

Welcome to Worship!

We pray that you feel the warmth and love of Christ as you enter and that you sense God's presence in worship. If there is anything we can do for you, please do not hesitate in letting us know. We are grateful having you today and hope you will consider coming again.

Sun. 10/15
Worship Services, 8 & 10AM
Sunday School for all Ages, 9AM
Choir Practice, 9:15AM
King's Kids, 3:33PM
Youth Meeting, 4PM

Mon. 10/16
Monday Night Potluck, 5:30PM

Tues. 10/17
Men's Prayer Group, 7AM
Finance Meeting, 8AM
Celebrate Recovery Team, depart at 5PM
Zumba, 6PM
AA, 7PM Al-Anon, 7PM

Wed. 10/18
Trustee Meeting, 8AM
Weight Watchers, 4:30PM
Choir Practice, 5:30PM

Thurs. 10/19
Exodus Bible Study, 9:30AM
Zumba, 6PM

Sat. 10/21
AA, 7PM

Sun. 10/22
Worship Services, 8 & 10AM
Sunday School for all Ages, 9AM
Choir Practice, 9:15AM
Youth Meeting, 4PM

LADIES LUNCH BUNCH, *Note DATE: October *19th*

Enjoy lunch at Lulu's in Orange beach.

Carpool from LUMC at 10:30AM. RSVP to Priscilla Westgate at 961-3006

TRUNK OR TREAT, October 31st from 6-7PM

We need as many cars as possible to pass out candy to our trick or treaters. If you are unable to bring your car please bring candy. A box will be available in the back of the sanctuary for drop off. This is a fun outreach for our community and I need your help! Thank you! Joyce Ellison, 752-5062

TRASH AND TREASURE SALE, October 26-28

Drop off your items for the sale beginning October 23rd, 8a-2p.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The youth of our church will be assembling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child the week of 5 Nov 2017. This wonderful program headed by Rev. Franklin Graham has provided millions of joyful and loving moments to needy children throughout the world. Along with the gift of a shoebox is the story about Jesus and his incredible love for all of humanity. When shopping for the contents of your shoebox, please consider purchasing a few extra items to donate for the shoeboxes prepared by our youth. Donation box is at entrance of church.

Lillian United Methodist Church

REACHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE



Romans 8:35-39

35 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? 36 As it is written: "For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered." 37 No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. 38 For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, 39 neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

October 15, 2017

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PRELUDE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the registration pad ! Thank you!

* **HYMN # 514** "Stand up, Stand Up for Jesus"

* **Affirmation of Faith** "The Apostles Creed" # **881**

CELEBRATION OF BEING STEWARDS OF GOD

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Blake Riley, Minister of Music

Doxology #95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son & Holy Ghost. "**God Bless America**" "God bless America, land that I love, Stand beside her and guide her, Through the night with the light from above. From the mountains to the prairies, to the oceans white with foam, God bless America, my home sweet home, God bless America, my home sweet home".

SCRIPTURE

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CHILDRENS MOMENT

HYMN # 521 "I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"

PASTORIAL PRAYER AND THE LORDS PRAYER

SERMON Nothing Can Separate Us from the Love of Christ

HYMN # 525 "We'll Understand It Better By and By"

* **CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION #531**

"For Overcoming Adversity"

Lord, we pray not for tranquility, nor that our tribulations may cease; we pray for thy spirit and thy love, that thou grant us strength and grace to overcome adversity; through Jesus Christ.

Amen.

* **BENEDICTION HYMN**

"Bind Us Together"

"Bind us together, Lord, bind us together with cords that cannot be broken. Bind us together Lord, Bind us together, Lord, Bind us together with love."

Please take this time to offer one another signs of Christ's Love and Reconciliation as we depart to fulfill the mission of Christ.

* Please stand, if able.

IN HIS SERVICE

8AM Usher / Greeters: John Wade & Deb Endsley

10AM Greeters: Jim & Barbara Roth

10AM Ushers: Jay Dufer / Jim Westgate

Outreach: Nita Davis

Counters: Jane Harper / Charlie Clark

LAITY SUNDAY

We will welcome Beverly Maddox as our guest speaker at the 8 & 10 worship services on October 22nd. New date due to a conflict with her schedule. Beverly was elected the 2017 Alabama West Florida Conference Lay Leader and has been a Certified Lay Speaker since 1998.

MONDAY NIGHT POTLUCK, October 16th, gather at 5:30, eat at 6
Moved up one week due to the upcoming Trash & Treasure Sale. Bring a dish to share that will serve at least eight people and your own tableware.

Nursery Available

from 8AM - 11AM for Birth to 3yrs .
A cry room is located at the back of the sanctuary. Children's Church for ages 4 yrs. thru 1st grade dismiss from sanctuary after Children's Moment. Activity Bags for ages 7-10 are located on the Opportunity Table for children remaining in sanctuary worship.

Happy Birthday & Anniversary!

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| 15 Ted French | 18 Bob Harris | 18 Madelyn Jones |
| 18 Sandra McPherson | 20 Betty Baratta | 20 Betty Wall |
| 21 Diana Hartley | 15 Price & Jean Legg | |

PRAYER CONCERNS

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| Carolyn Oleson | Carl Allen | Carole Williams | Phil Gellman |
| Jerry Stein | Janie Wright | Fred Land | Sherry Orth |
| John Dean | Betty Erwin | Natsumi | |
| Family of Rev. Joe Hensel | | | |