

An Order of Sunday Worship

In the United Methodist tradition, white paraments adorn the sanctuary during the Easter season as a sign of resurrection, joy, and divine victory. Their brightness reflects the light of the risen Christ, proclaiming new life, holiness, and the renewing grace of God.

✠ 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 “The Fanfare Fugue” J.S. Bach

✠ CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

✠ CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Kathy Jorgensen

Even in the quiet, a steady hope is rising among us.
The God of life is near, breathing promise into our midst.
In every act of love, in hands that give and gather,
Mercy is already at work, renewing the world.
A voice calls us by name into life that will not fade.
Come, let us worship the Living Christ.

✠ PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* UMH 158

✠ 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 O Love Hagenberg

1. O Love that will not let me go,
I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe,
That in thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

2. O Joy that seeks me through pain,
I cannot close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain,
And feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.

During the singing of the Doxology, children in kindergarten 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 Heather White

✠ HYMN OF PROCLAMATION *Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy* UMH 340

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 9:36-43 Rev. Walters

The Word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON The Great 50 Days: *Rise to New Life* Rev. Walters

PRAYER OF CONFESSION Rev. Wilson Newell

God of life, you call us by name into a living hope, yet we confess how often we turn toward what is fading. We hold tightly to what we fear losing and neglect the quiet works of mercy set before us. We pass by needs we could meet, and doubt that your life is still at work among us. Forgive us, O God. Renew our trust in your power to bring life from what seems lost, and awaken us again to love, to serve, and to hope; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All pray in silence.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Hear the good news: the One who calls us by name is faithful to restore and renew. In Christ, what was lost is found, and what was fading is made alive. The mercy of God is already at work among us, raising us into lives of love and hope. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Thanks be to God. Amen.

✠ HYMN OF INVITATION *Easter People, Raise Your Voices* UMH 304

✠ BENEDICTION Rev. Walters

✠ CHORAL BENEDICTION *The Lord Bless You and Keep You* Lutkin

✠ POSTLUDE *Cornet Voluntary* John Travers

PARTICIPATING IN WORSHIP TODAY

PASTORS
Rev. Gillian Walters
Rev. Wilson Newell
Rev. Kathy Jorgensen

PASTOR OF
MUSIC & WORSHIP
Rev. Darrin Scott Isaac

ASSOCIATE
DIRECTOR OF
MUSIC & WORSHIP
Natalie Isaac

ACOLYTES
Abigail Bush
Julia Tindle
Madeleine Bush
Mary Scott Tindle

USHERS
David Bush
Irvin Rentz, Jr.
Scott Hunter
Stoney Chavers
Sue King

A/V TEAM
Mark Berte

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory and honor of all mothers.

CELEBRATION

Congratulations to Hannah and Will Majure on the birth of their son, Watterson McNeil Majure (“Mac”), born on Sunday, April 26, 2026.

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 AND CHILDCARE

We will have Children’s Church for children in kindergarten through third grade during the sermon in today’s worship service. Children should be picked up by their parents from **Room 215** in the Education Building after the service. During the service, infants may go to **Room 110**, while toddlers who are walking up to 2-years-old may go to **Room 115**, and 3 and 4-year-olds may go to **Room 107**.

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 about any of our programs or events, visit dauphinwayumc.org.

SUNDAYS AT DAUPHIN WAY UMC	Time	Event	Location
	8:00 AM	Sunday Morning Donuts	McGowin Hall
	8:10 AM	Children's Nursery Opens - Infants - Walkers – 2-Years-Old - Ages 3 – 4K	E110 E115 E107
	8:20 AM	Chapel Worship	Adkins Chapel
	9:15 AM	Adult Sunday School Covenant Class Faith Development Class Open Hearts Open Minds	McDavid Library Dill Parlor Family Life Room
	9:30 AM	Friends In Faith	E125
	9:30 AM	Contemporary Worship	Moore Hall
	9:50 AM	Children's Church - Kindergarten – 3 rd Grade	E215
	10:30 AM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	The Sanctuary
	10:30 AM	Fellowship for Everyone	McGowin Hall
	11:00 AM	Traditional Worship	The Sanctuary
	11:20 AM	Children's Church - Kindergarten - 3 rd Grade	E215

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Mon – Fri	8:00 AM	Meals On Wheels	Kitchen
Mon – Tue	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	6:30 AM	Youth Morning Devotion	Off Site; Carpe Diem
	10:00 AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting	Bishops' & Family Life Rooms
	1:30 PM	Centering Prayer	Dill Parlor
	6:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
	7:00 PM	Contemp. Worship Practice	Moore Hall

THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Sun, May 10	DEADLINE: Purchase Your Boston Butt Voucher!	
Tue, May 12	12:00 PM	The Long Goodbye Trustees Meeting McGowin & McDavid Library Bishops' Meeting Room
	6:15 PM	Youth Parent Council Meeting Off Site
	7:00 PM	Compassionate Friends McGowin Hall
Wed, May 13	12:00 PM	Tools For Hope Bishops' Meeting Room
		1 John Wed. Noon Study Dill Parlor
		RJR Immigration Study McDavid Library
Fri, May 15	9:00 AM	CDC Graduation Ceremony The Chapel

