

The liturgical color for the Seventh Sunday of Easter is white, symbolizing purity, light, and joy on high holy days.

> ₱ Please stand in body or spirit. Spoken liturgy is printed in **bold**. Sung liturgy is printed in **bold italics**.

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Gillian Walters

PRELUDE Andante, from Voluntary No. 13 in G

Maurice Greene

Organ

#### **★** CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

#### ★ CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Kathy Jorgensen

We are called to share the good news.

We come to speak with love and live with purpose.

We meet others where they are.

We come to serve with humility and grace.

We set aside our own gain.

We come to follow the way of Christ.

We worship the God who sends us.

We come with joy to proclaim the gospel.

₩ PROCESSIONAL HYMN Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

**UMH 139** 

#### ★ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: APOSTLES' CREED

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.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Darrin Isaac

#### CALL TO OFFERTORY

New every morning is Your grace arising like the dawn. Your love has drawn us to this place, Your love will lead us on.

Come, Share the Lord

Chancel Choir

**OFFERTORY** 

Leech

During the singing of the Doxology, children in K4 through third grade are invited to come forward to go to Children's Church.

#### ♣ DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER FOR THE NATION

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Our fathers' God to Thee, author of liberty, to Thee we sing; long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light; protect us by Thy might, great God, our king. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 9:16-23

Rev. Walters

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

**SERMON** Rev. Walters Gone Fishing: Befriend

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Wilson Newell

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved You with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done Your will, we have broken Your law, we have rebelled against Your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Rev. Newell

Leader: Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you. Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

#### **SANCTUS**

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

#### INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Amen.

#### 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.

#### **AGNUS DEI**

#### INVITATION TO THE LORD'S SUPPER

#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

Come forward at the direction of the ushers to receive the elements. Please notify the usher if you wish to receive communion at your seat. The altar rail is always open for prayer.

**★** HYMN OF INVITATION

One Bread, One Body

**UMH 620** 

**★** BENEDICTION

Rev. Walters

**★** CHORAL BENEDICTION

My Tribute

Crouch **UMH 99** 

**♣** POSTLUDE

Trumpet Piece Organ

John Alcock

### PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP TODAY

**PASTORS** 

PASTOR OF

**ASSOCIATE** 

Rev. Gillian Walters Rev. Wilson Newell Rev. Kathy Jorgensen **MUSIC & WORSHIP** 

DIRECTOR OF

Rev. Darrin Isaac

**MUSIC & WORSHIP** Natalie Isaac

**ACOLYTES USHERS** 

Callie Streety Richard Byrd **Paul Streety** Tom Delchamps Alexander Bell Carol Jordan Nathaniel Bell Norman Waldrop David Bush (HU)

#### **ALTAR FLOWERS**

The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Joana and Yuell Busey by Nancy Busey and Lee Parker.

#### COMMENDATION AND NEW MEMBER WELCOME

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 at Dauphin Way 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.

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We will have Children's Church during the sermon in today's worship service. Children will be brought to the Sanctuary for Communion and should be picked up by their parents in the Sanctuary after the service.

#### PASTORAL CARE

If you or a loved one are in the hospital, need prayer, or you would like to have a conversation with a pastor about your faith and relationship to Jesus, then please don't hesitate to reach out to us at pastoralcare@dauphinwayumc.org. You can also call the church office at 251-471-1511 and set up a time when we can talk with you.

#### **GET INVOLVED**

For more info, visit dauphinwayumc.org

SUNDAYS	8:20 AM	Chapel Worship	Adkins Chapel
	9:00 AM	Sunday Morning Donuts	McGowin Hall
Ат	9:15 AM	Adult Sunday School	DWUMC
Darman	9:30 AM	Contemporary Worship	Moore Hall
Dauphin	11:00 AM	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
WAY UMC	4:00 PM	Children's Programming on break until the fall	DWUMC
	5:00 PM	<b>Youth SNL &amp; Dinner</b> on break until the fall	Moore Hall & The Refuge

#### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Mon – Fri	8:00 AM	Meals On Wheels	Kitchen
Mon – Tues	9:00 AM	Society of St. Stephen	E120
Monday	10:00 AM	Prayer Group	Dill Parlor
Tuesday	7:00 AM	Men's Prayer Breakfast	McDavid Library
Wednesday	6:00 AM	Youth Morning Devotion on break until the fall	Off Site
Wednesday	10:00 AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Bishops & Family Life Rooms
Wednesday	1:30 PM	Centering Prayer	Dill Parlor
Wednesday	6.30 DM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Chair Room

#### THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Sun, June 1	12:00 PM	VBS Classroom Setup and Materials Prep	McGowin Hall and DWUMC		
Sun-Fri June 1-6	All Day	Youth Summer Camp	Timberlake Ministries Millport, AL		
Thur, June 5	6:00 PM	Guided By Grace: Out To Eat With Friends	Wintzell's Restaurant on Dauphin St.		
Sat, June 7	11:00 AM	RJR and Legacy Church's United in Mission—Growing in Friendship	Moe's BBQ downtown		

MARK YOUR CALENDARS						
Sun, June 8	All Day	Pentecost Sunday	DWUMC			
	12:00 PM	VBS Classroom Setup and Materials Prep	McGowin Hall and DWUMC			
	5:00 PM	VBS Volunteers Meeting	Sanctuary			
Sun-Tues	All Day	Alabama-West Florida UMC	FUMC Pensacola, FL			
June 8-10		2025 Annual Conference				
Mon, June 9	7:00 PM	Rev. Wilson Newell's	FUMC Pensacola, FL			
		Deacon Ordination Service				
Sun, June 15	12:00 PM	VBS Stage Setup	McGowin Hall and DWUMC			
		and Materials Prep				
Mon-Thur	8:30 AM	Vacation Bible School 2025:	DWUMC			
June 16-19		Journey With Paul				
Fri, June 20	11:00 AM	William Schmahl Visitation	McGowin Hall			
	12:00 PM	Schmahl Memorial Service	Sanctuary			
Sat, June 21	4:00 PM	Conwell-Lucey Wedding	Sanctuary			
Sat-Fri	All Day	Youth Mission Trip 2025	Añasco, Puerto Rico			
June 21-27						
Wed, July 23	12:00 PM	Sages Luncheon	McGowin Hall			
Mon-Sat	9:00 AM	DWUMC First Annual Kids'	DWUMC			
July 21-26		Musical Camp — "Called"				

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

YOUTH CAMP PRAYERS: Our Youth Camp is happening June 1–6, and we're so excited for all that God is going to do! As we prepare for this impactful week, we invite you to partner with us in prayer. Please pray that hearts will be open and lives will be changed, that the week will be filled with fun, safety, and unity, and that deep friendships and lasting memories will be formed. We also ask for prayers that our leaders will be encouraged and filled with wisdom, and that God will move in powerful and personal ways throughout the camp. Thank you for covering our youth, leaders, and this entire week in love and support.

**LEGACY CHURCH FELLOWSHIP—RESCHEDULED**: The Legacy Church Fellowship originally planned for this past Saturday, May 31 was postponed. Sadly, Legacy has experienced the loss of one of their members, and the funeral service was held at 11:00 AM on the same day. Out of respect and to allow everyone the opportunity to attend, we have rescheduled the lunch for this Saturday, **June 7**, again at Moe's BBQ at 11:00 AM. For more information, visit dauphinwayumc.org/legacy-church-fellowship.

PENTECOST SUNDAY—IGNITED BY THE SPIRIT: We're excited to celebrate Pentecost Sunday on June 8—a day that marks the outpouring of the Holy Spirit and the birth of the Church. Just as the Spirit empowered the first disciples, that same Spirit is at work in us today. The liturgical color for Pentecost is red, which symbolizes the fire of the Holy Spirit, igniting passion and the beginning of the Church's mission. Our worship spaces will be adorned in red, and all are encouraged to wear red to celebrate the Spirit's powerful presence among us. Worship services will meet at their regular times, and we hope you'll join us as we celebrate God's ongoing work in our lives and church.

VBS WORK DAYS—HELP US BRING VBS TO LIFE!: We'd love for you to join us for VBS work days! Mark your calendars for Sunday, June 1, 8, and 15 from 12:00–3:00 PM in McGowin Hall (snacks provided). Come help us create an amazing ancient Biblical town and transform our tent classrooms into something special. We can't wait to work together and make this VBS unforgettable!

