

ORDER OF WORSHIP



Words in bold indicate congregational response.
*Please stand as you are able.

11 a.m.

RINGING OF THE CHIMES

The ringing of the chimes signals a time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.

*PRELUDE

“Pomp and Circumstance”

Edward Elgar

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN - 173

“Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Sky”

GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

As your studies conclude, may you strive for excellence.

May your voices echo justice and peace.

Even in dark times, may you sing of joy.

As you graduate, may you celebrate and lift up others.

We praise the Creator for these blessings. Amen.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

*GLORIA PATRI - 70

♪ **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

PARISH JOYS AND CONCERNS

Rev. T. Matthew Langford, Jr.

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

ANTHEM

“I Have Loved You”

Lloyd Larson

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR MESSAGE

Whitney Cook

T Etheredge

Brackin Ivey

William Lisenby

Robbie Amunds

Class of 2026

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Student Ministry Director

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 2026

John Martin Byrd

Mary Drue Cobb

Edmund Neal Cody

Whitney Reid Cook

John Paul Everette Crum

Stephen Talmadge Etheredge, III

Carl Finklea Brackin Ivey

Maylee Eason Lancaster

William Buntyn Lisenby

Darby Elizabeth McInnes

Merrill Kate Scarbrough

Caroline Kelly Wells

BLESSING OF THE GRADUATES

We have loved you for a long time and have watched you grow in body, mind, and love of God. We will continue loving you as you grow in new places and new adventures. Just as you lit the candle on the altar as a sign of your life in this congregation, so may the light of God guide you in all that you do. You have been a blessing to us; go now to be a blessing for others. Go under the mercy and grace of God. Amen.

*HYMN OF REFLECTION - 451

“Be Thou My Vision”

OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“The Commission”

Neesmith, Frodge, et. al

Megan Carter, soprano & Joe Read, tenor and guitar

*DOXOLOGY - 95

♪ **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*HYMN OF INVITATION - 314

“In the Garden”

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

“Spirit Divine, Hear Our Prayer”

Tom Fettke

POSTLUDE

“Toccata” from *Organ Sonata No. 1*

Renè-Louis Becker

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Worship Arts Director

Erin M. Smith

Instrumentalists

Christopher Henley, organ

Sally Northcutt, piano

Sound/Live Stream

Morgan Creech, Keely Griffin, Matthew Murray

Ushers

Warren Cobb, Kerry Croom, Randy Hurst, Alan Richards, Webb Speigner

Acolytes

Grace Saliba

Servers

Joseph Saliba

Altar Guild

Jennifer Byrd, Leslie Cox, Helen Mendheim, Elizabeth McClimans, Rebecca McDonald

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of the Senior Class of 2026.

The Harbor SERVE DAY Saturday, May 30 7:30-9:30 AM

A Church-wide Ministry Opportunity
For details: ryan@fumcdothan.org

Ways to Serve:

- Serving Breakfast
- Completing intake forms
- Praying with participants
- Organizing supplies
- Street ministry


The Harbor
A Refuge From Life's Storms



CLERGY

Dr. David R. Saliba

Senior Pastor

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Rev. T. Matthew Langford, Jr.

