



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PENSACOLA

SEVENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
JULY 11, 2010



Modern Interpretation of The Good Samaritan

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.

FUMC WELCOMES SUPERINTENDENT JEREMY PRIDGEON

Our new District Superintendent will be preaching today in our three sanctuary services. Jeremy K. Pridgeon is a native of Wewahitchka, Florida. He is a graduate of the University of West Florida, Emory University - Candler School of Theology, and a PhD candidate at the University of Alabama. As an Elder in the Alabama-West Florida Conference of The United Methodist Church, he has served on the Conference Board of Ordained Ministry, the Montgomery-Prattville District Committee on Ministry, and the Montgomery-Prattville District Committee on Superintendency. He has served as pastor of the Seale and Alexandria charge, as an associate minister at the First United Methodist Church of Montgomery, and as senior minister of the First United Methodist Church of Wetumpka. Jeremy has also served as an instructor at Huntingdon College, teaching courses in the religion department.

Jeremy has served as a contest official for the Florida High School Activities Association and the Alabama High School Athletic Association officiating volleyball and baseball. In addition to officiating, he enjoys traveling, sports, reading, music, hunting and fishing.

Jeremy is married to the former Abigail Garrison of Albany, Georgia. Abigail is a Pharmaceutical Sales Specialist with AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals and is transferring to the company's Pensacola territory. Together, they have three dogs, Roxie, Bruce, and Little Girl, and one cat, Abigail's pride and joy, Sugarfoot.

THOSE SERVING TODAY

8:30: ACOLYTES –Greggory Sherlock & Haley Lenga; USHERS –Frank Willis, Tom Marucci, Paul Safko, David Williams, Carl Ashby, Nancy Shealy, David Crow, John Gash & Steve Sharp; GREETERS –Robert/Angela Mills, John/Mecy Wimberly, Bill Spain, Colleen Ball, Ace/Veronica DuBose, Jose Feliciano, Elaine Mitchell & Linda Shearlock.

9:45: ACOLYTE –Mae Ward; USHERS –Wayne Sumlin & Jeff Cagle; GREETERS –Dona Hill & Beverly Butler; COMMUNION STEWARD –Terri Covan; ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION –Geoffrey Lentz, Clergy; Margie Taylor & Gena Buchanan, Lay Persons; MUSIC –Libby Hargrave.

11:00: ACOLYTES –Sarah Cavanaugh & Jacob Turner; USHERS –Rusty Harris, Price Legg, Eric Enquist, Charles Carlan, Tom Cathey & Sonja Crawford; GREETERS –Carol Stevenson & Jackie/Will Pergande.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 AND 11:00 A.M.

WELCOME

*CHORUS

Spirit of God, descend upon my heart;
wean it from earth; through all its pulses move;
stoop to my weakness, mighty as thou art,
and make me love thee as I ought to love.

PRELUDE

"Psalm XIX"

Benedetto Maracello

*CHIMING OF THE HOUR

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 82)

Minister: Rise up, O God, and judge the earth;

People: For all the nations belong to you.

Minister: God gives justice to the weak;

All: God delivers us all from evil.

*HYMN

No. 577

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

CWM RHONDDA

*COLLECT

8:30 Geoffrey Lentz

11:00 Karen Evans

8:30 SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

No. 39

Isabella Hope Schang

Daughter of Pam and John Schang

8:30 HYMN

No. 611

"Child of Blessing, Child of Promise"

STUTTGART

ANTHEM

8:30 Sanctuary Choir

"In Thee Is Gladness"

Gastold:/Kollmon

11:00 Sanctuary Choir

"Toccata in F Major"

Dietrich Buxtehude

REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

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CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

Dr. Wesley H. Wachob

OFFERTORY

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

8:30 Sanctuary Choir

arr. Joel Raney

11:00 Congregational Hymn Sing

***DOXOLOGY**

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

No. 95

OLD 100TH

***11:00 HYMN**

“This Is My Song”

(Stanzas 1,3) **No. 437**

FINLANDIA

11:00 CHILDREN’S SERMON

Karen Evans

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**

Luke 10:25-37

SERMON

“Do Good Senses Make Good Neighbors?”

Rev. Jeremy Pridgeon

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

***CLOSING HYMN**

“Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life”

No. 427

GERMANY

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

“Cwm Rhondda”

arr. Wilbur Held

*Please Stand

Lectionary Scripture

First Lesson: Amos 7:7-17

This statutes and righteousness of God are likened to a plumbline by which all are measured.

Second Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14

Paul gives thanks for the faith, hope and love exhibited by the Colossians. He praus for their patience and endurance.

Gospel Lesson: Luke 10:25-37

Jesus illustrates the commandment of loving one’s neighbor as oneself by telling the parable of the good Samaritan.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

9:45 A.M.

WELCOME

PRELUDE Blair Taylor, Libby K. Hargrave, duet
"Kyrie Eleison" Michael Joncas

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SERMON Rev. Jeremy Pridgeon
"Do Good Senses Make Good Neighbors?"

PASTORAL PRAYER

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"Agnus Dei" Michael Joncas

***DOXOLOGY** **No. 95**
"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" OLD 100TH

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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

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** **No. 427**
"Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life" GERMANY

*BENEDICTION

***POSTLUDE**
"Glory to God" Michael Joncas

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Wednesday Night Dinner is from 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. This week's menu is: BBQ Chicken, Mac and Cheese, Baked Beans, 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!

VISITOR/NEW MEMBER 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 meet 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, **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 15, **Ministries of First Church** is about all the programs and ministries of the church. On August 25, **Tour of First Church**, will walk you through the historic buildings of our campus. We hope that you will join us each week.

SR HIGH MISSION TRIP

Please be in prayer for the 12 youth and adults who are in Kentucky serving this week on the Confrontation Point Sr High Creation Restoration Mission Trip. Our prayer is that we learn how to take better care of God's Creation and His people - by helping in National Parks, Urban Gardens and more!

FUMC AT THE PENSACOLA PELICANS

Join us Wednesday, July 21 at 6:45 p.m. for a night of fun and fellowship at Pelican Park on the UWF main campus. Tickets for the game can be picked up in the front office for \$5 (lap children 4 and under are free). FUMC has reserved the third base deck.

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

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