

First United Methodist Church

May 06, 2018

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Prelude	Carol Dickinson <i>"To God Be the Glory" – Arrg. Rogers</i>
Call to Worship	Hand Bells <i>"Morning Has Broken"</i>
Invocation	Rev. Freeman
*Gloria Patri	UMH 70 <i>"Glory Be to the Father"</i>
*Hymns	Screen <i>"You Are My All in All"</i> <i>"Trust and Obey" (vs. 1,4)</i> UMH 467
*Affirmation of Faith	UMH 881 <i>The Apostles' Creed</i>
Children's Time	Rev. Freeman (Children's Church: K – 4 th Grade)
Offertory	Carol Dickinson <i>"Let Us Break Bread Together" – Arrg. Zabel</i>
*Doxology	UMH 95 <i>"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"</i>
*Hymn	UMH 618 <i>"Let Us Break Bread Together" (vs. 1,3)</i>
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Freeman
Anthem	Kara Williamson <i>"My Hope"</i>
Scripture	Acts 10:44-48
Sermon	Rev. Freeman <i>"How God Works"</i>

Holy Communion

***Hymn** UMH 557

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds" (vs. 1,4)

***Benediction**

Choral Benediction Choir

"Come, Share the Lord"

**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
- ❖ Carol Dickinson - Organist
- ❖ Jack Bostick, Jim Dickinson, Steve Reaves, & Joe Tex Tidwell - Ushers

Church Staff

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Acts 10:44-48

44 While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell on everyone who heard the word. **45** The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles. **46** They heard them speaking in other languages and praising God. Peter asked, **47** "These people have received the Holy Spirit just as we have. Surely no one can stop them from being baptized with water, can they?" **48** He directed that they be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited Peter to stay for several days.

Announcements

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Ushers for May:

- ❖ Jack Bostick, Jim Dickinson, Steve Reaves, & Joe Tex Tidwell

Weekly Events (This Week):

- ❖ Hand Bells Practice, Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m.
- ❖ Children/MS Youth Fellowship, Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ Adult Bible Study, Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ Adult Choir Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

Monthly Events:

- ❖ **Finance Committee Meeting**, today, May 20 at 4:30 p.m.
- ❖ **Administrative Board Meeting**, today, May 20 at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ **Wesleyan Fellowship**, Monday, May 28 at 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ **First Wednesday Potluck Dinner**, June 06 at 5:30 p.m.

Memorials

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

Max & Patsy Brasher: Donations have been made to the Memorial Fund in memory of Max & Patsy Brasher by Steve & Dianne Avery, H.E. & Mary Bostick, Russell & Becky Carothers, Roger & Petra Davis, Jim & Carol Dickinson, Jerry & Jane Guyton, Virgie & Linda Housh, Gloria Keeton & Abby, Tom & Peggy Moore, Robert & Sandra Norris, Lann & Donna Stewart, and Roger & Gloria Stovall.

Prebble Bell: Donations have been made to the Memorial Fund in memory of Prebble Bell by Jerry & Jane Guyton, Gloria Keeton & Abby, and Lann & Donna Stewart.

A donation has been made to the Memorial Fund in memory of Frank Housh and Kenneth Trull by Gloria Keeton & Abby.

Altar Flowers

Flowers were placed at the altar today by Jack & Hermi Russell in loving memory of Louise Erstling, Eva Russell, and Paula Bluemel.

Prayer Requests & Praises

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Church Family:

Chuck Alexander	Marie Hill
Sandy Anderson	Vonceal Holliman, at daughter's home
Nell Attaway	Glenn May
Edd & Mary Jim Black	Harold & Bertie Mae McDonald
Clay & Kristen Brasher	Larry McGee
The Brasher family	Carl McLaughlin
Rose Byrd	Whit Miles
Ginny Dickerson	Frances Norris
Patsy Earnest	Maddie Reaves
Chris Garrett	Valarie Shirley, childbirth complications

Kenneth Gilmer

Amanda Carothers South

Jayden, Jason & Tanya Tucker

Extended Family:

Doris Anderson (aunt of Todd and Allen Anderson)

Mickey Anderson, cancer, father of Allan Anderson

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

Jim Collier (H.S. classmate of Jim & Jane Raines)

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)

CaroLynne Gann, hospice (cousin of Prebble Bell & Mary Jim Black)

Family of Mac Godsey, who passed away 4/26 (friend of Petra & Roger Davis)

Jeff Halcomb, cancer (friend of Jimmy Chaffin)

Sean Hubbert, 2 mos. old, heart issues (friend of Amy Clelland)

Anjaleah Hubbert (Sean's mother), cervical cancer (friend of Amy Clelland)

Brandi Lowe (daughter of Chuck & Ginny Dickerson)

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

Floyd McNutt, facing April surgery

Jim Mixon, car accident (friend of Pam Brasher)

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

Larry & Marion Reese

William Robert Rodgers (brother of Harry Rodgers)

Randy Russell (son of Jack & Hermi)

Jake Spiller, auto accident, hospitalized, Tuscaloosa (friend of Dickinson's & Guyton's)

Glynda Swinney, chemo (friend of Linda Housh)

Jim & Brenda Taylor (friend Linda McDonald)

Ed & June Trull (friends of Linda McDonald)

Kim Underwood, cancer (cousin of Prebble Bell & Mary Jim Black)

Brenda Walker, leukemia (friend of Linda McDonald)

Will Wharten, 3 yrs. old, kidney transplant (friend of Kara Williams)

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

Praise Report: Robert Sherry is back at work after recovering from surgery

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