An Order of Sunday Worship

The liturgical color for the Seventh Sunday after Pentecost is green, symbolizing the ongoing journey of discipleship and spiritual maturity during Ordinary Time.

> ♣ 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

Mov. I & II from "The Musical Clocks"

Handel arr. Biggs

★ CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

★ CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Kathy Jorgensen

Lord, teach us to pray, not just with words, but with trust.

We come, seeking the heart of God.

Ask, and it will be given; search, and you will find.

We come, ready to ask, seek, and knock.

God gives the Holy Spirit to all who ask in faith.

With boldness and hope, we come to worship.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing UMH 400

★ 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. Jorgensen

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

OFFERTORY

The Lord's Prayer

Clausen

During the singing of the Doxology, children in K4 through third grade are invited to make their way to the front of the Sanctuary for the Children's Moment.

♣ 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.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Jorgensen

₩ GOSPEL HYMN

Seek Ye First

UMH 405

Verse 1

★ THE GOSPEL

Luke 11:1-13

Rev. Walters

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

₩ GOSPEL HYMN

Seek Ye First

UMH 405

Verse 2

SERMON

A Journey Through Luke

Rev. Walters

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Rev. Darrin Scott Isaac

Gracious God, you invite us to pray with boldness and trust, but we confess our doubts. We struggle to believe you hear us. We ask too little or not at all. Forgive our hesitation and renew our confidence in your love. Teach us to pray, to ask, to seek, and to knock: trusting in your good and generous Spirit. Amen. All pray in silence.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Even before we ask, God is at work. God hears every prayer and responds with love. In Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Receive the gift of grace and rise renewed.

Amen.

₩ HYMN OF INVITATION

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

UMH 140

★ BENEDICTION

H CHORAL BENEDICTION Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

UMH 349

Rev. Walters

★ POSTLUDE V: Presto from "The Musical Clocks"

Handel arr. Biggs

PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP TODAY

PASTORS

Rev. Gillian Walters Rev. Kathy Jorgensen

PASTOR OF **MUSIC & WORSHIP**

Rev. Darrin Isaac

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF

Walter Meigs

MUSIC & WORSHIP Natalie Isaac

ACOLYTES USHERS Thank you to our David Bush dedicated acolytes Scott Hunter for your service **David Gremse** and participation in Stoney Chavers today's worship.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in memory of Eric Weber by Laurie and Anna.

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

There is no Children's Church during the month of July. During the Traditional service, children may come up front for the Children's Moment and will then return to sit with their parents for the duration of the service. We will continue to have nursery care for children up to age 4 during July. There are activity pages and crayons in the Narthex and The Gathering Place for children.

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

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SUNDAYS	8:10 AM	Children's Nursery	E110; E109; E11
A —	8:20 AM	Chapel Worship	Adkins Chapel
AT	9:00 AM	Sunday Morning Donuts	McGowin Hall
D		Adult Sunday School	DWUMC
Dauphin	9:15 AM	Covenant Class	McDavid Library
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WAY UMC		Open Hearts Open Minds	Family Life Room
	9:30 AM	Friends In Faith	E125
		Contemporary Worship	Moore Hall
	10:30 AM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
		Fellowship for Everyone	McGowin Hall
	11:00 AM	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
	11:20 AM	Children's Church K5-3 rd	E215
		on break until the fall	
	4:00 PM	Children's Programming	DWUMC
		on break until the fall	
	5:00 PM	Youth SNL & Dinner	Moore Hall & The Refuge
		on break until the fall	
		WEEKLY SCHEDULE	
Mon – Fri	8:00 AM	Meals On Wheels	Kitchen
Mon – Tues	9:00 AM	Society of St. Stephen	E120
Mondays	10:00 AM	Prayer Group	Dill Parlor
Tuesdays	7:00 AM	Men's Prayer Breakfast	McDavid Library
Wednesdays	6:00 AM	Youth Morning Devotion	Off Site
		on break until the fall	
	10:00 AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Bishops & Family Life Rooms

THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dill Parlor

Choir Room

July 20 – Aug 3	All Day	Leinkauf Back-to-School Drive	The Gathering Place & McGowin Hall
Thu, Jul 31	7:00 AM	Grits & Grace	McGowin Hall
Sun, Aug 3	TBD	Middle School Pool Party	TBD

