

*Hymn of Faith *It is Well with My Soul* UMH 377

Congregation's Celebrations and Concerns, Pastoral Prayer and our *Lord's Prayer*
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, power, and glory forever. Amen.

Choral Prayer Response *Amen* Chancel Choir

To Hear the Good News

Children's Minute

Anthem *Jesus Is Everything I need* Chancel Choir

*Prayer for Illumination

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us this day. Amen.

*The Written Word John 1:1-18
The Spoken Word *Pitching a Tent* Dr. Kevin Payne

To Respond in Faith

*Hymn of Dedication *I Need Thee Every Hour* UMH 397

*Spoken Blessing

*Choral Benediction *God Be With You* Chancel Choir

*Postlude

*Please note that an * invites you to stand as you are able.**The term "catholic" as found in the Apostles' Creed is Latin meaning "universal." We affirm the Body of Christ regardless of denomination. **Following Children's Moment, children ages 3yrs. – 3rd grade may exit with Kelly & Ben Carroll (8:30a) and Jordyn Costner (11a) to Children's church. Nursery for children, birth to 2 yrs. is provided in Kerr Building.***

Welcome to PFUMC!!

If you are a visitor with us this morning it is our hope that you feel welcomed and loved in the name of Jesus Christ! If you have questions about an act of worship, or about ministries and programs of the congregation, or what we believe, please just ask! Please let Pastor Kevin know if you would like to know more about making a profession of faith and/or uniting in mission and ministry with this congregation. You are welcome here!

Prayer List

Eric Pentecost-Johnny Weeks-Cynthia Ray-Randy Minton-Roy Edwards-Gary Lambert-Don Betts-Howard Waldrep-Ricky Love-Justin Cambron-Becky Davis-Herb Davis-Jay Kirkpatrick-Jackson Jester-Troy Dobbs-Katherine Bedwell-Kayla Winkles Rampy-Benjamin Pfledderer-Tim Cowan-Judy Arnett-Fayrene Mobley-Jerry Thacker-Mike Glover-Millard & Ann Young-Debbie Fry-Frances Conn-George Mallows-Kevin Miller- *Note: Help us keep the prayer list current and up to date by calling the church office to share the names of individuals who need our prayers. We will keep each person on our list for a month.*

Ushers: Blake Daniels, Tim Holbrook, David Ivey, Jerry Mobley, Andrew Stone, John Strickland

Happy Birthday!! Our September Birthdays

1 – Megan Rivera, 2 – Camden Garmon, 3 – Lin Latta, 4 – Lucille Williams, 6 – Noah Pope, Sarah Heath, 7 – David Ivey, Robyn Tucker, 9 – Bob Duke, 11 – Nathan Pope, 12 – Samuel Tolbert, 14 – Jason Voss, 16 – Kay VanSant, 20 – Bobby Tucker, Doris Bullard, 21 – Diane Studdard, Leslie Morrison, Teddy Grogan, 22 – Margaret Whorton, 25 – Pat Davidson, Susan Glover, Suzanne Haney, 26 – Sarah Williams, 28 – Ben Tolbert, 29 – Ryan Poole, Johnny Weeks, 30 – Tyler King, Tim Merrill



Our Staff

Senior Pastor: Dr. Kevin Payne
Choir Director: Terry Gladden
Children's Director: Kim Ivey
Youth Director: Kevin Ward
Accompanist: Ginger Blythe
Nursery Workers: Elizabeth Jester and Anna Voss
Church Administrator: Diane Marshall
Finance Secretary: Jamie Tidmore
Caretaker: Joey Spivey, Tim Holbrook

Announcements and Opportunities

Upcoming Team Meetings:

- Sunday, Sept. 8 – Staff Meeting @ 2:00 PM
- Sunday Sept. 8 – Finance Team @ 3:00 PM
- Sunday Sept. 8 – Trustees Team @ 4:00 PM
- Monday Sept. 9 – Administrative Board @ 6:00 PM

Wonderful Wednesday will begin Wednesday, September 4.

Ministry Program and Committee Teams: Please get your 2020 Budget requests to the Finance Team. We are preparing for Charge Conference, and our forms are due to the District Office by October 7.

Methodist Men Yard Sale & United Methodist Women Bake Sale will be the weekend of October 12.

Our Sunday Evening Small Groups will resume Sept. 8 @ 5:00 PM!

- Terry Gladden will be continuing his study in the Parables of Jesus.
- Pastor Kevin will be leading a study on the Gospel of Matthew.
- Donna Garmon is leading women's study - 7 session study on *The Armor of God* by Priscilla Shirer beginning September 10 at her home, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Children's Ministries will begin working toward their Christmas Program
- Youth Ministries will continue with their regular schedule

We have a new accompanist! The SPRC is excited to announce that Liz Carrol will be joining our staff! Her first Sunday will be September 8.

Worship Attendance

8:30 Worship Celebration: 78 11:00 Worship Celebration: 86 Online: N/A Youth: 40
Sunday School: 77 Offering Last Sunday: \$ 4,139.00



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Our Physical address is: 300 N. Main Street, Piedmont, AL 36272. Office hours: M-TH 8:30 -12:30



Piedmont First United Methodist Church

Loving God – Loving Others – Loving All

The Celebration of Worship for September 1, 2019

Preparing our Hearts

Prelude

Welcome, Parish Notices, and Greeting

Call to Worship

I Will Praise Thee

Chancel Choir

To Praise God and Affirm Our Faith

*Hymn of Praise

Crown Him with Many Crowns

UMH 327

*The Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

UMH 881

*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, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to 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.

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessing flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.