



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PENSACOLA

SIXTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
JULY 4, 2010



Christ Sending Out the Disciples (19th century illustration by J. Tissot)
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WELCOME

Welcome to First United Methodist Church, we are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. Founded in 1821, First Church is the oldest Protestant church in the area and the oldest Methodist church in Florida. This historic church with four Sunday services has a membership of 3000 and is overflowing with life. We hope that you will consider becoming a member of our church family. You may join any Sunday by profession of faith or transfer of membership. Come and be a part of what God is doing here.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Jennifer Williams and Becker Mohanco this afternoon; and in celebration of Bonnie Becker and George Mohanco's 34th wedding anniversary today.

VISITORS/NEW MEMBERS CLASS

We welcome all visitors and new members that are interested in learning more about First Church to an introduction class that consist of four parts. The classes will assemble at 9:45 a.m. in room **PH101** next door in the **Perry Home**. **Classes will not be held in July**. On August 1, **Introduction to First Church**, will be led by the Rev. Geoffrey Lentz and will give you an opportunity to ask questions and learn about the history, theology, worship, and membership of this great church. On August 8, **Ministries of First Church** is about all the programs and ministries of the church. On August 15, **Serving at First Church** will help you find your place to use your gifts and talents in service in the church and community. On August 22, **Tour of First Church** will walk you through the historic buildings of our campus. We hope that you will join us each week.

OPEN COMMUNION

All persons who desire to live and lead a Christian life are invited to the Lord's table for the holy meal. Regardless of who we are, God invites each of us to the gospel feast. Jesus stands waiting to take us in. The invitation is ours to accept.

THOSE SERVING TODAY

8:30: ACOLYTES—Meryl Jones & Carter Edwards; USHERS— George Olliff, Joe Moore, Jerry Mitrovich, Denny Vickory, Ken Weekley, Clay Shilling & Bob Noyes; GREETERS— Doug/Charlie Lauten, J.P./Charlotte Cone, Dan/Marie Rowe, Jim/Lynda Babbitt, Barbara Vititow & Buddy/Deb Brothers; COMMUNION STEWARD--Pam Dannelly

9:45: ACOLYTES—Trevor Odom; USHERS—Tim Durst & Jamie Covan; GREETERS— Karen S. Thompson & Susan Cole; COMMUNION STEWARDS—Joe/Carol Colbert; ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION—Geoffrey Lentz, Clergy; Gena Buchanan & Marcia Enquist, Lay Persons; MUSIC -- Libby Hargrave.

11:00: ACOLYTES—Anna Barfield & Allison Fuller; CRUCIFER— Luke Evans; USHERS - Larry Baird, Harvey Lester, Charlie Armstrong, Ed Young, Jerry Maygarden, Jeff Fuller, Greg Harrison, Bob Joseph, Rick Thompson & Charles Beall; GREETERS—Rhonda Maygarden & Nan Baird; COMMUNION STEWARD--Kathy Turner.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 AND 11:00 A.M.

WELCOME

*CHORUS

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain;
for purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

PRELUDE

"My Country's Skies"

arr. Fred Bock

*CHIMING OF THE HOUR

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 30)

Minister: Sing praises to the Lord,

People: And give thanks to God's holy Name.

Minister: God turns our mourning into dancing;

All: We give thanks to the Lord for ever.

*HYMN

No. 698

"God of the Ages"

NATIONAL HYMN

*COLLECT

Brad Bullock

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION AND PARDON

No. 12

REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

Please register your attendance on the registration pad. If you are visiting with us, include your address and telephone number so that we may welcome you in a more personal way.

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

Karen Evans

OFFERTORY

Sanctuary Choir

"America"

arr. Rick Branch

When cued, please join the choir in singing stanza 4 of Hymn No. 697.

*DOXOLOGY

No. 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

(All singing) **Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus,
to reach out and touch him, and say that we love him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen.
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Galatians 6:1-16

SERMON

Wesley H. Wachob

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

No. 15

You are invited to come forward to the altar to receive the elements of Holy Communion.

COMMUNION HYMNS

No. 561

“Jesus, United by Thy Grace”

ST. AGNES

No. 557

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

DENNIS

No. 296

“Sing, My Tongue, the Glorious Battle”

PICARDY

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

“National Hymn”

arr. Karin Ford

*Please Stand

Lectionary Scripture

First Lesson: 2 Kings 5:1-14

The King of Aram sends Naaman, his commander, to Elisha. He is healed of his leprosy

Second Lesson: Galatians 6:(1-6) 7-16

(Paul instructs the Galatians to reprove one another gently.) They shall reap what they sow, so they are to do good for all. They should boast of nothing but the cross.

Gospel Lesson: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Jesus sends seventy followers to go out to “the harvest.” They return with gladness at their success. Jesus cautions them not to rejoice in the power he has given them.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

9:45 A.M.

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“Liberty Fanfare”

Libby Hargrave

John Williams

***CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

***HYMN**

“God of the Ages”

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NATIONAL HYMN

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INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

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INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Anyone who wishes to join the church today, please come forward during the last stanza of the closing hymn.

***CLOSING HYMN**

“Jesus, United by Thy Grace”

No. 561

ST. AGNES

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Wednesday Night Dinner is from 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. This week's menu is: Herb Pork Loin, Carrot Soufflé, Wild Rice, Salad, Rolls and Dessert. You may make your reservations in the registration pads, by calling the church office (432-1434), or online at FUMCPensacola.com. Please make your reservations by noon on Tuesday. We look forward to seeing you on Wednesday night!

YOUTH TUBING ADVENTURE – JULY 8TH

All youth are invited for a fun day of tubing at Adventures Unlimited on Thursday, July 8th from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. You must register today and turn in your \$22 to attend. Bring a towel, sunscreen, water, and a zip-locked sack lunch with your name on it.

SHAPIN' UP FITNESS CAMP

This year we are offering Shapin' up Fitness Camp, a new camp experience for K-5th graders, July 19–23 from 9:00 a.m.-12 noon. We'll be focusing on healthy habits and attitudes for kids regarding their bodies, food and exercise. We will begin each day with a jumpstart, fun games, play icebreakers games to get to know each other, move and groove, have physical fitness training and a time of Bible Study. We'll even have a few science experiments to make our point! Registration forms are available online, in the front office, or in the lobby of Wesley Abbey.

FAMILY NIGHT – JULY 14TH

Children and their families are invited for a fun night of fellowship with their church family. Families are invited to come for Wednesday Night dinner, then join us for a fun activity. Dinner is from 5:00-6:00 p.m. and Family Night will begin at 6:15 p.m.

The full calendar can be found on our website
www.pensacolafirstchurch.com

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