

First United Methodist Church

June 17, 2018

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Call to Worship Seth Birdsong

"Because He Lives / Amen"

Prayer Rev. Freeman

Praise "Amen"

Announcements

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer Rev. Freeman

Offering David Sexton

"When I Make My Last Move"

Scripture Numbers 13:25-33

Sermon Rev. Freeman

"Impalas at the Watering Hole"

***Hymn** UMH 710

"Faith of Our Fathers" (vs. 1,3)

**Please stand as you are able*

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 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

In Worship Today:

- ❖ Rev. Earl Freeman
- ❖ Laura Lesley - Choir Director
- ❖ Amanda Anderson - Asst. Choir Director/Pianist
- ❖ Allen Brasher, Max Brasher, Roger Davis, and Nick Smith - Ushers

Church Staff

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Numbers 13:25-33

25 They returned from exploring the land after forty days. 26 They went directly to Moses, Aaron, and the entire Israelite community in the Paran desert at Kadesh. They brought back a report to them and to the entire community and showed them the land's fruit. 27 Then they gave their report: "We entered the land to which you sent us. It's actually full of milk and honey, and this is its fruit. 28 There are, however, powerful people who live in the land. The cities have huge fortifications. And we even saw the descendants of the Anakites there. 29 The Amalekites live in the land of the arid southern plain; the Hittites, Jebusites, and Amorites live in the mountains; and the Canaanites live by the sea and along the Jordan." 30 Now Caleb calmed the people before Moses and said, "We must go up and take possession of it, because we are more than able to do it." 31 But the men who went up with him said, "We can't go up against the people because they are stronger than we." 32 They started a rumor about the land that they had explored, telling the Israelites, "The land that we crossed over to explore is a land that devours its residents. All the people we saw in it are huge men. 33 We saw there the Nephilim (the descendants of Anak come from the Nephilim). We saw ourselves as grasshoppers, and that's how we appeared to them."

Announcements

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Join us for a Baby Shower to welcome baby Thomas Clayton Brasher, son of Kristen & Clay Brasher, on Sunday, June 24, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Barbara Ivie, 182 U.S. Hwy 43, Winfield, AL.

Gift Selections: Jan's, Gold Connection, Buy Buy Baby & Amazon.

Rolling River Rampage: June 25 – 27 from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Downstairs in the Gym

All children from 3 years old through 8th grade are invited.

Ushers for June:

- ❖ Allen Brasher, Max Brasher, Roger Davis, & Nick Smith

Disciples in Action for June:

- ❖ Roger & Petra Davis; Chris & Kara Williamson

Weekly Events (This Week):

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

Monthly Events:

- ❖ **Wesleyan Fellowship**, Monday, June 25 at 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ **First Wednesday Potluck Dinner**, cancelled for July 04.
- ❖ **Methodist Men's Breakfast**, Sunday, July 15 at 7:30 a.m.
- ❖ **Finance Committee Meeting**, July 15 at 4:30 p.m.
- ❖ **Administrative Board**, July 15 at 6:00 p.m.

Memorials & Honorariums

Memorial Gifts: When making donations in memory of a loved one, you may designate your gift to a specific fund of your choice.

- ❖ **Harold West:** Donations have been made to the Memorial Fund in memory of Harold West by Dwight & Joyce Gentry, Butch & Barbara Ivie, Tom & Peggy Moore, Stanley & Janis Roberts, and the Family of Dan & Roberta Thomas.
- ❖ **Jerry Lindsey:** A donation has been made to the Memorial Fund in memory of Jerry Lindsey by Butch & Barbara Ivie.
- ❖ **Jim Dickinson and Larry McGee:** A donation has been made to the Sound Booth Fund in their honor by Butch & Barbara Ivie.

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:

Allen Barber, cancer has returned (friend of the Sexton family)

Bob Cox (friend of Jim & Jane Raines)

Allen Davis (friend of Randy Russell)

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)

Family of Barbara McDonald, who passed away June 12

McKay McDonald, 7th grade, leukemia (friend of Susan O'Mary)

Floyd McNutt, recovering at home from surgery

Duane Odell, stage 4 breast cancer (friend of Deborah Tidwell)

Pat Peoples, heart issues (mother of Pam Brasher)

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)

Karl Yeager, heart & kidney issues (friend of Bill Belle Isle)

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