This Week at Our Church

Today FLC (Family Life Center)

10:00 am Sunday School, Sanctuary-Hemphill Hall rm 106

Youth Sunday School, Sanctuary: Prayer rm 212

11:00 am Worship

Oct. 2 - Monday

1:00 pm Women in Crafting, FLC rm 121 7:00 pm Mens' Bible Study, FLC rm 119

Oct. 4 - Wednesday

3:00 pm Prayer time for Marvin

Wednesday Night Meals at the Café

5:00 pm "German" Snitzel, German Pot Salad,

Cucumber Salad, Rolls. Soup: German

Ground Beef and Cabbage.

7:00 pm CA Substance Abuse classes, FLC Rm.

Upcoming

Oct. 8, 2:00 pm, Blessing of the Animals Service at

Evans Towne Center Park Maple Pavililon

Oct. 14-31, Pumpkin Patch (Volunteers Needed)

Oct. 23, Charge Conference

Oct. 26, 11:30 am, BINGO, FLC 120

The Clothes Closet is not Accepting any clothing at this time.

Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, Oct. 2 at 10:00 am Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Oct. 10 at 7:00 pm

Announcements must be in by Tuesday day for printing please email or talk to Administrative Assistant.

<u>Hospital Notifications:</u> If you or a direct family member is a patient in the hospital and would like to see the Pastor or receive Communion, please call the church office and let them know. This is the only consistent way our church will know there is someone in the hospital. Due to HIPAA laws, stating you are a Methodist on the admittance form will not be given out to your church. The office number is 706-863-0510.

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Prayer Requests

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill or are unable to attend church regularly. If you have any changes or additions, please call or email the Church Office.

Prayers for Merla Barrera, George Chapman, Nick Clark, Alvin Dean; Beth Evans, Gary Gould, Wayne Hamilton, Clifton Hughes, Linda Lang, Duane Leazenby, Amanda Lowe, Virginia Stringfield.

Homebound Members. Richard Albert, Carol Ashworth, Carol Hendrickson.

Senior Living at St. John Towers Sandra Sorrells.

Military Families, we are the beacon of light and support for our military as they endure deployments or other hardships while defending our national freedom. Pray for our *Active Duty Soldiers*, L/Cpl Alexis King, USMC; CPT Jaylen Smith, USA; CPT Brijuanna Smith, USA.

Offertory / Attendance

The church on average needs \$ 4,000 weekly for continuous operation, maintenance, and worship.

Last Week	2022	2021
Offertory	Same Week	Same Week
\$ 1,918 / 44	\$ 1,099 / 44	\$ 1,391 / 35

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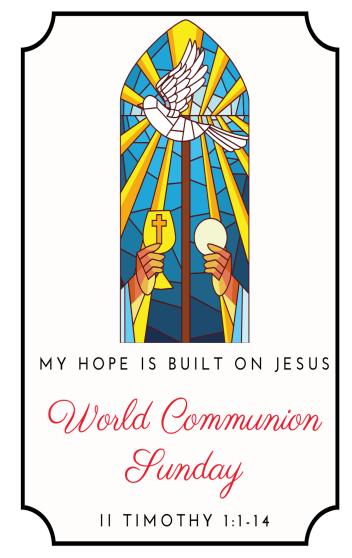
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Welcome to the Family, we're glad you came today!

WELCOME! You enter this church not as a stranger, but as a guest from God. We hope you will find a loving Christian community, and we look forward to benefiting from your uniqueness.

Gathering to Worship the Good News

*Stand as you are able				
Prelude UMH 410 Jerry Lu				
Lighting of the Candles Acolyte				
Greeting and AnnouncementsLiturgist				
Hymn of PraiseTogether				
"Victory In Jesus," UMH 370, v. All				
Reading John 6:30-35 NIV Liturgist				
*ResponseTogether				
"Let There Be Peace on Earth," UMH 431, v. All				
Children's MomentKim Slack				
"Jesus Loves Me," UMH 191				
Apostles Creed UMH 881				
*Gloria Patri UMH 70				
Passing of the Peace				
LEADER: The Peace of Christ be with you!				
ALL: And also with you!				
Congregational PrayerRev. Ben Wills				
Response "O God of Every Nation," UMH 435, v. 1				

Offering Ourselves in Worship

Tithes & Offerings		
Offertory Prayer	•••••	Liturgist
Offertory Music	•••••	Jerry Lu

Doxology UMH 95

Hearing God's Word

Scripture	II Timothy	1:1-14 NIV	•••••	Rev.	Ben	Will
Sermon .			•••••	Rev.	Ben	Will

Receiving the Sacrament

Holy Communion UMH 13Rev. Ben Wills

* Not Intinction *

"My Hope Is Built," UMH 368, Instrumental

Going Forth in Thankfulness

*Closing HymnTogether

"My Hope Is Built," UMH 368, v. 1 & 4

*BenedictionRev. Ben Wills

*Postlude

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Reading: John 6:30-35 NIV

³⁰ So they asked him, "What sign then will you give that we may see it and believe you? What will you do? ³¹ Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written: 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'"

³² Jesus said to them, "Very truly I tell you, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. ³³ For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." ³⁴ "Sir," they said, "always give us this bread."

³⁵ Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Scripture: Il Timothy 1:1-14 NIV

¹Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, in keeping with the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, ² To Timothy, my dear son: Grace, mercy and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

³ I thank God, whom I serve, as my ancestors did, with a

clear conscience, as night and day I constantly remember you in my prayers. ⁴ Recalling your tears, I long to see you, so that I may be filled with joy. ⁵ I am reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also.

⁶ For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands. ⁷ For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline. ⁸ So do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner. Rather, join with me in suffering for the gospel, by the power of God. ⁹ He has saved us and called us to a holy life—not because of anything we have done but because of his own purpose and grace.

This grace was given us in Christ Jesus before the beginning of time, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior, Christ Jesus, who has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ And of this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher. ¹² That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet this is no cause for shame, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day.

¹³ What you heard from me, keep as the pattern of sound teaching, with faith and love in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you—guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.



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