1:30 PM Centering Prayer

6:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Sat, Aug 9	9:00 AM	Wesley Singers Choir Boot	Choir Room; McGowin Hall
Sun, Aug 10	All Morning	Blessing of the Backpacks	Chapel, Moore Hall, Sanctuary
	4:00 PM	Usher Training	Sanctuary
Aug 10, 17 & 24	10:30 AM	Dauphin Way Ministry Fair	McGowin Hall
Fri, Aug 15	TBD	Youth: USA Lock In	Off Site; USA
Sun, Aug 17	8:00 AM	Blood Drive	Bus in Parking Lot
	All Morning	Promotion Sunday	DWUMC
	4:00 PM	Confirmation Open House	Moore Hall
	5:00 PM	Youth Open House	McGowin Hall; Moore Hall; The Refuge
Wed, Aug 20	12:00 PM	Summer Reading Book Club Lunch	McGowin Hall
Thu, Aug 21	6:00 PM	Young Adult Gathering	Off Site; Velvet Pig
Fri, Aug 22		Confirmation Retreat	
Sun, Aug 24	TBD	Children's Back to School Celebration	TBD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LEINKAUF BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE: From July 20 to August 3, we will be collecting school supplies for our friends at Leinkauf Elementary School, the oldest active elementary school in Alabama, located in Mobile's Leinkauf Historic District. Leinkauf is known for celebrating its rich history while offering innovative programs like STREAM (Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art, and Math), Character Education, and specialized mentoring. Let's support their students as they begin a new school year! Collection bins will be available in The Gathering Place and McGowin Hall. We ask that you please donate only the items listed on the official supply list, which can be found at dauphinwayumc.org/leinkauf-back-to-school-drive. Together, we can make a meaningful impact on the lives of these young learners!

UPCOMING USHER TRAINING SESSION: An usher training session will be held in the Sanctuary on Sunday, **August 10**, at 4 PM, and all who are interested in serving are encouraged to attend. This is a meaningful opportunity to become more involved in the life of the church through a ministry of hospitality and care. The training will provide an overview of usher responsibilities and review important safety protocols to ensure a welcoming and secure environment for all who worship with us. A well-prepared usher team strengthens our congregation's ability to offer a welcoming environment and demonstrates a spirit of Christian service. We invite you to consider participating in this important ministry.

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. On Wednesday, August 20, participants will gather for a lunch discussion at 12 PM in McGowin Hall to share insights and reflections from their reading. Email wilson.newell@dauphinwayumc.org to sign up today and join us on this meaningful summer journey! To learn more about each book on the list, visit dauphinwayumc.org/summer-reading-book-club.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES TO DEEPEN YOUR CONNECTION AT DAUPHIN WAY: Join us in McGowin Hall for our Ministry Fair on Sundays, August 10, 17, and 24, between our 9:30 AM and 11 AM services. Whether you're interested in supporting our Children's Ministry, serving with Meals On Wheels, or helping others through our Support Groups, there's a place for you to make a difference. You can also get involved with Jacob's Ladder, Ushers, or even volunteer in local outreach programs like Leinkauf Elementary School or the Community Garden. This is a great opportunity to learn about all the ways you can plug into the vibrant ministries here at Dauphin Way and take the next step in your spiritual journey. We look forward to seeing you there!

YOUNG ADULT GATHERINGS ARE COMING BACK SOON: Join us for our monthly Young Adult Gathering, which will start back up next month! We're kicking things off Thursday, August 21, at 6 PM with dinner at Velvet Pig in downtown Mobile. If you're in your 20s or 30s and are looking to build new friendships and enjoy good food by connecting with other young adults from Dauphin Way, these gatherings are perfect for you. We'll meet every third Thursday of the month starting in August. Come as you are and bring an appetite! RSVP by emailing Kassidy Terry, Director of Contemporary Worship, at kassidy.terry@dauphinwayumc.org by August 14. See you soon!

BIBLICAL HISTORY CENTER DAY TRIP: Have you ever wondered what it might have been like to live in the time when Jesus walked the earth? Join us for a day trip to the Biblical History Center in LaGrange, GA on Thursday, November 6! We'll travel by charter bus—complete with a restroom—departing from Dauphin Way UMC at 8 AM. During our visit, we'll experience the World of Jesus tour and enjoy a special Seder meal for lunch. The Bible will take on new meaning as you walk among authentic replicas of ancient crops, buildings, and food from Jesus' time. We'll return around 8 PM that evening. The cost of the trip is \$160, which includes transportation, the tour, and lunch. Register by August 10 using the code EARLYBIRD to save \$20. The final deadline to sign up is October 19. Don't miss this opportunity to step into the world of the Bible and deepen your understanding of Scripture! Register at dauphinwayumc.org/biblical-history-center-day-trip.

FAMILY CAMP AT CAMP BLUE LAKE: Join Dauphin Way and Spanish Fort UMCs at Blue Lake United Methodist Camp in Andalusia for our annual Family Camp, November 14-16! This is a special time set apart for us as a family of believers to spend time together. Family Camp is a truly wonderful time to reconnect with your own family, your church family, and with your Creator. We enjoy morning devotions by the lake, meals together, family games, worship, gaga ball, s'mores, hiking, crafts, and free time. It is a wonderful opportunity for us to commune with God and friends, a time of rest and growth, and so much fun! Join us for an experience you will never forget! Sign up at dauphinwayumc.org/family-camp.



Dauphin Way United Methodist Church Mobile, Alabama

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST July 27, 2025

11:00 AM SERVICE OF WORD

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