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“God So Loved”

John 3:1-21

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Thanks be to God.

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sin and your commitment to Christ? **We do.** Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include Jackie now before you in your care? **With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Jackie with a community of love and forgiveness, that she may grow in her service to others. We will pray for her, that she may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.**

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We go to serve.

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Christmas in September for Orphanage Emmanuelle

- **Today - Christ in September for Orphanage Emmanuel** - At the conclusion of the worship service, visit the Main Street entrance to “adopt” a child and purchase gifts for them. Gifts are due on or before the wrapping party on Sunday, October 11, 2–4 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Info: ryan@fumcdothan.org
- **55 Forward Senior Adult Ministry - Movie Day - September 23, 2:30 p.m. - Room 165** - Join us for popcorn and the movie, *The Sheep Detective*. No sign up necessary. Info: hchapman@fumcdothan.org
- **Midweek Recharge Fall Studies - September 23**
 - 4:45–6 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper
 - 5:30 p.m. Cheerful Chimers
 - 6 p.m. Activities for all ages including Bible Studies & Choir
Details: fumcdothan.org/events or call 334-793-3555
- **Houston County Rural Ministry Serve Day - Saturday, September 26, 8:30 a.m.– noon** - Come lend a hand as we serve others through home repair projects and food distribution. Every volunteer makes a difference! Sign up: fumcdothan.org/events
- **Donuts with David - Sunday, September 27, 10:15 a.m. - The Parlor** - New members and visitors are welcome! If you’re new to FUMC Dothan, interested in joining, or want to learn more about the Christian faith, we would love for you to join us.
- **Yuletide Choir Rehearsals begin - Sunday, September 27, noon–3 p.m. - Room 255** - Lunch will be provided. Info: erin@fumcdothan.org
- **Media & Production Team Interest Meeting and Training - Sunday, September 27, 4:30–6 p.m. - Fellowship Hall** - Help make worship happen behind the scenes! Adults and youth 7th grade and older are invited to learn about serving with lyric slides, cameras, lighting, livestreams, and more. No experience required! Flexible scheduling and service hours available for youth. Interest Meeting, 4:30 p.m.; Hands-On Training, 5–6 p.m. Info: hannah@fumcdothan.org
- **Discovery Sunday School Class - Sunday, October 4, 10 a.m. - The Parlor** - Are you new here or interested in joining a Sunday school class? Pastor Matt will lead this four-week class to help you explore what it means to be United Methodist, learn our church’s core values, and find ways to get connected. Info: matt@fumcdothan.org
- **All Saints Choir Rehearsals begin - Sunday, October 4, 10–10:30 a.m. - Room 255** - Info: erin@fumcdothan.org
- **A Special Invitation to 2026 Worship Arts Campers** - If you participated in our camp choir this summer, you are invited to sing “I Choose Love” with the Chancel Choir during the **World Communion** service on *Sunday, October 4, at 11 a.m., in the Sanctuary*. Info: erin@fumcdothan.org
- **Blessing of the Pets - Sunday, October 4, 4–5 p.m. - Burdeshaw Street Portico** - All pets are welcome—be sure they are leashed, kenneled, or properly contained. Info: lynn@fumcdothan.org
- **United Women in Faith meeting - Tuesday, October 6, 11:45 a.m. - Fellowship Hall** - The UWF executive committee will meet in Room 165 at 11 a.m. Lunch: \$5. Info: Priscilla Tucker at 334-618-0210.

Worship Attendance: 630

Online Worship Attendance

Giving: \$69,640.00

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Worship Team

Josh Chapman, David Crutchfield, Savannah & Josh McCoy

Sound / Lights / Live Stream

Brian Baker, Morgan Creech, James Dix, Jon Dix, Ava Keel, Matthew Murray, Sam Schneider, Ted Smith, Andy Thomas, Ashley Waller

Promise Praise Band

*Mandy Thomas - vocals
Charles Andre - bass
Gary McGowan - guitar/vocals
Kevin Kramer - drums
Andrew Spry - lead guitar
Jason Flebotte - piano/vocal*

Worship Experience Coordinator

Sonia Crutchfield

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of the baptism of Jacqueline King Thornton by her family.

REGULAR SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES

First Light Chapel Communion - 8 a.m.
Traditional Sanctuary Worship - 8:30 a.m.
Bridge Contemporary Worship - 8:55 a.m.
Sunday School Opportunities - 10 a.m.
Traditional Sanctuary Worship - 11 a.m.

CHILDREN’S WORSHIP

During 8:55 services, children (3P through 5th grades) are invited to participate in fellowship and age-appropriate worship in the children’s building: 3P-4P meet downstairs; K5-5th grade meet upstairs. All children should be checked in by an adult at the Children’s Welcome Desk. Following worship, children are escorted to Sunday School at 10 a.m. Children are always welcome to attend worship in The Bridge, and activity bags are available at each entrance.

NURSERY

Nursery care is available for children ages six weeks to four-year-old preschoolers. An usher will be happy to direct you there.

INFANT SOOTHING ROOM

An infant soothing room is available in Room 132. The worship service will be shown in the room along with other amenities available. An usher will be happy to direct you there.

