

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events:

BIBLE STUDY: Great News! Bible Study is coming back every Wednesday in— person at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall and dinner will be served at 6:00pm. Please keep a look out for you email blast as reminders and we look forward to seeing you there.

JAGS SUNDAY: Join us in spirit and in sport on Oct. 18th. We ask that you all show up ready to worship in your Jaguar merch. Lets have great time in serve and in fellowship.

PILLARS PURPOSE CAFÉ: Every fourth Thursday we are serving young adults aging out of foster care through a welcoming meal, relationship building, resource connection and consistent community. If you would like to volunteer please join us this Thursday Oct. 22nd.

LUNCH WITH PASTOR: Starting Nov. 01st Rev. Tiffany McCall will be offering a lunch session with all visitors in the Fellowship Hall after church.

CHILDRENS CHURCH: Children's church will be starting back up Nov. 01st bring your youth to be a part a wonderful learning experience.

EWU OUTREACH: Lets gather to offer hospitality, encouragement, prayer and support to the Edward Waters University football team Nov. 01st & the 18th .

HANGING THE GREENS: We will be meeting in sanctuary Nov. 21st at 9:30am to hang the greens, we are in need of volunteers please be present if you can we would love to have you.

A.C.T.S. SUNDAY: November 29th is our last A.C.T.S.SUNDAY of 2026. Lets go out with a bang! We will be having Family and Friends Day. Please be encouraged to invite your loved ones to church and enjoy refreshments and community in the Fellowship Hall after service.

JOY NIGHT: Our Joy Night will be held Saturday, December 05th at 5:30pm. Come out and celebrate with us and enjoy musical selections from the talented theatrical group Stage Aurora.

MEN'S MINISTRY: Join the discussion with Rev. Wesley in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 am every third Sunday.

Other Ways To Give:

Zelle- office@fumc-jax.org

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CONGRATULATIONS!

To those who are celebrating a birthday and/or an anniversary we cheerfully celebrate along side you!!!



WELCOME
TO

First United METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY SERVICE
11 OCTOBER, 2026

“WHERE WE HAVE OUR BIBLE IN ONE
HAND AND A FRIEND IN THE OTHER”

225 E DUVAL ST JAX FL 32202

Order of Worship

Sunday, October 11th, 2026

*=Those who are able, please stand

We Gather For Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Song

Choirs Selection

Call To Worship

Leader: Come, all who fear the enemy's schemes and trust in God's deliverance.

People: We come to remember the faithful ones who stood firm and the courage that dares to act in the face of danger.

Leader: Come, all who long for justice and hope.

People: We come to worship the God who turns fear into faith and despair into deliverance.

Leader: Let us worship the Lord, who is faithful and just.

All: Amen.

Opening Prayer

Eternal God, we confess that in our own time, there are still hidden threats, deceitful alliances, and moments when the path seems blocked.

Grant us the eyes to see the enemy's schemes and the strength to guard against them. Give us the courage to stand firm in our convictions, even when the odds are great send your Holy Spirit to help us act in faith, not in fear. May we also be willing to step into the place of risk, to speak the truth boldly, and to seek the good of the whole. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Morning Hymn

O God of Every Nation UMH#435 vs 1,3&4

*Lighting the Candles

Acolytes

Let us Affirm Our Church's Mission and Vision

To be Loved Period, Love God, Love Neighbor, Love Self! **We believe in teaching gospel truths; We believe God is with us and we are the living body of Christ. We are the hands, feet, and heartbeat of God. We believe the Spirit of God calls us to freedom, and we are not free until all of us are free.**

Glory Be to the Father

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A Service of Giving

Offering Prayer

Rev. Tiffany McCall

Offering Song

Organist Selection

Tithes, Mission, and Public Offering

We Listen To The Word

Song of Preparation

Choir Selection

The Reading of God's Word

Esther 3:8-11;4:1-8

Sermon

"When Silence Is Not An Option"

Rev. Tiffany McCall

We Respond In Faith/Reaffirmation of Faith

Song of Commitment

Here I Am, Lord #UMH 593

We Depart To Serve

*Closing Song

Choir Selection

Congregational Response

Pastor and Congregation We have come to worship **because we have a heart for God**. We leave to go into the world to comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable, **because we have a heart for humanity**. On mission for God:

Let's do it

*Benediction

Go forth rooted in faithful practice. May the God who hears you in the morning strengthen you to stand with courage, pray with consistency, and trust without fear. No law, no power, no pressure is greater than our God. Go in peace to live your purpose. Amen.