



From left, clockwise: Lee Ann Boykin, with her husband, Sterling, and teaching during a recent J.A.M Time Worship service.

FUMC Dothan welcomes Lee Ann Boykin as Children and Family Ministries Director

We are delighted to announce that **Lee Ann Boykin, already a valued member of our church staff, will now serve as our new director of Children and Family Ministries.**

Lee Ann brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to this position. With more than 30 years of teaching and leading children, youth, and college students, she is the perfect fit for our growing children's ministry.

In this new role, Lee Ann will guide the vision, planning, and

execution of children's ministry as it aligns with our church's mission *to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.* Building on her recent work in our Respite Ministry, she also brings creativity and a renewed passion for ministry with adults of all ages.

Because she has already proven herself to be a gifted leader within our church, this transition allows her to expand her ministry even further. This expanded position will allow

her to shape faith formation for the entire family—leading Bible studies for adults, directing churchwide events such as Aplin Farms Family Day, and creating new ways for families to connect with our church. We are confident that Lee Ann will continue to be a tremendous asset to our program staff as she begins this exciting new chapter of ministry.

**Complete in Him,
Matt Langford**

This week & more at FUMC Dothan

CHILDREN

J.A.M. Time (Jesus and Me Time)
Available during the 8:30 & 8:55
a.m. worship services.

Sunday School
Children's Bldg., 10-10:45 a.m.

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YOUTH

Sunday School
Youth Cafe, Sundays, 10-10:45 a.m.

Confirmation Class
Sunday evening, 5-6 p.m.

**Xtreme Air Mega Park - Sunday,
Sept. 28, at 4-6 p.m.** - Join us for
an evening of fun! We will meet at
441 Nypro Lane, in the parking lot to
start the night. Bring \$20 and socks.
For more information, contact
robbie@fumcdothan.org.

Tuesday Breakfast
7 a.m. at Chick-fil-A located
at 3418 Ross Clark Circle

Wednesday Bible Study
6-7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

Served from 4:45 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Menu for Oct. 1
Adults & Children: Fried chicken,
macaroni & cheese, green beans,
salad bar, dessert

Oct. 8
Burgers, fruit, chips, salad bar, dessert

THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP

First Light Chapel Communion
Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15
1 Timothy 6:6-19
Luke 16:19-31

Bridge and Sanctuary Worship
"Back to the Basics:
The Crown of Righteousness"
Matthew 5:10-11; Mark 16:1-8

JOYS & CONCERNS

Our sympathy to:
The family and friends of Deborah
Wright, who died Sept. 16.

The family and friends of Mary
Hanuszczyk, due to the death of her
husband, Taras Hanuszczyk on Sept. 19.
A service will be held in November.

The family and friends of Joy Outlaw,
due to the death of her husband, Jack
Outlaw on Sept. 21.

In the hospital:
Ray Dempster

Released from hospital:
Mary Beth Key
Carol Ann Jones
Ann Swanson
Elizabeth Whitfield

Happy birthday to:
Jim Lee who celebrated his 90th
birthday on Sept. 19.

Congratulations to:
Chelsy & Justin Hammond on the
birth of their son,
Mark Lucas Hammond born Sept. 12.
Grandparents are Jeni & Tim Logan
and his great-grandfather is
Will Jaasma.

Anna & Press Thornton on the birth of
their daughter,
Jacqueline King Thornton
born Sept. 18.

Elizabeth Todd & Kip Davis were
married Saturday in the Sanctuary.
Elizabeth is the daughter of
Leanne & Page Todd.

*Let us know if you, or someone
you know, has concerns, joys,
hospitalizations, upcoming
surgeries, or is expecting a baby.
Please call the church office at
334-793-3555, or email
prayer@fumcdothan.org.*

RESPITE ROAD TRIP

**The Fourth Annual Brain Science
Luncheon** takes place Thursday,
Oct. 9, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at the
Renaissance Hotel in Montgomery.
Dr. Lisa Genova, Harvard-trained
neuroscientist and bestselling author
of *Still Alice*, will be their keynote
speaker. **Please contact**
katie@fumcdothan.org before
Oct. 1, if you would like to ride the
bus with us, need more information
or would like a ticket to attend.

RESPITE CARE

**Volunteer & Caregiver
Training**
(Next meeting Oct. 8)
The training group meets on the 2nd
Wednesday of each month in
Rm. 158.

**Respite Ministry Caregiver
Support Group**
(Next meeting Oct. 16)
The support group meets on the 3rd
Thursday of each month in Rm. 165.

