

# First United Methodist Church

July 29, 2018

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

**Gathering** Rev. Freeman

**Announcements**

**Praise** Praise Band

*"Eye of the Storm"*

**Affirmation of Faith** Rev. Freeman

**\*Hymn** *"My Jesus, I love Thee"* (vs. 1,3) UMH 172

*"Shout to the Lord"* Screen

**Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer** Rev. Freeman

**Offering** Anthony McCaleb

*"Things Left Undone"*

**Scripture** Matthew 13:3-9

**Sermon** Rev. Freeman

*"The Sower and the Soul"*

**\*Hymn** *"Bless the Lord"* FWS 2013

*"God Is So Good"* (vs. 1,3) FWS 2056

*\*Please stand as you are able*

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## Welcome to First United Methodist Church!

Thanks for worshipping with us! We hope you experienced God's love for your life while you were here. If this is your first time, we hope you'll come back. If you wish to know more about our church, here's how:

- ❖ Please contact Rev. Freeman at [efreeman@umcna.org](mailto:efreeman@umcna.org) or (205)393-2232; or at <https://heypreacher.com>
- ❖ Visit our website - <http://www.WinfieldFUMC.com>
- ❖ We're on Facebook - **Winfield First United Methodist Church**
- ❖ Call or e-mail the church office at (205)487-2405 or [info@winfieldfumc.com](mailto:info@winfieldfumc.com)

## In Worship Today:

- ❖ Rev. Earl Freeman
- ❖ Laura Lesley - Choir Director
- ❖ Praise Band: Amanda Anderson, Josh Brooks, Anthony McCaleb & Kara Williamson
- ❖ Russell Carothers, Jimmy Chaffin, Robert Moore, and Brant Stovall - Ushers

## Church Staff

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## **Matthew 13:3-9**

3 He said many things to them in parables: "A farmer went out to scatter seed. 4 As he was scattering seed, some fell on the path, and birds came and ate it. 5 Other seed fell on rocky ground where the soil was shallow. They sprouted immediately because the soil wasn't deep. 6 But when the sun came up, it scorched the plants, and they dried up because they had no roots. 7 Other seed fell among thorny plants. The thorny plants grew and choked them. 8 Other seed fell on good soil and bore fruit, in one case a yield of one hundred to one, in another case a yield of sixty to one, and in another case a yield of thirty to one. 9 Everyone who has ears should pay attention."

## **Announcements**

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**Marie Hill has moved June 30**, to Crimson Village, Room 123, 1410 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. E, Tuscaloosa, AL 35404, 205-632-6699(Office), 205-412-6723(cell).

### **Ushers for July:**

- ❖ Russell Carothers, Jimmy Chaffin, Bob Moore & Brant Stovall

### **Ushers for August:**

- ❖ H.E. Bostick, Wayne Garrett, Josh O'Mary & Lynn Smith

### **Disciples in Action for July:**

- ❖ Amanda Anderson (495-7518) & Laura Lesley (495-0258)

### **Disciples in Action for August:**

- ❖ Jerry & Jane Guyton (412-8250) & Lynn & Hilda Smith (275-4432)

### **Weekly Events (This Week):**

- ❖ Children/MS Youth Fellowship, Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ Adult Bible Study will resume on August 22, at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ All choir practices cancelled for June and July.
- ❖ Choir practices resume on August 22

### **Monthly Events:**

- ❖ **NO First Wednesday Potluck Dinner**, August 01.
- ❖ **Hot Dogs & Ice Cream**, after Church, August 5.
- ❖ **Methodist Men's Breakfast**, Sunday, August 19, 7:30 a.m.
- ❖ **Finance Committee Meeting**, Sunday, August 19, 4:30 p.m.
- ❖ **Administrative Board**, Sunday, August 19, 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ **Wesleyan Fellowship**, Monday, August 27, 6:30 p.m.

# Prayer Requests & Praises

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## Church Family:

Chuck Alexander	Vonceal Holliman
Sandy Anderson	Glenn May
Nell Attaway	Harold & Bertie Mae McDonald
Edd & Mary Jim Black	Larry McGee
Rose Byrd	Carl McLaughlin
Ginny Dickerson	Whit Miles
Patsy Earnest	Frances Norris
Kenneth Gilmer	Amanda Carothers South
Marie Hill	Jayden, Jason & Tanya Tucker

## Extended Family:

Karen Anderson, colon cancer (mother of Todd Anderson)  
Allen Barber, cancer has returned (friend of the Sexton family)  
Bob Cox (friend of Jim & Jane Raines)  
Allen Davis (friend of Randy Russell)  
Marlon Farris (brother of Lyvonne Estes)  
Nick Fox (friend of Jim Raines)  
Jim Fuqua (father of Diana Reaves)  
Jeff Halcomb, cancer (friend of Jimmy Chaffin)  
Chad Henderson, cancer  
Anjaleah Hubbert, cervical cancer (friend of Amy Clelland)

Idalou McCaleb, pneumonia (grandmother of Anthony McCaleb)  
McKay McDonald, 7<sup>th</sup> grade, leukemia (friend of Susan O'Mary)  
Amy McGuff, cancer  
Floyd McNutt, recovering at home from surgery  
Cary Miles (father of Danielle Stocks)  
Dewayne O'dell, stage 4 breast cancer (friend of Deborah Tidwell)  
Jett Perry  
Larry & Marion Reese  
William Robert Rodgers (brother of Harry Rodgers)  
Randy Russell (son of Jack & Hermi)  
Edwin Sherry, recovering-foot surgery (brother-in-law of Rose Byrd)  
Glynda Swinney, chemo (friend of Linda Housh)  
Jim & Brenda Taylor (friend Linda McDonald)  
Ed & June Trull (friends of Linda McDonald)  
Janie Tyra (mother of Cynthia Tyra)  
Kim Underwood, cancer (cousin of Prebble Bell & Mary Jim Black)  
Brenda Walker, leukemia (friend of Linda McDonald)  
Will Wharten, kidney transplant (friend of Kara Williams)  
Bobbie Joe Wilson (friend of Jim Raines)  
Karl Yeager, heart & kidney issues (friend of Bill Belle Isle)

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