SUNDAY EVENING

Westminster Handbells - 4 p.m. | Room 256
*Co-Ed Study with Pastor Matt - 5-6 p.m. | Room 157 - *Resumes Sept. 27*
*Ladies Study with Kash Deaton - 5-6 p.m. | Room 131
Confirmation Class - 6-7 p.m. | Room 263
Youth Worship - 6-7:30 p.m. | Christian Life Center (CLC)

MONDAY

*Mom’s Group with Kaylee Vaughn - 9:30 a.m. | The Parlor

TUESDAY

Men’s Bible Study with Pastor David - 6 a.m. | Fellowship Hall
Ladies Bible Study with Katharine Forrester - 10:30 a.m. | The Parlor

WEDNESDAY

Co-Ed Study with Pastor Lynn Smilie Nesbitt and Jim Ellis - 10 a.m. | The Parlor
Supper - 4:45-6 p.m. | Fellowship Hall
Cheerful Chimers - 5:30 p.m. | Room 256
*Bible Study with Pastor David - 6 p.m. | Fellowship Hall
*Men’s Discipleship with Ryan Deaton - 6 p.m. | Room 165
*CoJourney’s Training with Jason Keel - 6 p.m. | Room 233
**The Way of the Chosen (Season 3)* with M. Saliba + L. Williams - 6 p.m. | Room 157
*Women’s Bible Study with Jessica Robinson - 6 p.m. | The Parlor
*Chancel Choir rehearsal - 6-7:15 p.m. | Room 255

*Nursery provided

If you would like more information about our ministries, please visit fumcdothan.org.

CLERGY

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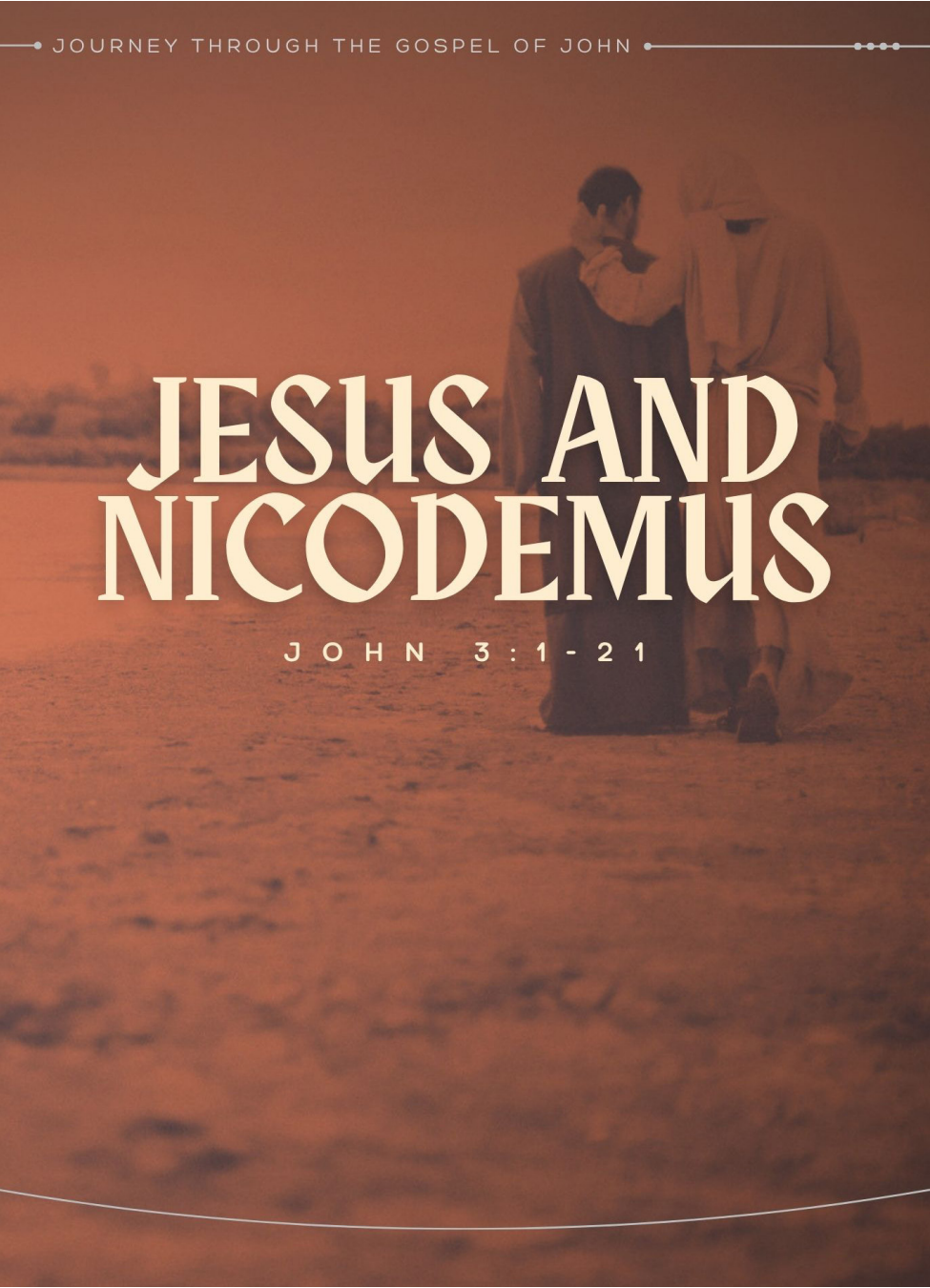
Pastoral Care Pastor

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FOR PRAYER

If you or someone you know is in the hospital, has an upcoming surgery, is expecting a baby, or has any other joys and concerns, let us know how we may pray for you. You may share via prayer card, email: prayer@fumcdothan.org, you can visit our webpage at fumcdothan.org/prayer, or call the church office.

*Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*



September 20, 2026
8:55 a.m.



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