



# ASCENSION

## ASHLAND PLACE

January 11, 2026

Call to Worship *Holy Water* Cash

Welcome & Prayer Rev. Jennifer Porto

Scripture Reading Jeremiah 31:31-34 Steven Booker

Passing of the Peace

Songs of Praise *The Way  
Build My Life* Bashta  
Yunker

*After this time, children are dismissed to Children's Chapel in The Landing.*

Scripture Reading Acts 10:34-43

Sermon "He Is the One" Dr. Darren McClellan

A Covenant Prayer

Reaffirmation of the Baptismal Covenant

Communion

Offertory *Goodness of God* Johnson

*Offering baskets are located on both sides of the communion table.*

Doxology Miller

Benediction



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## UPCOMING WEEK AT APUMC

### Sunday

9:00am Ascension Worship—FH  
10:00am Sunday School  
11:00am Traditional Worship—S  
5:30pm Youth

### Monday

7:00am Men's Study Group—WP

FH - Fellowship Hall FP - Fellowship Parlor  
WP - Wisteria Parlor S - Sanctuary  
B - Basement DW - 126 Mobile Street



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### Tuesday

10:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry—FP

### Wednesday

5:00pm Handbell Practice  
6:00pm Choir Practice  
6:00pm Pastor's Class—FP

### Thursday

7:00am Men's Bible Study—WP  
7:00pm Trivia Night—206 State St.

### Friday

Office Closed

Are you visiting? If so, please scan this QR code to fill out a CONNECT card, or contact a staff member to assist you.



**CIRCLE OF CONCERN** Please hold these persons in your prayers: Fay Adams, John Allen, John and Angela Bell, Jean Brown & son James Williams, Bob Cook, \*Ann Cottrell, Braxton & Linda Lee Counts, Judie Crowther, Julie & Steve Dugan, Jake Elder, Mihyon Ellis, \*Lanier Faircloth, Phillip Fields, Bruce Finley, Missy Foose, Russell Fountain, Marcia Golson, Curt Graf (Curtis Graf's father), Holly Hastings (Dee Dee Cook's sister), Diane Holub (Angela Prine's mother), Barbara Hunt, Andrew Irby, Tyler Mazey, \*Jean McCutchen, David Richards, Sara Robinson, Tom Root, Mary Davis Rutledge, Nancy Scott, Lonn Spencer, Jody Thompson (Pam Bostick's brother-in-law), Louise Thomson, Sherry Thomson, Robert Wheeler (Emily McGough's brother), Merrill Whitener, Kathryn Willingham, and all caregivers (\*new concern this week)

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Monday morning women's bible study will resume on January 26. All women are invited to gather for meaningful conversations, spiritual growth, and fellowship around God's Word. The focus will be on exploring the power of our words—how we speak, how we listen, and how our speech reflects our hearts.

### SW DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Southwest District of the AL West Florida Conference will meet at Fairhope UMC today. Refreshments will be served at 2:00pm with the meeting to follow at 2:30pm. All are welcome.

### DILL LECTURE SERIES AT DAUPHIN WAY UMC

Bishop L. Jonathan Holston will be the lecture speaker on Sunday, January 25 at 5:00pm and our Ashland Place Choir will be performing in the service. Bishop Holston is the resident bishop of the AL West Florida and North AL Conferences. His love for missions has taken him around the world and gained him recognition as a mission specialist.

### ACOLYTES

If your child or youth is interested in serving in our acolyte ministry, please contact Rev. Jennifer Porto at jporto@apumc.com. We are looking for acolytes for both services.

**FINANCIAL UPDATE** Offering Received 1/4/2026: \$11,002

## LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Alicia Luttrell—Keys  
Jon Miller—Guitar/Vocals  
Darren McClellan—Drums  
Acolyte—Harper Ann Booker

Tiffany Norton—Bass/Vocals  
Daniel O'Keefe—Vocals  
Nathan Shiver—Lead Guitar