



# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PENSACOLA

NINTH SUNDAY  
AFTER PENTECOST  
JULY 25, 2010



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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 loving memory of Dr. John E. Wimberly by his family.

## 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 8, **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 15, **Ministries of First Church** is about all the programs and ministries of the church. On August 22, **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 29, **Tour of First Church**, will walk you through the historic buildings of our campus. We hope that you will join us each week.

## THOSE SERVING TODAY

**8:30: ACOLYTES**—Haley Lenga & Gregory Sherlock; **USHERS**—Parker Chaudron, Sam Morrissette, Ray Blake, Watson Aldridge, Ron Anderson, Charles Rehwinkle, Ace DuBose & Jose Feliciano; **GREETERS**—John/Betty Bracken, Don/Gloria Holcombe, Vicki Adcox, Walter Pierce, Watson/Anne Aldridge, Ace/Veronica DuBose, Jose Feliciano, Elaine Mitchell & Jennifer Fleming.

**9:45: ACOLYTE**—Kaila Stalnaker; **USHERS**—John Susko & Mike Ward; **GREETERS**—Joe/Carol Colbert; **COMMUNION STEWARD**—Diane Turner; **ASSISTING WITH COMMUNION**—Ken Autrey, Clergy; Hope Susko & Gina Buchanan, Lay Persons; **MUSIC**—Libby Hargrave.

**11:00: ACOLYTES**—Hattie Wade & Khaki Wade; **USHERS**—Gary Lovelace, Dan DuBose, Carl Valletto, John Fitzgerald & Jack Wallace; **GREETERS**—Darlene Smith, Bronwyn Lovelace & Jean Wallace.

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 AND 11:00 A.M.

## WELCOME

### \*CHORUS

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee.

Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love.

Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.

## PRELUDE

"The Solid Rock"

arr. Brent Olstad

### \*CHIMING OF THE HOUR

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 85)

Minister: Let us hear the word of the Lord,

**People: For God speaks peace to the people,**

Minister: Show us your steadfast love, O Lord,

**All: And grant us your salvation.**

### \*HYMN

**No. 545**

"The Church's One Foundation"

AURELIA

### \*COLLECT

Ken Autrey

## ANTHEM

8:30 Sanctuary Choir; Malinda Hawks, solo

"My Chains Fly Off"

Mark Miller

11:00 Chancel Singers

"Seek Ye First"

arr. Douglas E. Wagner

## 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

### OFFERTORY

8:30 Sanctuary Choir

"The Majesty and Glory of Your Name"

Tom Fettle

11:00 Congregational Hymn Sing

### \*DOXOLOGY

**No. 95**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

OLD 100TH

**\*HYMN**

“Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”

(Stanzas 1,2) **No. 402**

I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

**CHILDREN’S SERMON**

Lisa Bond

**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**

**SERMON**

Wesley H. Wachob

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

**\*CLOSING HYMN**

“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”

**No. 430**

MARYTON

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

“The Church’s One Foundation”

arr. Alice Jordan

\*Please Stand

**Lectionary Scripture**

**First Lesson: Hosea 1:2-10**

As a metaphor of the relationship between God and wayward Israel, here is depicted a marriage between the prophet and “a woman of whoredom.”

**Second Lesson: Colossians 2:6-15(16-19)**

Paul exhorts the Colossians to remain in Christ in whom is the fullness of God and by whom they have been redeemed. (He warns them also not to be sidetracked by calls to asceticism).

**Gospel Lesson: Luke 11:1-13**

In answer to their request, Jesus teaches the disciples how to pray.

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WELCOME

PRELUDE

“Simple Gifts”

arr. Kenneth T. Kosche

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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.

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MARYTON

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

“Aurelia”

arr. Libby Hargrave

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

There is something for everyone on Wednesday Nights. Dinner is from 5:00–6:15 p.m. This week's menu is Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Salad and Dessert. You may make your reservations in the registration pads or by calling the church office (432-1434). Also, now you can make your Wednesday night dinner reservations online at the church's website [www.FUMCPensacola.com](http://www.FUMCPensacola.com). Please make your reservations by noon on Tuesday. Come and join us.

## ARTIST OF THE MONTH

The paintings of local artist Tom Smith will be in The Wright Place through August 15th. Tom's acrylic paintings encompass his infinite imagination and include everything from still life to nature and people. His work can be seen from 8:00a.m-4:30p.m., Monday-Thursday; and 8:00a.m.-2:00p.m. on Fridays.

## WORSHIP ARTS CAMP

Join us for an exciting week of worship and fun at our unique Worship Arts Day Camp, August 9-13. This camp is for kids who have completed K-5<sup>th</sup> grade. Each day we will creatively experience worship through various classes that might include drama, art, dance, music and much more. Each class will be a hands-on experience that is fun and expressive! Like all great camps, we will have recreation and snacks! During the week we will prepare several special presentations that will be shared in worship services in August and September. Registration forms are available in the front office and online at [FUMCPensacola.com](http://FUMCPensacola.com). Tell your friends and get excited!

## WILDERNESS TRAIL

We are taking sixty 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders and eight adults to hike 45 miles in the Grayson Highlands on a portion of the Appalachian Trail in Virginia. This experience gives our students and adults the opportunity to leave behind distractions and focus on serving each other while we hike and explore the gift of God's creation. It is a challenging but extremely rewarding trip. We covet your prayers for our travel and our experience from July 27<sup>th</sup>- August 4<sup>th</sup>.

*Additional announcements, our complete church calendar, sermon podcasts and more are available online at [FUMCPensacola.com](http://FUMCPensacola.com).*

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