

## Grow In Small Groups



At FUMC, we hope that everyone grows in their relationship with Jesus Christ and develops a deeper understanding of God's word.

Sunday School classes offer an opportunity for Growing in Small Groups. Please contact our ministry staff for more information on classes.

### Adult Classes (All Ages)

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Carolee Brink  
Cherry Barnes  
Dawn Davis  
Dennis Holder  
Dot Brookshire  
Eleazar Sarmiento  
Gene & Sherry McClung  
Georgia Kimmey  
Harry Stafford  
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Hope McClellan  
Janet Squires  
Jim Kalhoefer  
Joe Varga

Kay Gibbs  
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Linda Stafford  
Liz Wilkie  
Luke Michael Jefferson  
Mollie Shands  
Oscar Garcia  
Pat Bingham  
Patsy Lawrence  
Sandy McEntire  
Sarah Williams  
Seth M Wheeler  
Sheridan Romack  
Sherry Roper  
Skye Wyckoff  
Tammie Fleming  
Tom Ramsey  
Vercie McMullen  
Vergia Walker  
The Family of Joseph Brittain

### Our Military...

Boyce McClellan  
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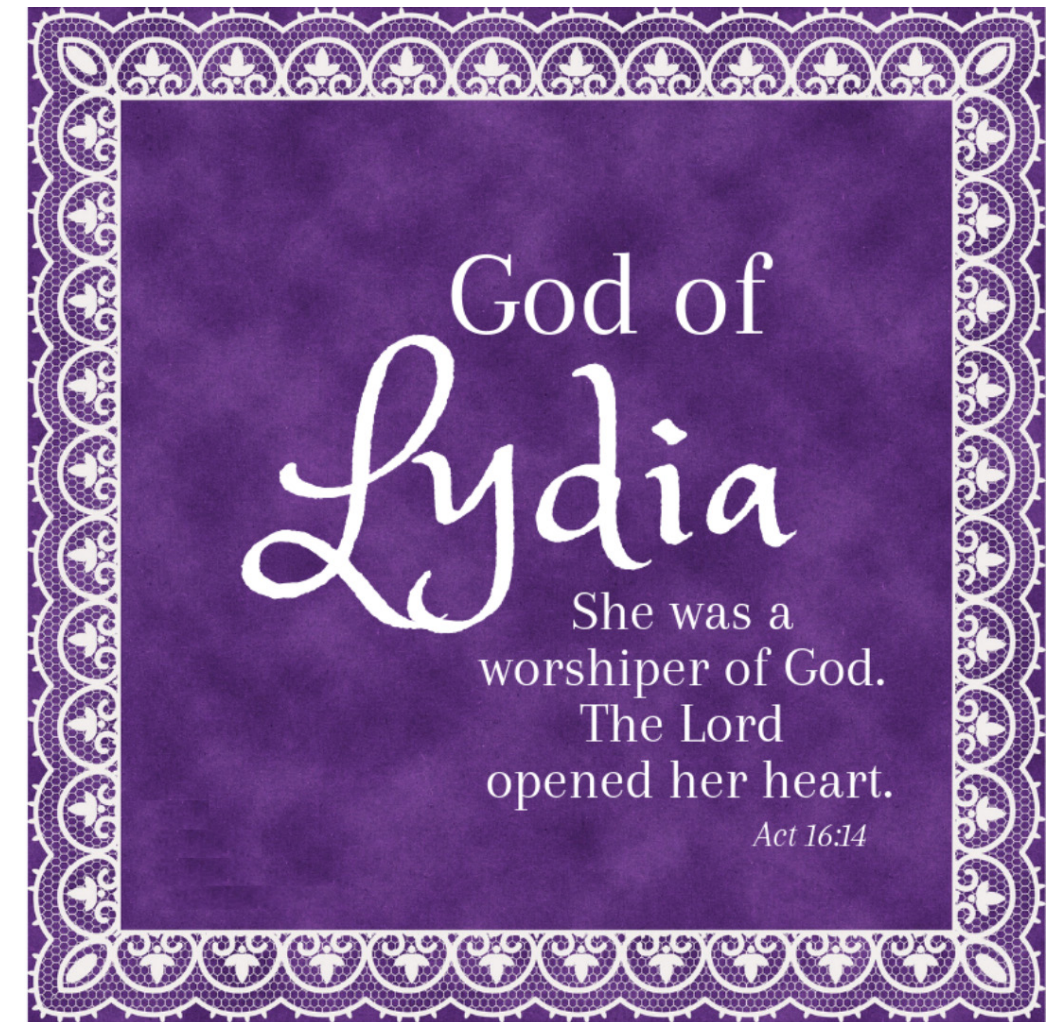
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Sunday, May 22, 2022

10AM

**FIRST UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH**



— LOVING GOD, LOVING NEIGHBOR —



# 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 or using the QR code, 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. FUMC Lufkin currently offers our weekly worship service in-person or on Facebook Live at 10 AM.

## Gather in Worship



### Welcome 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.

### Upcoming Services

May 29 10 am Sanctuary  
June 5 10am Sanctuary  
June 12 10am Youth and Worship  
June 19 10am Sanctuary

### Memorial Day Monday, May 30

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 30 in observance of Memorial Day. Regular office hours will continue the following Tuesday.

### Pentecost Sunday, June 5th

As Pentecost Sunday approaches we encourage attendees to wear the color Red to worship June 5th.

### Vacation Bible School - Save the Date

This year's VBS will take place on July 11-15. More information regarding registration will be announced soon.



#### FREE WIFI

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



Check In



Scan this QR code to mark your attendance on your phone!

May 22, 2022 • 10 AM  
Sixth Sunday of Easter

### Prelude

*Now Shall My Inward Joys Arise*

Billings

### Welcome and Greeting

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 reviving. Please be sure you let us know you are here by filling out our connection card at <http://lufkinfirst.com/check-in-form/>.

### †Songs of Praise

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

UMH No. 103

*Jesus Shall Reign*

UMH No. 157

### †Affirmation of Faith

UMH No. 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.**

*\*universal*

### Gloria Patri

UMH No. 70

### Passing of the Peace

### Children's Time

Barbara Peterson

### Pastoral Prayer

### The 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.

### Invitation to God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Ways To Give

- Through our website at [www.lufkinfirst.com](http://www.lufkinfirst.com)
- On the Venmo App - our username is @FirstUMC-Lufkin
- By texting FUMCLufkin to (936) 209-1422
- By mailing your check to: FUMC, 805 E. Denman Ave. Lufkin, TX 75901



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### Musical Offering

*Because He Lives*

### †Doxology

UMH No. 94

### Scripture Sermon

Acts 16:9-15 NRSV  
Rev. Dr. Jerome Brimmage

### †Closing Song

*There's Within My Heart a Melody*

UMH No. 380

### †Pastoral Benediction

### Postlude

*Blow Ye, the Trumpet Blow*

Wesley

### Town Hall Meeting, Today

A Town Hall meeting will be held in the Sanctuary following today's 10am service. Pastor Jerome will be sharing information regarding the United Methodist Church. This is a designed to share and clarify information. Anyone is welcome to attend.

† Please stand as able

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## Love Others



### Morning Prayer Stream

Join us every Wednesday morning at 8am for morning prayer on Facebook Live. You'll be able to pray for our church family, concerns for this local community, and comment your own prayer requests. For more information, please contact Pastor Madison at [mgarcia@lufkinfirst.com](mailto:mgarcia@lufkinfirst.com).