Executive Pastor

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Rev. Lynn Smilie Nesbitt

Pastoral Care Pastor

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **55 Forward Senior Adult Ministry - Movie Day - Wednesday, May 27, 2:30 p.m. - Room 165** - Come spend the afternoon in fellowship with others as we watch *A Carpenter's Prayer*. Popcorn and snacks will be served. Feel free to bring a friend. No sign up necessary. Info: hchapman@fumcdothan.org
- **Serve Day at The Harbor - Saturday, May 30, 7:30-9:30 a.m.** - Come to 320 North Foster Street and volunteer to serve food, distribute clothing and hygiene items, and pray for the needs of others. We hope to see you there!
- **Vacation Bible School (completed 3p-5th grade) - June 1-4, 9 a.m.-noon - FUMC Campus** - This year's theme, *Rainforest Falls: Exploring the Nature of God*, emphasizes God's character and helps children understand who God is and why a relationship with Him matters in everyday life. **Register your child at fumcdothan.org/events** Info: leeann@fumcdothan.org
 - **VBS & Safe Sanctuaries Training - May 20 & 27, 6 p.m.**
 - **VBS Supplies and Snacks needed** - Help fuel our volunteers with snack donations, dropped off in the church office. Info: sonia@fumcdothan.org
- **FUMC's Family Night at Water World - June 3, 5:30-7:30 p.m.**
- **Summer Sports Camps - June 8-July 24** - Register your completed K5-5th grader now for a week of basketball, cheer, volleyball, wiffleball, football, or dodgeball. Visit fumcdothan.org/summer for more information, or to register.
- **S.T.A.R.S. - (Students Training in Alzheimer's and Respite for Summer) Wednesday, June 10 or Thursday, June 11, 10 a.m.-noon - Rm. 157** - Students who have completed 8th-12th grade and are looking for a meaningful way to serve while earning community service hours, consider this session with our Respite Care Ministry. Experience the joy of making a difference in the lives of others! Info: Anne Claire Langford at anneclaire@fumcdothan.org
- **Midweek Recharge Summer Studies - Begins June 10**
 - Wednesday Night Supper - 4:45-6 p.m.
 - Choir - 6 p.m.
 - Adult Studies - 6-7 p.m. - (Nursery and childcare provided) Details and sign up online at fumcdothan.org/adult-studies or call 334-793-3555.
- **Youth Worship Nights (completed 6th-12th grade) - Wednesdays, June 10, 17 & July 1, 15, 22, and 29 - 6-7 p.m. - Youth Area** - Grab a friend and experience a meaningful time of worship, connection, and encouragement! All youth are invited to come and be part of these special evenings. Info: robbie@fumcdothan.org
- **Youth Summer Lunches - (completed 6th-12th grade) - Thursdays, June 11, 18, & July 2, 16, 23, 30, 11:45 a.m. - Christian Life Center lobby** - Throughout the summer, students are invited to gather for lunch and fellowship each week. We'll meet in lobby then head out together to a local spot, deciding as a group where to go each time. Plan to bring around \$15 to cover lunch. We'll return to the church by 1 p.m.
- **Engage Youth Mission Weekend - (completed 6th & 7th graders) - June 12-14 Ft. Walton Beach, Florida** - Students will have the opportunity to serve others through a variety of mission projects, including helping at soup kitchens and doing yard work, while also enjoying some fun at Big Kahuna's Water Park. Info: robbie@fumcdothan.org
- **Wildwood and Oakwood Summer Camps - June 22-26 - Blue Lake in Andalusia** - Join us for our annual Children & Youth camps at Blue Lake! Wildwood (completed 3rd-5th grade). Oakwood (completed 6th-12th grade). For details and to sign up, visit fumcdothan.org/summer.

Attendance and Giving for the week 5/10/2026:

Worship Attendance: 738
Online Worship Attendance: 176
The Harbor Attendance: 125
Giving: \$49,773.71

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 J.A.M. TIME WORSHIP

During 8:30 and 8:55 a.m. services children (K5 through 5th grade) are invited to participate in fellowship and J.A.M. Time (Jesus and Me) Worship in Kids Korner on the 2nd floor of the children's building. All children should be checked in by an adult at the Children's Welcome Desk. Following J.A.M. Time, children are escorted to Sunday School at 10 a.m. Children are always welcome to attend worship in the Sanctuary, 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.

WEDNESDAY

Chancel Choir rehearsals - 6-7:30 p.m. | Room 255

Midweek Recharge Summer Studies will start on June 10.

If you would like more information on the ministries of our church, please visit fumcdothan.org.

SUMMER DATES

June 8-11: Basketball Camp

June 10 & 11: S.T.A.R.S. (Student Training in Alzheimer's and Respite for Summer)

June 12-14: Middle School Engage Mission Trip

June 14: Grace Notes: A Recital Series - Curtain Calls & Cadenzas:
Broadway Meets Opera

June 15-18: Cheer Camp

June 22-26: Oakwood and Wildwood
Youth and Children's Camps at Blue Lake

June 29-July 2: Whiffleball Camp

July 5-10: High School ARM Summer Mission Trip

July 6-10: Worship Arts Camp

July 13-16: Football Camp

July 15-19: Molly White Memorial Family Mission Trip

July 20-23: Volleyball Camp

July 27-30: Dodgeball Camp

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.*



May 17 - 11 a.m.

*Senior Recognition
Sunday*



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