JOIN THE JOURNEY—VOLUNTEER FOR VBS 2025!: Vacation Bible School is coming June 16–19, and we need your help to make it unforgettable! Whether you're guiding small groups as a Crew Leader, leading exciting sessions in Bible Adventures, Missions and Faith, Recreation, assisting with off-campus service projects, or supporting with check-in, snacks, or daily logistics, there's a place for you. No prep is needed—lesson plans and materials are ready, and every role is supported by a team of adults and youth volunteers. We'll have a volunteer meeting on Sunday, June 8, from 5:00-6:00 PM in the Sanctuary, where we can all connect and get excited for the big week ahead. Come be part of something joyful and purposeful as we share God's love and grace with our children. Ready to join in? Contact Laura Brand at hewattl12@gmail.com or Heather White at heather.white@dauphinwayumc.org to sign up or learn more!

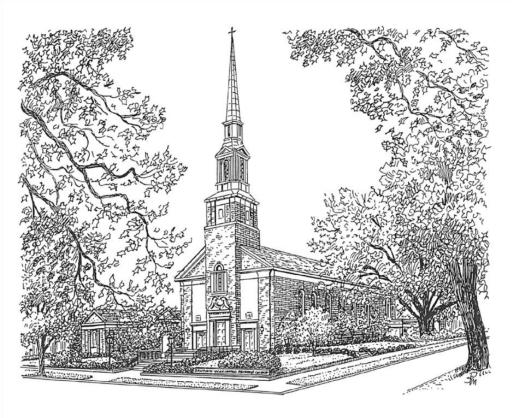
VBS DIAPER DRIVE: This year at VBS, we're thrilled to support Babies First, a mission partner and a branch of Embrace Alabama Kids. Babies First provides a safe and loving home for teen moms and their babies. To help these young families thrive, we're collecting diapers and wipes throughout the week and need your support! Please bring the following items with you to VBS: Size 4 diapers on Monday, June 16; Size 5 diapers on Tuesday, June 17; Size 6 diapers on Wednesday, June 18; and sensitive skin baby wipes on Thursday, June 19. Every donation helps meet the essential needs of moms and babies who have faced hardship and allows us to share the love of Christ in a tangible, meaningful way. To learn more about Babies First and Embrace Alabama Kids, visit embracealkids.org/babies-first.

2025 ANNUAL CONFERENCE: Join us for the 2025 Annual Conference of the Alabama-West Florida United Methodist Conference, happening Sunday, June 8, through Tuesday, June 10, at First United Methodist Church in Pensacola, FL. This year's theme, "Make Us One," is inspired by our United Methodist communion liturgy and serves as a powerful reminder of our shared mission and unity in faith. Together, we will connect, worship, and discern as we seek God's guidance for our church and communities. Don't miss this meaningful time of fellowship and vision—register today at awfumc.org/ac2025.

**REV. WILSON'S DEACON ORDINATION SERVICE—HONORING A CALL TO MINISTRY:** We are excited to celebrate Wilson's upcoming Ordination as a Deacon in the United Methodist Church. This year's ordination service will take place at First United Methodist Church in Pensacola, FL on Monday, **June 9**, at 7:00 PM, during Annual Conference. Save the date and make plans to be part of this meaningful worship service as we come together to support Wilson in this significant step of his ministry journey.

SUMMER READING BOOK CLUB: If you are looking for a way to grow spiritually over the summer, the Dauphin Way Summer Reading Book Club is just for you! You're invited to join by simply choosing one or more books from the following list: Simply Jesus by N.T. Wright, Practicing the Way by Jon Mark Comer, Celebration of Discipline by Richard Foster, Mere Christianity by C.S. Lewis, The Meaning of Marriage by Timothy Keller, and BLESS: 5 Everyday Ways to Love Your Neighbor and Change the World by Dave Ferguson and Jon Ferguson. At the end of the summer, participants will gather for a lunch discussion to share insights and reflections from their reading. Sign up today by emailing wilson.newell@dauphinwayumc.org and join us on this meaningful summer journey!

FIRST ANNUAL KIDS' MUSICAL CAMP 2025: Join us at Dauphin Way UMC for our very first Musical Camp, featuring "Called" by Mark Burrows — a fun, powerful musical that explores what it means to be called by God. Through humor, heart, and unforgettable songs, kids will discover that God has placed something beautiful in each of us and is calling us to share it with the world. Camp runs July 21–25, from 9 AM – 2:30 PM, with the big performance on Saturday, July 26, at 11 AM! It is open to rising 3rd–8th graders for just \$100 with discounts for siblings. Students should bring a brown bag lunch each day. Register today at dauphinwayumc.org/musicalcamp2025 and let your child be part of something meaningful and fun!



## Dauphin Way United Methodist Church Mobile, Alabama

# SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER JUNE 1, 2025

11:00 AM SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE

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