

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, March 8th

8:30 am Breakfast/Fellowship

*9:15 am Sunday School

*10.30 am Morning Worship

Nursey Provided

Monday, March 9th

Boy Scouts 6:30

Tuesday, March 10th

Staff 9:30

Catherine Revel Circle 12:00 @

Selma Country Club

Trustees 5:00 - GL

Wednesday, March 11th

Leika's Pals Picnic

Choir 5:00

Thursday, March 12th

Leika's Pals Picnic

Friday, March 13th

Leika's Petting Zoo

Saturday, March 14th

No Activities Planned.

Sunday, March 15th

8:30 am Breakfast/Fellowship

*9:15 am Sunday School

*10.30 am Morning Worship

Nursey Provided

Monday, March 16th

Boy Scouts 6:30

Leika's Closed all week for Spring Break

Tuesday, March 17th

Staff 9:30

Wednesday, March 18th

Choir 5:00

Thursday, March 19th

Living Treasures 12:00 - WH

Friday, March 20th

No Activities Planned.

Saturday, March 21st

No Activities Planned.

Faithful in attendance 3/1/26

Worship 97 Sunday School: _____

IN OUR THOUGHTS

AND PRAYERS

Current: Kin Reynolds, Brandon Underwood. (Deployed).

Ongoing: Sherry Bone, Floyd Plummer, Pierson Dick (Polly Sellier's brother), Anthony Musso (Fred Guarino's cousin), Emily Rogers (Mike Bruner's Sister), Gail Hull (Darien Arrington's aunt), Catesby Jones, Rev. Mike Pearson, George Brown, Amy & Clay Carmichael, Nettie Perry, Olivia Empie, AJ & Haley Huckabee family, Wheeler Green, Randy Smith, Tiffany Brown, Will Roberts, Tammy Mason, Robert Sanford, Linda Canada, Andrew Dunaway, Austin Fincher (Larry & Sandra Roe's grandson), Mary Ann King, Rose Mary Nettles, Cecil Fuller, Jackie Woodfin, Monty James, Caroline Thomas, Bill Livingston, Ray Delp, Sharon Clary, Vaughan J. Bolen, Blann Bell, Betty Rivers, Martha Maurer, Blake Flanagan, Gloria Adams, Peggy Cross, Sonny Nelson, Bob Simpson, Linda and Jesse Harris, Danny Jordan, David Saylor, Clark Schatz, Shannon Miller Cook, Mark Rogers, Dorris Sherrer, Bill Sellier, Polly Sellier, Anna Guarino Hamblen, Maggie Bailey, Debe Henry, Libby Barrett, Caleb Barrett, Jennifer Barrett, Will Barrett, Ralph Hobbs.

Homebound: Eloise Trammel.

IN CHRIST'S SERVICE

MARCH 8, 2026

Acolytes:

Kylie Calame
Maggie Calame

Breakfast Cooks

Jon Stewart, Larry Justice,
Al Singley

Nursery:

Katie Hogue

Collection Counters:

Gail Lovelady
Gail Hawkins

Sound Technician:

Larry Roe

Usher Team:

Andy Stewart, Deans Barber
Rex Jones, Jimmy Campbell
Al Singley

Security Team:

Brad Utsey, Beau Boyd
Derek Chappelle

Lay Leader

Bart Adams

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*To be disciples of Jesus Christ through love,
worship, service and evangelism*

Rev. Diane Everette, Pastor

Mr. Gordon F. Welch

Director of Music Ministries/Organist

Ms. Frances Turner

Director of Children's Ministries

Sunday Morning Worship

March 8, 2026 - 10:30 A.M.

Liturgical Color – Purple

Third Sunday In Lent/Communion

WELCOME TO WORSHIP Rev. Diane Everette

ORGAN PRELUDE Mr. Gordon Welch
Adagio in G Minor - arr. Harris

✦ **LENTEN HYMN 168** Chancel Choir/Congregation
At the Name of Jesus - Stebbins
(Sung to the HOLINESS tune)

Invitation To The Lord's Table

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him,
who earnestly repent of their sin
and seek to live in peace with one another.
Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Prayer Of Confession And Pardon

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.

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!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Glory to God. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER Chancel Choir/ Congregation

Lead Me, Lord - Wesley
Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness;
Make thy way plain before my face.

MORNING PRAYER Rev. Everette

OUR 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.

OFFERTORY PRAYER Rev. Everette

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Chancel Choir

What Grace is Mine - arr. Fettke

✦ **A LENTEN DOXOLOGY** Chancel Choir/Congregation

Praise God throughout these forty days.
Praise Christ, our Lord, whom God did raise.
And praise the Spirit who imparts God's love in Christ into our hearts.

✦ PASSING THE PEACE

LENTEN LESSON FOR CHILDREN Mrs. Dawn Wendland

Children three years of age through the 1st grade are invited to depart with Miss Dawn for today's Lenten Lesson.

SERMON TEXT Rev. Everette

Romans 5:1-11

✦ **LENTEN HYMN OF AFFIRMATION 127** Chancel Choir/Congregation

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah - Hughes

MORNING MESSAGE Rev. Everette

"What are the Benefits?"

The Great Thanksgiving (UMH page 13) Rev. Everette
Giving of the Bread and Cup

The Chalice and Paten were made by Todd Deavor, and given in loving memory of his parents, Dr. & Mrs. W. C. Deavor.

✦ **LENTEN HYMN OF COMMITMENT 128** Chancel Choir/Congregation

He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought - Bradbury

✦ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Rev. Everette/Congregation

Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true Church,
Apostolic and Universal, whose Holy Faith let us now declare.

The Apostles Creed

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✦ **LENTEN RESPONSE** Chancel Choir/Congregation

'Holy, Holy Lord of Mercy'—French Melody

Holy, holy Lord of mercy, holy God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory, you alone are Love and Light.
Praises now we raise before you. "Glory In the highest height!"

✦ **ORGAN POSTLUDE** Mr. Welch

Lenten Postlude - Kihlken

✦ Congregation, please stand if able.

The flowers on the Altar are given

to the glory of God

Given by

By Dr. & Mrs. Kent Taylor



Don't forget to order your Memorial/Honorary Easter Lilies. Payment is due at the time order is placed. Deadline is Tuesday, March 22, 2026.