

## Announcements

**Fellowship Meal:** Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> - following the Palm Sunday 11:00 service, we will have lunch in Wesley Hall. FUMC will provide a delicious lunch and all are invited to attend. The children's Easter egg hunt will take place following the meal, so children should bring baskets.

**Lazenby Scholarship:** Interviews today at 2:00 pm in the Alice Lee Room

**Children/Youth:** will not meet tonight

**Blue Lake Camp:** Early bird summer registration deadline is APRIL 15<sup>th</sup>!! Children/Youth camp dates are July 22-27. Let Pam know if your child is interested.

**Double Digit Disciples (10-12 year olds):** Wednesdays from 4:00-5:00

**Youth Prayer Breakfast:** Wednesday mornings at 6:45 am - will meet at Hardees for the month of April

**Wednesday Women's Bible Studies:** Wednesdays at 9:30 am and 5:15 pm - Both groups will be starting new studies starting April 23<sup>rd</sup> - it's a great time to join! See Pam if interested.

**Maundy Thursday Service:** April 18<sup>th</sup> - 6:00 pm - Sanctuary - During this service of Holy Communion the Chancel Choir will present "*Behold the Darkness.*"

**Easter Sunday:** We will have a coffee fellowship time during the Sunday School hour in Norman Barnett Hall, as well as a church wide family photo opportunity, which will be set up outside (weather permitting)

Coming up....

Senior Sunday is Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>.

If you have a college graduate that you would like to add to the list to be recognized, please let us know in the church office by April 30<sup>th</sup>!

## First United Methodist Church

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April 14, 2019



### Church Staff

Senior Pastor: Rev. Bill Curtin  
Pastor Emeritus: Dr. Thomas Lane Butts  
Minister of Education: Rev. Pam Barnhardt  
Director of Music Ministries/Organist: Nancy Carleton  
Church Business Administrator: Jessica Hankins  
Nursery Director: Christi Dunn  
Nursery Attendants: Letitia King & Rosie Parker

# Morning Worship

April 14, 2019 ☩ 9:00 & 11:00

**Palm Sunday**

## ENTRANCE

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| Gathering        | <i>Prelude<br/>Opportunities<br/>Greet One Another</i> | Nancy Carleton<br>Rev. Pam Barnhardt<br>Rev. Barnhardt |
| Pastoral Welcome |  | Rev. Bill Curtin                                       |
| Greeting         | <i>Psalm 118:1-2</i>                                   | Rev. Curtin  |

Give thanks to the Lord because he is good,  
because his faithful love lasts forever.  
Let Israel say it:  
“God’s faithful love lasts forever!”  
The Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

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| † Hymn 278 | <i>Hosanna, Loud Hosanna</i>                | Congregation |
|            | (Children’s Processional of Palms at 11:00) |              |

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| † The Apostle’s Creed | Congregation |
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I Believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of Heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;  
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I Believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,

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| † The Gloria Patri | Congregation |
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Glory be the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

## PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

|                               |  |                  |
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| Pastoral Moment and Prayer    |  | Rev. Bill Curtin |
| The Lord’s Prayer             |  | Hymnal, 895      |
| Prayer Response               | <i>O How He Loves You and Me</i>               | 2108 TFWS        |
| Bringing Our Gifts Before God | <i>The Palms</i>                               | Chancel Choir    |
| Doxology                      | <i>Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow</i> | Hymnal, 95       |
| Children’s Sermon             |  | Rev. Barnhardt   |
| Anthem                        | <i>The Walk to Calvary</i>                     | Chancel Choir    |
| Scripture                     | <i>Luke 19:37-40</i>                           | Rev. Curtin      |
| Message for Today             | <i>The Presence of Christ</i>                  | Rev. Curtin      |

## SENDING FORTH

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| † Hymn 298           | <i>When I Survey the Wondrous Cross</i> | Congregation   |
| † Benediction        |   | Rev. Curtin    |
| Benediction Response | <i>In the Cross</i>                     | Chancel Choir  |
| Going Forth          | <i>Postlude</i>                         | Nancy Carleton |

† *Standing as able*  
*Please silence or turn off your cell phones.*

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| SERVERS<br>9:00<br>11:00 | USHERS<br><br>Jim Davis | CRUCIFERS<br>John Farish Ard<br>Drew Sims | ACOLYTES<br>Berkley Chambers<br>Charlie Martens |
| ALTAR GUILD              |                         | Michelle Rainey                           |   |
| ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY   |                         | Sunday Worship – 92 (9) / 59 (11)         |   |
|                          |                         | Sunday School – 60                        |   |

*The Altar Arrangement today is given to the greater glory of God  
by the Worship Committee*