MEMORIALS

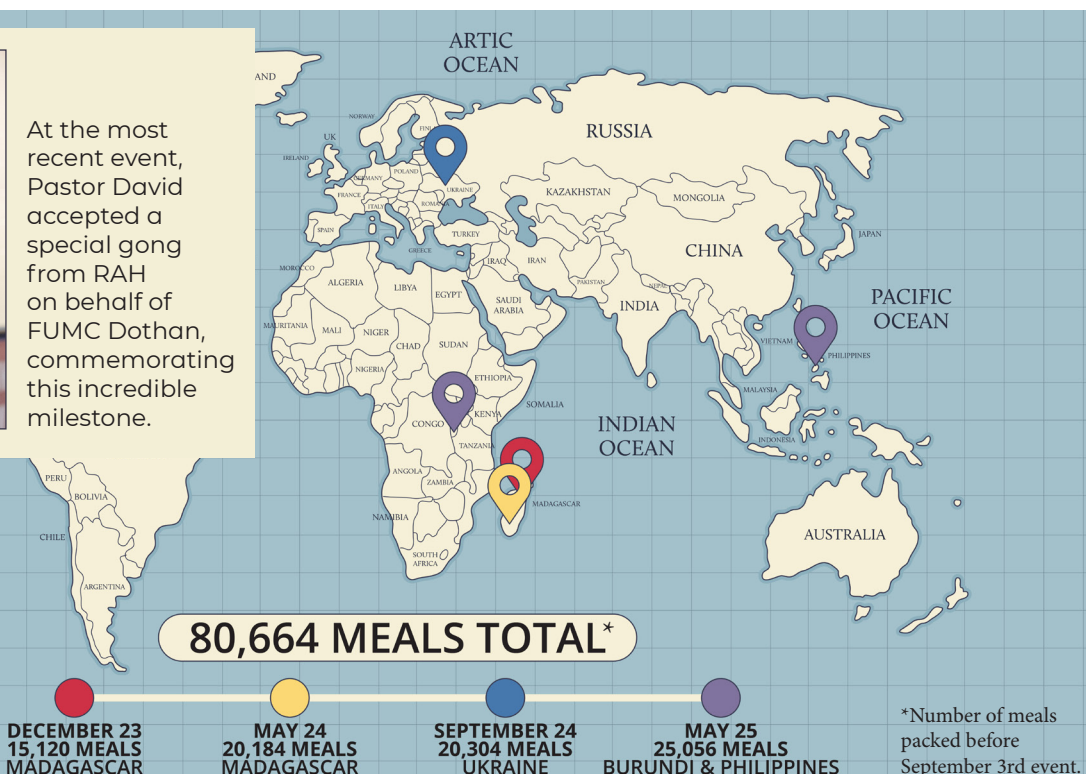
Bill Adams
Jeanie Solomon
Cynthia Wells
Jane Adkinson
Rosemary & Eddie Andrews
Jeanie Solomon
Arne Foss
Catherine & Ralph Gustavsen
Marialyce Grubbs
Ray Dempster
Susan Hewes
The Joy Holman Study Club
Randa Judy
Minna Appleby
Eddy Keel
Jeanie Solomon
Judy Kingry
Minna Appleby
Sue Byrd & Family
Jeanie Solomon
Bertie Loggins
Minna Appleby
Camille Sherer
Rosemary & Eddie Andrews
Minna Appleby
Amanda & Benjamin Sneed
Patricia Sirmon
Rosemary & Benjamin Andrews
Minna Appleby
Ray Dempster
Selma Street Elementary School
Ruth Horn
Donna Howell
Jeanie Solomon
Patricia & Bobby Sirmon
Linda & Drew Mercier
Bob Theune
Jeanie Solomon
Lynn Tucker
Donna Howell
Malcom Walker, Jr.
Donna Howell
Jane Watlington
Mr. & Mrs. Stephens Watlington, III

FUMC meets Rise Against Hunger milestone

Together, we have packaged more than 100,000 meals since 2023!



At the most recent event, Pastor David accepted a special gong from RAH on behalf of FUMC Dothan, commemorating this incredible milestone.



*Number of meals packed before September 3rd event.



Terri Francis
Director

Game Day – Oct. 7, 1 p.m. – Fellowship Hall - Join us for an afternoon of fun and fellowship with a variety of games after the UWF Luncheon. We will have games available, but you are welcome to bring a favorite game to share with the group. All are welcome to attend.

Lunch Bunch – Oct. 9, 11:30 a.m. – Taj Restaurant - Gather with friends for food and fellowship at Taj Restaurant, located at 2920 Ross Clark Circle. Reservations are required by Monday, Oct. 6, and may be made by contacting Terri or calling the church office.

Movie Afternoon – Oct. 22, 2:30 p.m. – Room 165 - Enjoy popcorn and snacks as we watch *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society*. Come spend the afternoon in fellowship with others at this special movie event.

For more info: terri@fumcdothan.org - Church office: 334-793-3555

Join our team at FUMC Dothan

For job descriptions, and how to apply for the positions listed below, visit fumcdothan.org/join-our-team

Positions:

- FT Preschool Director
- FT Director of Respite Care Ministry
- PT Ministry Intern
- FT Daycare Worker
- PT Nursery Worker
- PT Associate Worship Arts Director/Organist

New Age-level team



Terri Francis
55 Forward
Director



Robbie Amunds
Student
Ministry
Director



Sonia Crutchfield
Middle
School
Ministry
Director



Lee Ann Boykin
Children
& Family
Ministry
Director



Kaylee Vaughn
Associate
Children's
Ministry
Director



Megan Carter
Children's
Music
Coordinator



Beth Sizemore
Nursery &
Childcare
Coordinator



Jessica Murdock
Program
Ministry
Administrative
Assistant