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Sun, May 17	9:30 AM	Baby Recognition Sunday	Moore Hall
	4:30 PM	RJR's Evening of Community	McGowin Hall
Tue, May 19	2:00 PM	Dauphin Way Across the Bay	Off Site; Westminster Village
Sun, May 24	10:30 AM	Pentecost Combined Service	The Sanctuary
Mon, May 25	CHURCH OFFICES & CDC CLOSED: Memorial Day Holiday		
Thu, May 28	7:00 AM	Grits and Grace	McGowin Hall
Sun, May 31	DEADLINE: Register Your Child for VBS!		
	12:00 PM	VBS Workday 1	McGowin Hall & E215
	4:30 PM	Immigration Conversation	McDavid Library
Jun 7-12	All Day	Youth Mission Trip	Off Site; Tuskegee, AL
Sun, Jun 7	12:00 PM	VBS Workday 2	McGowin Hall & E215
Sun, Jun 14	12:00 PM	VBS Workday 3	McGowin Hall & E215
Jun 15-18	All Morning	Vacation Bible School 2026	McGowin Hall & E215
Wed, Aug 26	12:00 PM	DW's Summer Reading Book Club Gathering	McDavid Library

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LINCKS COMPASSION FUND OFFERING: This fund was established to honor Rev. Kathy Lincks Jorgensen's 50+ years of ministry at Dauphin Way. Every Mother's Day, we collect a special offering to support this fund, which will be used to help people in critical times of need. If you'd like to donate to this ministry in Kathy's honor, or in honor or memory of a special mother in your life, you can place your offering in the baskets at the entrances or give online at dauphinwayumc.org/give and select 'Lincks Compassion' in the dropdown box.

BOSTON BUTT FUNDRAISER: Rather than cooking and distributing the meat on a specific day, this year our Youth Ministry is selling **\$40** vouchers for Boston butts from Meat Boss, a local barbecue restaurant. Please consider purchasing one through Dauphin Way to enjoy with your family at your leisure! The deadline to purchase is TODAY, **May 10**, and more details can be found in the Gathering Place or McGowin Hall, or by visiting dauphinwayumc.org/boston-butt-2026. We appreciate your support!

RJR'S MAY EVENTS: Our Racial Justice and Reconciliation committee invites you to participate in several events this month. This Wednesday, **May 13**, at 12 PM, join the *Vital Conversations on Immigration* study. Next Sunday, **May 17**, join us in McGowin Hall at 4:30 PM for an *Evening of Community* to worship with Toulminville-Warren St. UMC and discuss food insecurity. Lastly, we'll meet with Rev. John Simonson, a pastor from St. John UMC, on Sunday, **May 31**, at 4:30 PM for a conversation on how we can better support immigration in our own community. RJR hopes you will join us for these meaningful conversations!

BABY RECOGNITION SUNDAY: Our Children's Ministry would like to officially honor all Dauphin Way babies born from May 2025 to May 2026 during the 9:30 AM Contemporary Worship service on Sunday, **May 17!** These little ones will be presented, along with their parents, during worship and their names will be listed in both of the Traditional Worship bulletins. Immediately following the ceremony, the babies and their families are invited to attend a reception in McGowin Hall.

PENTECOST SUNDAY: Join us on Sunday, **May 24**, as we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit and the birth of the Church! 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. Instead of meeting at our normal times, we will gather for ONE service only at 10:30 AM in the Sanctuary. Nursery care for children ages 4 and under will be available, but we won't have Children's Church. We look forward to seeing you there!

VBS 2026: Our Children's Ministry welcomes all kids, rising 4K through 5th grade, to join us for this summer's Vacation Bible School, *Summit Seekers: Climbing the Mountain with Jesus*, from Monday, **June 15** – Thursday, **June 18**. We will journey through the Sermon on the Mount together, exploring Jesus' vision of the kingdom of heaven. Our adventure will include games, crafts, fellowship, and meaningful Bible stories. Every day highlights a key Bible point, lively worship songs, and exciting lessons, like how Jesus transforms lives and calls us to share His love with the world. You don't want to miss this adventure! To register your child by our **May 31** deadline, visit dauphinwayumc.org/vbs-2026.

VBS HELP NEEDED: We would greatly appreciate any help you can give for VBS this year. We need **classroom teachers** for all ages, **special area teachers**, and **coordinators** for our 5th graders' travel to various mission sites in Mobile. To help us prepare for VBS, we will have a few workdays in May and June where we'll need help getting supplies and decorations ready. If you'd like to sign up to volunteer for VBS, please visit dauphinwayumc.org/vbs-help. Childcare will be available and t-shirts are guaranteed for all volunteers who sign up to work by Sunday, **May 31**. Lastly, we are collecting **paint of any amount and any kind** in the following colors: sand, gray, brown, tan, and rust. Drop-off for the paint is on the stage in McGowin Hall, or Heather can arrange to pick it up from you! If you'd like to financially contribute, you can choose to sponsor specific items and activities. Donating helps us make this a wonderful experience for all of the children participating. To sponsor an item, please visit dauphinwayumc.org/give, click the "Online Giving" button, and select 'Vacation Bible School' from the 'Fund' drop-down menu. From there, you can choose an amount based on which project you would like to sponsor! Email Heather.White@dwumc.org with any questions. Your time, talents, gifts, and prayers are greatly appreciated!

SUMMER READING BOOK CLUB: Our Summer Reading Book Club is back! Choose one or more books from the following list to read over the summer: *Responsible Grace* by Randy Maddox, *A Long Obedience in the Same Direction* by Eugene Peterson, or *The Ruthless Elimination of Hurry* by John Mark Comer. Then, on Wednesday, **August 26**, at 12 PM, join us for a gathering to celebrate and recap what we read! Sign up here: dauphinwayumc.org/summer-book-club.



Dauphin Way United Methodist Church
Mobile, Alabama

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE

MAY 10, 2026

MOTHER'S DAY

11:00 AM SERVICE OF WORD

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