

Prayers, Presence and Gifts

Hospitalized (as of August 31)

Lynn Adams, Edey Averette, Pauline Boone and Bev Bottiger

Death: David McSween, August 28

Online Presence

August 23: 1,712

Gifts

Needed Each Sunday: \$ 69,111
Received on August 23: \$ 37,510
Received to Date: \$ 2,173,071

Stay Connected

Worship Preparation

Watch a video and prepare for worship each week with one of our pastors. Visit: firstumc.org/worshipprep/

Going Deeper

Every Sunday at 5pm, one of our pastors hosts a Going Deeper conversation to dive in to this morning's sermon and scripture. The format is casual and interactive. Learn more and register.

Food Drive for Migrant Ministries: Sunday, September 13, 1-4pm at the Mission Depot. Watch ENews or on line for the list.

Trunk or Treat is going to look different this year. We are planning a "Drive-thru" Halloween House with candy bags to be given out at the end. Please help by bringing a large bag of individually wrapped candy on Sunday, September 13 from 1-4pm to the Mission Depot.

CHILDREN: Contact Cristi for information: cmoore@firstumc.org

- **PreSchool Opportunity:** All preschoolers are invited to join us for a Zoom opportunity on Tuesdays beginning September 8 at 11am. Bible lesson and fun activities!
- **Third Grade Bibles:** This year will look a little different - Bibles will be delivered to you home and photos taken for recognition during a Sunday service. Register by September 11 at: <https://www.firstumc.org/children/bibles/>
- **Thursday Game Night:** 6:30pm on first and third Thursdays via Zoom. (Contact Cristi for link)

Kids PRAISE: K-5th grades are invited to join on Wednesday's for musical games, rhythm, theory, singing and drama beginning September 16, 4pm. You MUST register to receive the ZOOM information. Contact Diana for information, drussell@firstumc.org.

The purpose of First United Methodist is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. We strive to accomplish this by being a **worship plus three church**.



Worship plus three is how we define our ministries. We believe **worship** is of prime importance and is our foundation. In addition, we are to **invite** others into a relationship with God, **grow** in our own relationship with God and our neighbor and **serve** others as a continued sign of God's work in our lives.

Electronic Giving

While we are unable to meet in person for worship, electronic giving is a convenient way to continue to financially support the ministry of the church. Several ways include ACH, electronic checks (eChecks), debit or credit card, and text to give. For more information and to view several helpful resources visit: firstumc.org/online-giving/ or contact Harriet Mayes, hmayes@firstumc.org or 863-686-3163 x 217.

Rev. David McEntire, Senior Pastor
Rev. Melissa Stump, Associate Pastor
Rev. Andy Whitaker Smith, Associate Pastor
Rev. Lee Lallance, Minister of Music & Fine Arts
Rev. Dr. Candace Lewis, District Superintendent,
Bishop Ken Carter, Florida Area Bishop

During this time we are experiencing worship online.

Please join us at: firstumc.org/worship-now/

9:30am Contemporary Worship Online

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS		David McEntire
OPENING SONG	<i>Oh for a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i>	Eleven20 Band
CALL TO WORSHIP		David McEntire
SONGS OF PRAISE	<i>Come Thou Fount; This Beating Heart</i>	Eleven20 Band
PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER		Melissa Stump
OFFERTORY	<i>Tis So Sweet</i>	Cindy/Casey Cleveland
SERMON	<i>Feeding Our Faith: Heart/Proverbs 3:1-6</i>	Andy Whitaker Smith
CONFESSION, PARDON AND THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		Andy Whitaker Smith
COMMUNION		
CLOSING SONG	<i>How Deep the Father's Love For Us</i>	Eleven20 Band
BENEDICTION		Andy Whitaker Smith

11:00am Traditional Worship Online

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS		David McEntire
PRELUDE	<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness/Miller</i>	Matthew H. Corl, AAGO
CALL TO WORSHIP		David McEntire
HYMN 140	<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</i>	FAITHFULNESS
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881		David McEntire
PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER		Melissa Stump
OFFERTORY PRAYER		Melissa Stump
OFFERTORY	<i>I Love to Tell the Story/Ellingboe</i>	A Cappella Praise; Mark Thielen, violin
SERMON	<i>Feeding Our Faith: Heart/Proverbs 3:1-6</i>	Andy Whitaker Smith
CONFESSION AND PARDON		Andy Whitaker Smith
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		Melissa Stump
COMMUNION		
HYMN 629	<i>You Satisfy the Hungry Heart</i>	GIFT OF FINEST WHEAT
BENEDICTION		Andy Whitaker Smith
POSTLUDE	<i>Toccata/Fletcher</i>	Matthew Corl, AAGO

Call to Worship (All Services)

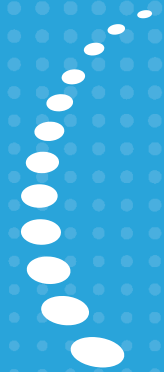
LEADER: Trust God, from the bottom of your heart.

ALL: We will not try to figure it out on our own.

LEADER: Listen for God's voice in everything you do and everywhere you go.

ALL: God will keep us on track so that love and faithfulness remain within us.

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