

Life For Good

STEWARDSHIP SERIES



*"I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly."
John 10:10 NRSV*

Sunday Mornings
January 24 - February 14

FIRST UNITED 
METHODIST CHURCH
— LOVING GOD, LOVING NEIGHBOR —

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WELCOME

Welcome to First United Methodist Church! We are glad you chose to worship with us today, and we hope you experience a time of community and spiritual renewal. Please fill out our connection card on our mobile app, so that we can connect with you. Let an usher know if we can assist you in any way. Whether you're a first-time guest or a long-time member at FUMC, volunteers are ready to assist you with any questions you may have regarding activities and ministries at the church.

Worship

FUMC - Lufkin currently offers our weekly worship service in-person or on Facebook Live at 10 AM. Join us on Sunday for In-Person Worship Service in the Youth and Worship Center.

Busy Bags

Children are welcome in our worship service. Busy bags, filled with activities offering scripture lessons, are available to help keep children engaged. Look for the orange FUMC Kids bags!

Connect and Grow

At FUMC, we hope that all grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ and develop a deeper understanding of God's word. Sunday School classes offer such an opportunity, with groups for all ages. Please contact our ministry staff for more information on how these classes meet.

Adult

The church offers 12 adult classes. For more information, please contact Carolee Brink at cbrink@lufkinfirst.com.

Nursery / Preschool (Infant - Pre-K)

Please contact Chasity Gauthier at cgauthier@lufkinfirst.com

Elementary Age Children (Grades K - 5th)

Please contact Chasity Gauthier at cgauthier@lufkinfirst.com

Youth (Grades 6th - 12th)

Please contact Jenny Capps at jcapps@lufkinfirst.com

Words of Welcome to New Members

We give thanks for all that God has already given you, and we welcome you in Christian love. As members, together with you in the body of Christ and in the congregation of First United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. Amen.



FREE WIFI

Feel free to connect to **FUMC Guest WiFi**
Use the password: **CharlesWesley***

January 24, 2021 • 10 AM

Third Sunday After The Epiphany

Opening Song

Holy Is The Lord

Welcome and Greeting

Welcome to First United Methodist Church Online! We are glad you chose to worship with us today, and we hope you experience a time of community and spiritual reviving.

Please be sure you let us know you are here by filling out our connection card at

<http://lufkinfirst.com/check-in-form/>

Worship

Faithful Now

Children's Time

Chasity Gauthier

Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be 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, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Reading of God's Word

2 Corinthians 9:10:15

Sermon

"The Ultimate Supplier"

Rev. Dr. Jerome Brimmage

Stewardship Highlight

Jenny Capps

Invitation to God's Tithes and Our Offerings

You Say

Ways To Give

- Through our website at www.lufkinfirst.com
- On the Venmo App - our username is @FirstUMC-Lufkin
- By texting FUMCLufkin to 73258
- By mailing your check to: FUMC, 805 E. Denman Ave. Lufkin, TX 75901

Affirmation of Faith

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, died, 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 will 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.

Response

Your Ways

Pastoral Benediction

Pastor: Lord, teach me to be generous

People: Lord, teach me to give freely and out of abundance

Pastor: Just as You pour out your generosity on all of creation

People: Give us the opportunity to participate in giving of ourselves in living this abundant life for good as we go forth.

Join Us In Prayer

Fervent Prayer for our Faith Family...

Barbara Wolf
Becky Bowers
Bennie Hollis
Bertha Plowman
Beverly Martin
Brian, Ginny, Travis
and Maury Spore
Bruce Silvey
Candice Bess
Charles Fredrick
Chasity Gauthier
Cherry Barnes
David Bowers
David Young
Debbie Anderson
Dot Brookshire
Gary Hendrick
Gene & Sherry
McClung
George Fowler

Gladys Liese
J.D. Barnes
Jean Keele
Jody Anderson
Joe Wilroy
Johnny Martin
Joy Frederick
Kaleb Roche
Kay Moss
Kevin Korando
Liz Wilkie
Lorraine Dorman
Lucille Anderson
Luke Michael Jefferson
Melanie Stewart-Ring
Melba Ferden
Michael DiLorenzo
Noah Patterson
Otto Smith

Pamela, Marshall and
Gabriel Gorham
Paul Bryan
Phillip Pate
Robin Tucker
Sandy McEntire
Sarah Williams
Savanna Morris
Seth M Wheeler
The Family of
Jeffrey Griffin
The Family of
Rev. Paul Woodworth
VCI Teams
Vercie McMullen
Vergia Walker
Victoria Woodford
Wayne Haglund
Wendy Okray

Our Military...

Boyce McClellan
Cody Minshew
David Webb
Jan Janisch
Josh Rudis
Richard Wilroy
Ryan Hamel
Zach Button

Announcements

Small Groups, Youth and Children School Classes

All small groups, Youth and Children Sunday School classes and in-person activities will continue to be held virtually until further notice. With COVID-19 numbers on the rise in our area, we feel it is safer to hold these activities virtually. Once it is safe to resume in-person classes for these groups, we will give at least one week notice.

Life For Good • 2021 Stewardship Campaign

We are made in the image of a good, creative, and generous God. When God sent Jesus into the world, we were shown incredible love and invited to participate in the new life Jesus offers us. John says it this way, "I have come that you may have life, and have it abundantly." We are created to have life, and for good. What does it mean to have life for good? Join us for a worship series where we get a chance to say yes to a life for good by partnering in ministry and stewardship with God as we live abundant lives grounded in Jesus Christ and invite others into this life for good.

- Week One (Jan. 24) - Doing Life For Good
- Week Two (Jan 31) - Doing Life For Good
- Week Three (Feb. 7) - Doing Life For Good
- Week Four (Feb. 14) - Good, Better, Best

Commitment Sunday is February 14, 2021.

Visit www.lufkinfirst.com/lfg for more information.

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