

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER						
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
23 9 Christian Ed 10 Worship 3 Ice Cream Social at Cammie's Old Dutch	24 1:30 Craft Circle	25	26 12 Bible Study & Lunch 1 Planning Meeting	27 2 Bible Study	28	29
30 9 Christian Ed 10 Worship	31 1:30 Craft Circle	1	2 12 Bible Study & Lunch	3 2 Bible Study	4	5
6 9 Christian Ed 10 Worship	7 1:30 Craft Circle	8	9 12 Bible Study & Lunch	10 2 Bible Study	11	12 9 CMF & CWF
13	14 1:30 Craft Circle	15 3-4:30 Boys Bible Club	16 12 Bible Study & Lunch	17 2 Bible Study 5:30 Board	18	19

Fairhope Christian Prayer List

June Berry Tiffany Bishop Jesse Bond Joanne Brown Carpenter Family Paula Darnell Hollis Davis	Jessica Fleming Brandon Gates William Green Minnie & Don Hamilton Karen Hand Calvin Hanson	Morris Helms Buddy Light Betty Maddox Linda & Wayne McCullough Stephanie McLaughlin Molly & Rudy Nordman Cary & Margaret Parish	John Ray Elise Rogers Lew Rollins Blake Van Loon Amber Whitbeck
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Sunday Schedule: Christian Education (children & adult classes) 9:00 am; Worship Service 10:00 am

Attendance last Sunday: 40

Bible Studies: Wednesday 12:00 (lunch served) and Thursday 2:00

Next Week: Lay Leader: David Chambers, READER: David Chambers, FELLOWSHIP: Pam & Jim

Next Week's Hymns: 562, 494, 573, 420, 452

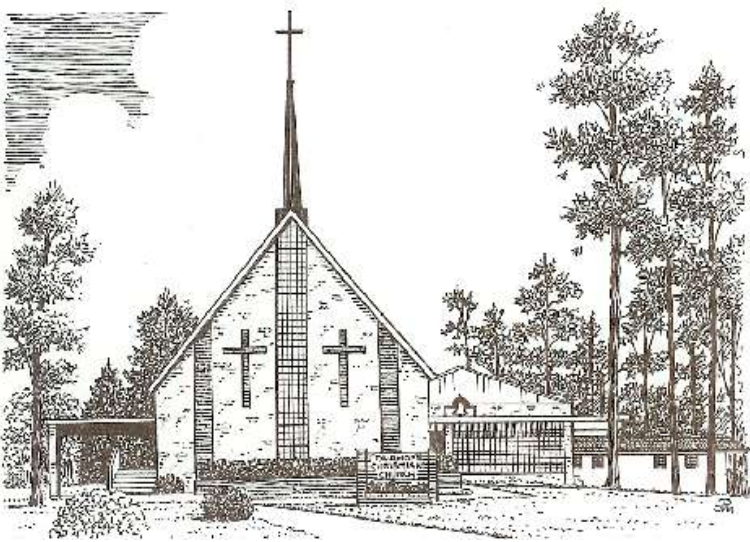
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Fairhope Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ) 

August 23, 2026

Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost, 10 am



Reach up to God, reach into our hearts, reach out to others.

FAIRHOPE CHRISTIAN CHURCH WAS FOUNDED IN 1896. THIS CHURCH SEEKS TO BIND CHRISTIANS TOGETHER IN MEANINGFUL FELLOWSHIP, NOT THROUGH UNIFORMITY OF DOCTRINE, BUT THROUGH UNITY OF COMMITMENT TO THE ONE LORD AND WILLINGNESS TO SERVE HIM IN THIS COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD AT LARGE.

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

A message from our pastor:

Dear friends - grace & peace to you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ! Whether you are a long-time member or visiting us for the first time, we are truly blessed by your presence today. As we gather in worship, may this be a time of renewal, encouragement, & deep connection with God & one another. May you feel Christ’s love in every song sung, every word spoken, & every heart gathered. We are glad you are here.

GATHERING

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS GENE BOOTHE

PEACE BE WITH YOU.
AND ALSO WITH YOU.

BRINGING FORTH OF THE LIGHT †

OPENING HYMN †..... #72 To GOD BE THE GLORY VS. 1, 3

CALL TO WORSHIP † ALL

LEADER: GOD’S STEADFAST LOVE SURROUNDS GOD’S PEOPLE!

PEOPLE: GOD’S SALVATION IS AT HAND!

LEADER: MAY GOD’S GLORY DWELL IN OUR LAND.

PEOPLE: REJOICE! THE LORD WILL GIVE WHAT IS GOOD.

LEADER: SO WE COME TOGETHER TO PRAISE THE LORD OUR GOD!

OPENING PRAYER GENE BOOTHE

HYMN OF PRAISE #587 JESUS KEEP ME NEAR THE CROSS VS. 1, 3

PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

ALL: O GOD, WE HAVE FAILED TO REFLECT YOUR PATIENCE AND GRACE IN OUR DEALINGS WITH OTHERS. WE GET FRUSTRATED WHEN THINGS DO NOT WORK OUT AS WE HAD ENVISIONED. RENEW US WITH YOUR SPIRIT THAT WE MAY SHOW OTHERS THE SAME GRACE WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM YOU. IN JESUS’ NAME WE PRAY. AMEN.

OFFERING †

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT..... PASTOR/LEADER

DOXOLOGY#46 ALL

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER PASTOR/LEADER

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #382 ALL

PRAYERS

HYMN OF PRAYER #570 SWEET HOUR OF PRAYER! VS. 1, 3

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/PASTORAL PRAYERPASTOR/LEADER

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: “HEAR OUR PRAYER!”

LORD’S PRAYER (FORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES)PEOPLE

SPECIAL MUSIC

THE WORD

HOLY SCRIPTURE: PSALM 85:1-13 (P.923, NIV) GENE BOOTHE

PEOPLE’S RESPONSE: THANKS BE TO GOD.

MESSAGE “RESTORE US AGAIN” PASTOR BETTY

THE LORD’S SUPPER

GLORIA PATRI #36 ALL

INVITATION TO THE TABLE PASTOR/LEADER

HYMN OF COMMUNION #398 BE KNOWN TO US IN BREAKING BREAD VS. 1, 2

PRAYERS FOR THE BREAD & CUP ELDERS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION PASTOR/LEADER

SHARING OF THE EMBLEMS ALL

ALL WHO WANT A CLOSER RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS ARE WELCOME TO SHARE COMMUNION WITH US.

SENDING †

HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP #452 HERE I AM LORD..... VS. ALL

BENEDICTION

PEOPLE’S RESPONSE: THANKS BE TO GOD.

GOING FORTH OF THE LIGHT & POSTLUDE

NEWS & EVENTS

- Our Ice Cream Social is scheduled for this afternoon at 3.
- If you would like to donate items for the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes, we're asking for hygiene items such as washcloths, toothbrushes, hair accessories, & combs & brushes. Financial contributions will also be accepted.