ministries of the Wesley Foundation with a sponsor donation of \$100. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased through their website: <http://northeastwesley.org>.

There will be a bridal shower honoring Emily (Fleming) Scott on Sunday, March 25 in the Fellowship Hall from 1:30-3:00 pm.

GLOW Kids would greatly appreciate donations of candy-filled eggs by Wednesday, March 28 for their annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 31.

2018-2019 Scholarship Applications for the Mississippi United Methodist Foundation are available in the church office. Place note the new deadline is **April 2, 2018**.

Prayer List

Jerry Bogue
George Darst
Vicki Downs
Brandi Dearman
Thaddeus H. Ferrell
Talmadge Finch
Anne Marie Ford
Jerry Ford
Jean Gaines
Charles Melvin Geno
Freddie Geno
Charles George
James Goddard
Joan Goddard
Charles Googe
Sammy Green
JoAnn Hankins
Ronnie Highland
Sara Hill
Kyle Hollis
Charlene Horn
Josie Keaton
Joe Lindsey
Elizabeth Mathis
Melinda McAdams
Shelia McDowell
Barbara McKim
Randy Michael
Robby Michael
Gary Pippin
Jennifer Southward
The family of Willie Via
Shawn Ellis Woodruff

Our Shut-ins

Esta Bethay
Jane Davis
Jeanne Duncan
George Oakley
Mavis Stevens

Deployed Military

Todd Sheffield
Wesley Southward